

Recreational Marijuana

Permanent Regulations

City of Tacoma

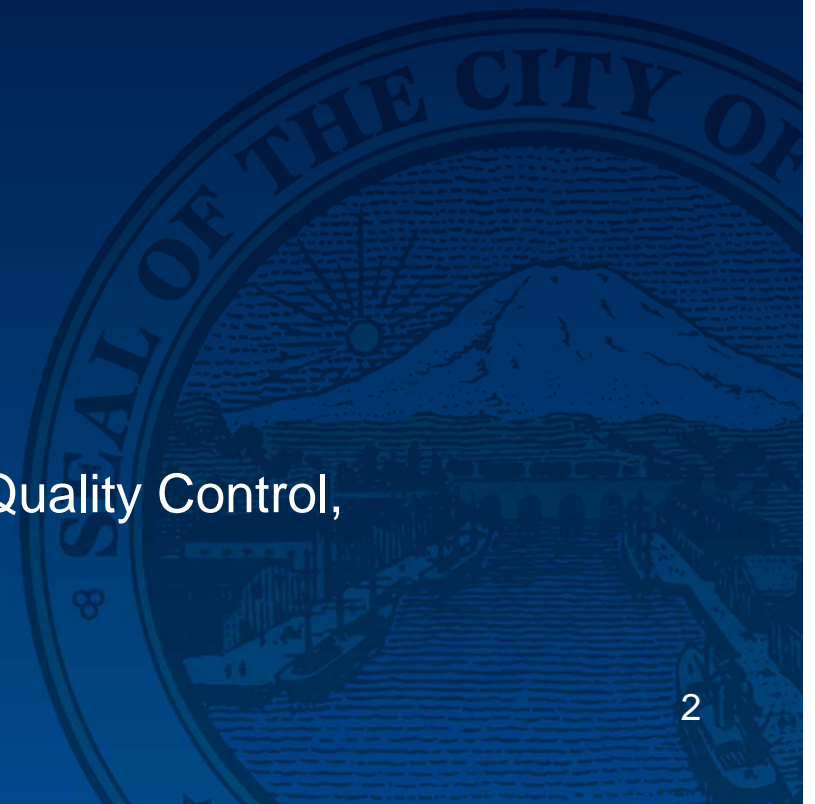
Planning & Development Services Department

City Council Public Hearing
February 3, 2015



Initiative 502 (November 2012)

- **Decriminalized possession**
- **Recreational Marijuana:**
 - Production
 - Processing
 - Retail Sales
- **WSLCB Rules:**
 - Licensing Program
 - Protection of Sensitive Uses
 - Security/Tracking, Advertising, Quality Control, State Taxation



Interim Regulations

- **Purposes:**

- To guide and facilitate review of license applications
- To allow adequate time to evaluate impacts

- **Adoption:**

- Ordinance No. 28182, adopted on November 5, 2013
- Effective November 17, 2013 through November 16, 2014

- **Extension:**

- Ordinance No. 28250, adopted on September 30, 2014
- Effective November 17, 2014 through May 16, 2015
- Planning Commission to develop permanent regulations

Planning Commission's Recommendations

Timeline: October 2014 – January 2015

- Public hearing Dec. 3, 2014

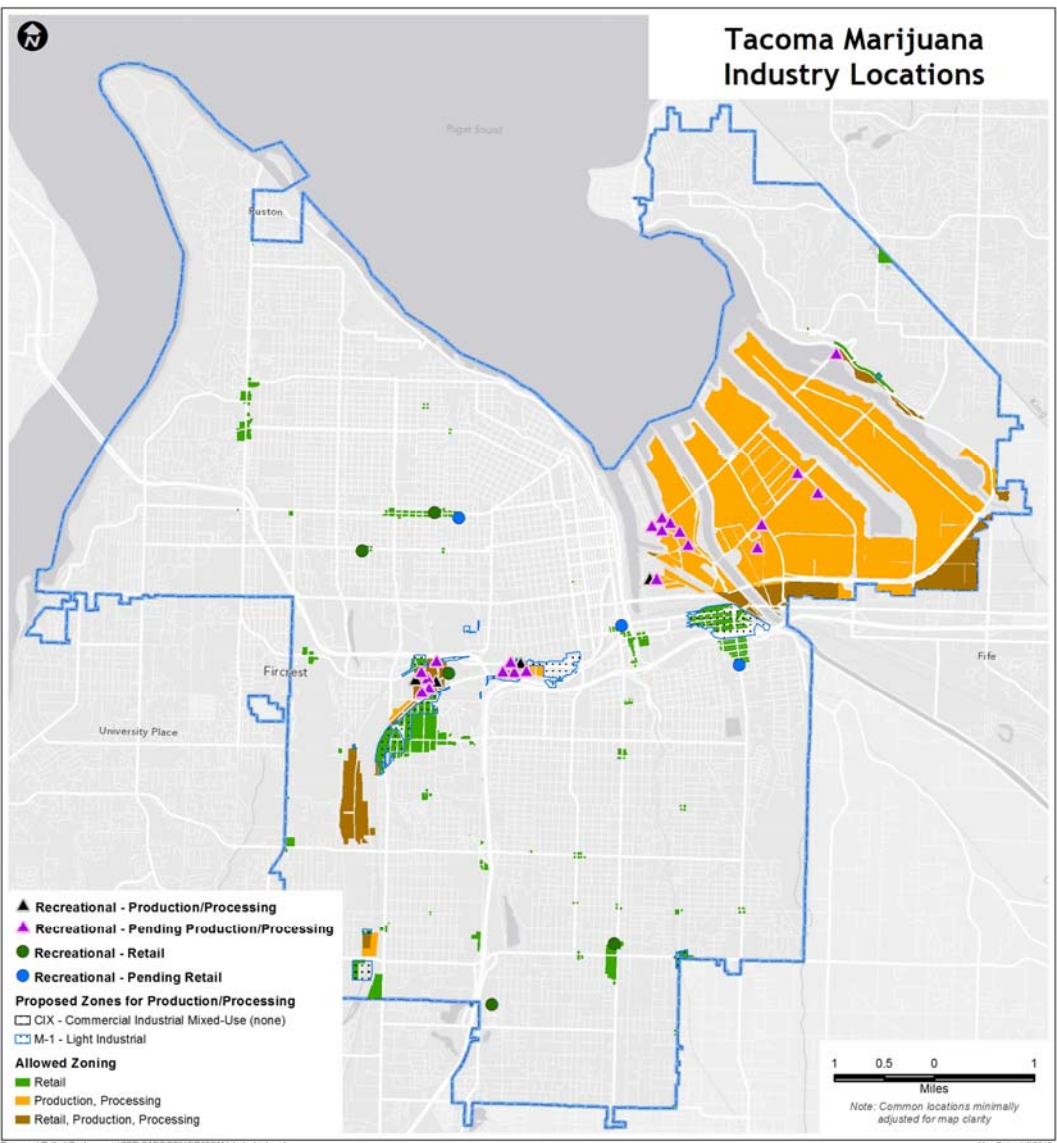
Code changes:

1. Retain interim code provisions
2. Clarify applicability
3. Expand areas for production/processing (and Urban Horticulture)

Other actions:

- Improve City review process for marijuana businesses
- Advocate for state action

Tacoma Marijuana Industry Locations



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Next steps

February 3rd – Council Study Session
Council Public Hearing

February 10th – Council Study Session
Council first reading

February 17th – Council final reading

March 2nd – Effective date of Permanent
Regulations

