



Marijuana Control Board
1st Judicial District
333 Willoughby Avenue Juneau, AK 99801
Juneau State Office 9th Floor Conference Room A
February 4th and 5th, 2026

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- Administration

- Call to Order

9:30 AM

- Roll Call

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health

- AMCO Staff

- Kevin Richard, Director
- Andrew Bocanumenth, Agency Attorney
- Jane P. Sawyer, Program Coordinator
- Regina Cruz, Licensing Supervisor
- Joe Bankowski, Enforcement Supervisor



Called to order at 9:30 am

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

- Approval of Agenda

Lacy Wilcox motions to amend the agenda to add an executive session with Board's council immediately following the approval of meeting minutes and prior to the discussion of the stipulated agreement. The purpose is to discuss attorney client privilege with Board's Counsel Eugene Hickey, Senior Assistant Attorney General who is present in person. Dr. Clift seconds the motion. All vote yes, motion carries.

- AMCO Meeting Code of Conduct & Top 10 Zoom FAQ

TAB 1

Chair Bailey Stuart reminds the public that Tab 1 is code conduct and Top 10 Zoom facts. Chairs Bailey Stuart also reminds the public that you will speak at the call of the chair.

- Board Governance

Lt. Jamie- No changes

Vice Chair Ely Cyrus – No changes

Lacy Wilcox – No changes- is on the agenda for TAB 37 Top Hat and Top Hat Concentrates and will recusing herself and speaking on Renewal for Residency verification from Licensee Noami Hamb.

Chair Bailey Stuart – for the record, states she will be recusing herself from participation on Tab 36 Frost Flower and Hatchers Grass – Renewal for Residency Verification for Jame Sullivan, as there is a potential conflict under the Executive Ethic branch acts and submitted a written disclosure pursuant to Alaska Statute 39 52 220.

- Selection of Board Chair – 3 AAC 306.935

Lacy Wilcox motions to elect Bailey Stuart as Chair for the Marijuana Control Board , Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes motion carries.



- Approval of Minutes from December 3-4, 2025, Board Meeting

TAB 2

Lacy Motions to approve December 3-4, 2025, Board meeting minutes. All vote yes motion carries.

- STIPULATED AGREEMENTS

- Excelsior Solutions, LLC d/b/a The Hash Frontier Gardens, license 28104, AM25-0710.

Lacy Wilcox moves to executive session pursuant to Alaska Open Meetings act, Alaska Statute 4462310c to discuss with counsel for the board stipulated agreements between staff and licensees concerning a disagreement between staff, counsel for the staff in the Office Administrative hearings being involved in stipulated agreements between staff and licensees. Dr. Clift seconds the motion. All vote yes, motion carries.

Move into Executive Session at 9:55 am.

Back from Executive Session at 10:52 am

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

Chair Bailey Stuart states on the record there was no action taken in the executive session, gave direction to counsel, Senior Assistant Attorney General Hickey.

Lacy Wilcox motions to enter executive session pursuant to Alaska Statute 44 62 3102 in the matters of Excelsior Solutionsm, LLC dba Hash Frontier, License #28104 in the matters of AM25-07110. Dr. Clift seconds the motion. All vote yes, motion carries.

Chair Bailey Staurt states on the record the Marijuana Control Board will proceed in the handling of this stipulated agreement without the Office of Administrative hearings involvement.

Move to Executive Session 10:53 am

Back from Executive Sessuon at 11:23am



Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

Lacy Wilcox motions to Adopt the Stipulated agreement in the matters of Excelsior Solutions, LLC dba Hash Frontier License #28104, the board adopt the stipulated agreement AM25-0710 as written as a final agency decision. Dr. Clift seconds the motion. Lt Jamie makes a statement that an offered resolution is a new term and in the future there needs to be an adjustment to the procedure. All vote yes, motion carries.

- PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD **Limit of 3 minutes per speaker**
- TAX DELINQUENCY REPORTS

TAB 3

Lacy Wilcox referenced prior discussion in the December 2025 board meeting regarding the delinquency status questions being sent to Department of Revenue. Jane Sawyer stated that waiver requests will be incorporated into the transfer and conversion application when the Department of Revenue sends a non-compliance.

- DIRECTOR'S REPORT

TAB 4

Director Kevin Richard summarizes his report. Chair Bailey Stuart expressed concerns regarding the delay in distributing the advisory notices. Director Kevin Richard reported the advisories are pending review with the Department of Law due to legislative sessions and workload restraints. Sara Chambers stated that the advisories were conveyed with the Board's urgency and indicated that if no response is received alternative strategies may be considered to move the advisories forward with AO 360 requirements.

- LICENSING REPORT

TAB 5



Lt. Jamie steps out at 11:52 am

Lt. Jamie returns at 11:55 am

Regina Cruz summarizes her report. Chair Bailey Stuart inquired if there is a proposed 90 day time frame for incomplete applications.. Regina Cruz responds that there is no 90 day time frame for renewals specified in regulations, although there has been an attempt to apply a 90 day standard in practice.

Lacy Wilcox discussed the potential need to provide updated licensing statistics to legislators in connection with SB 73.

Lacy Wilcox also revisited the 1 year moratorium on licenses. Attorney Andrew Bocanumenth advised there is no statutory authority permitting the Board to impose a one-year moratorium. Under statute, if an applicant meets all eligibility requirements the board is required to issue the license.

- Enforcement Supervisor's Report

TAB 6

Chief Investigator Bankowski summarizes his report and the vacancies remaining for Anchorage, Fairbanks, and Juneau and ongoing challenges in recruiting qualified applicants due to certification requirements and competitiveness. Vice Chair Ely Cyrus suggested exploring partnerships with Borough public safety programs, particularly VPSO's to improve rural enforcement coverage in rural communities.

Recess at 12:12 pm

Reconvene: 1:01 pm

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*



- PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD at 1:00 pm **Limit of 3 minutes per speaker**

Chair Bailey Stuart opens public comment at 1:02 pm, with speakers limited to three minutes.

Ryan Tunseth, on behalf of AMIA, expressed support for regulatory reform efforts under AO360, including outdated and burdensome regulations. He requested restoration of the AMOC Meeting archive on the website for transparency and urged clear advisories to provide regulatory guardrails for licenses.

Michael Emers, Rosie Creek Farms Licensee, encouraged modernization of regulations to reflect industry maturity. He advocated batch plant tagging, increased visitor limits for cultivation tours, limited retail endorsements for cultivators to support tourism, lowering the minimum worker age for license types, and continued pursuit of tax reform.

Joe Stolz, provided comments regarding hander card requirements, grower buy back restrictions, in-person tax payment, concerns about converted CBD products, and the need for public consumption spaces. He urged improved consistency, transparency, and trust in enforcement and regulatory practices.

Attorney Jana Weltzin, atty for many licensees, Thanks Lt. Jamie for his service on the board. Raised concerns regarding penalties and interest assessed by the Department of Revenue related to a Metrc reported glitch, requesting the boards acknowledgement that the issue was outside the licensee's control. She also commends the Licensing staff for efficient processing.

Rhonda Anderson- Hubbard, expresses her concern about high-potency THC products and requested clearer guardrail, potential prescription considerations for certain products, and community input on endorsements such as drive-throughs and on-site consumption. She also emphasized the need for public health considerations and resources for overuse disorders.

Tasha Grossl, Licensee Lady Gray, requested clarification regarding delayed public service advisories related to public safety concerns and expressed frustration regarding the timeline and perceived inconsistency compared to prior enforcement actions.

Chair Bailey Stuart closes public comments at 1:26pm



- Notices of Violation

TAB 7

License #17250 Pipe and Leaf – Chair Bailey Stuart commends Pipe and Leaf on their response and remediated the issues appropriately.

License #30905 Candid Farms – Investigator Joe Linger speaks on the violation that the Licensee has upgraded to larger filters to fix the issue.

Lt. Jamie speaks on the fine schedule and feels that it is a good tool for enforcement. Lacy Wilcox feels that it can use some work. Chair Bailey Stuart appreciates the work on the fine schedule and has worked for the board in the past years.

NEW MARIJUANA RETAIL LICENSE APPLICATIONS

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| <p>1. License 42032:
Licensee:

License type:
Premises Address:
Local governing body:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Alaskan Grown Cannabis
Rural Retail Management, LLC –
Kalla Peacock 50 % Jason Evans 50%
Retail Marijuana Store
49 Ruthie’s Naknek, AK 99633
Bristol Bay Borough
Memo from Bristol Bay Borough</p> | <p><u>TAB 8</u></p> |
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Attorney Jana Weltzin, for Licensee present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #42032 dba Alaskan Grown Cannabis with delegation. Dr Clift seconds the motion. Chair Bailey Stuart provides an overview of the application and Bristol Bay Borough’s resolution attempting to impose a one-year moratorium. Attorney Andrew Bocanumenth advised that the borough’s prior resolution was not sufficient under statute to enact a moratorium. He clarified that Local Governments may prohibit marijuana establishments through a properly adopted local option ordinance, if the ordinance passes, any existing license will become void pursuant to regulation 3AAC 306.250, ninety days after the effective date . Joseph Levesque, Attorney for Bristol Bay Borough requested to delay voting on this license until the April MCB meeting to allow time. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.

*Break at 2:05 pm
Reconvene at 2:11 pm*

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*



- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

2.	License 41345:	The Joint	<u>TAB 9</u>
	Licensee:	Michelle Jay Jones	
	License type:	Retail Marijuana Store	
	Premises Address:	327 Seward St. Suite #7, Sitka, AK 99835	
	Local governing body:	City and Borough of Sitka	
	Consideration:	Approve with delegation to Director	

Licensee, Michelle Jones, present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox moves to approve License #41345 The Joint, with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Chair Bailey Stuart inquired about the proposed surveillance system and whether it is continuous monitoring. Michelle Jones responds that it is 24 hour monitoring. Lacy Wilcox provides clear guidance to the licensee that regulations require continuous recording and not motion activated clips with a 40 day retention period. Investigator Bankowski confirms this requirement and will be verified during final inspection.

Lt. Jamie inquired whether the Drive up Exterior area, including ingress/egress and adjacent sidewalk areas, met the requirement under 3 AAC 306.380 (c), which requires the exterior window to be under the licensee’s sole possession and not public property.

Lacy Wilcox amends her motion to remove the drive through endorsement and proceed with the retail license only., with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds the motion. All vote yes, motion carries.

After further deliberation, -Lacy Wilcox motions to approve the Drive through exterior window endorsement. Dr. Clift seconds. Lt. Jamie – No, Lacy Wilcox – No, Dr. Clift – No, Vice Chair Cyrus – No, Chair Bailey Stuart – No. Motion failed.

• **NEW MARIJUANA CONCENTRATE MANUFACTURING FACILITY**

1.	License 41639:	Smooth Like Butter	<u>TAB 10</u>
	Licensee:	Smooth Like Butter, LLC -Jacquelyn Skurkey 51%, John Skurkey 50%	
	License type:	Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility	
	Premises Address:	21635 Renault Street, Suite 2 Kasilof, AK 99610	



Local governing body: Kenai Peninsula Borough
Consideration: **Approve with delegation to Director**

Jana Weltzin, Attorney for License present on zoom. Brenda Mills, paralegal for Licensee, Jacquelyn Skurkey, Licensee, were present in person. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #41639 dba Smooth Like Butter with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds the motion.

Chair Bailey Stuart asks about the usage of CBD. Brenda Mills clarified that CBD will be sourced from approved suppliers meeting Alaska testing standards, must receive industrial hemp approval prior to use, and CBD will be added only at final production stage. Lacy Wilcox requested clarification regarding vegetable glycerin listed in manufacturer’s description and emphasized ingredient transparency and inhalation safety considerations.

Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question, all vote yes. Motion carries.

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| 2. | License 41757: | 21 Carbon | <u>TAB 11</u> |
| | Licensee: | 21 Carbon, LLC / Jordan Agen 100% | |
| | License type: | Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility | |
| | Premises Address: | 12749 W Westen Drive Suite 2, Houston, AK 99694 | |
| | Local governing body: | Houston/ Matanuska – Susitna Borough | |
| | Consideration: | Approve with delegation to Director | |

Jana Weltzin, Atty for Licensee, Jordan Agen, both present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox moves to approve #41757 dba 21 Carbon with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds.

Chair Bailey Stuart calls the questions, all vote yes. Motion Carries.

• **NEW MARIJUANA PRODUCT MANUFACTURING FACILITY**

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| 1. | License 42261: | Lolo Creations, LLC | <u>TAB 12</u> |
| | Licensee: | Lolo Creations, LLC | |
| | Designated Licensee: | Noel Lowe | |
| | License type: | Marijuana Product Manufacturing Facility | |
| | Premises Address: | 2323 South Trunk Road # 3, Palmer, AK 99645 | |
| | Local governing body: | Matanuska – Susitna Borough | |
| | Consideration: | License application: approve with delegation.
Product: new product in powder form sold in pouches | |



Jana Weltzin- Atty for Licensee, Noel Lowe -Licensee, Sara Lorimer- manager for the licensee all present on zoom.

Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #42261 Lolo Creations, LLC with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Attorney Jana Weltzin provides overview of the proposed THC- infused oral pouch product. Dr. Clift asked about potential oral health concerns and comparisons to chewing tobacco products. The Licensee confirms that no additional ingredients are added to enhance absorption. Lt. Jamie expressed concerned the risk of inadvertent ingestion, particularly by children. Vice Chair Ely Cyrus asked about risks associated with ingestion of this product. Noel Lowe confirmed that all ingredients are food-grade and will go through a DEC plan review as an ingestible product. Noel Lowe confirmed that all ingredients are food-grade and that the product will undergo a DEC plan review as an ingestible product. Noel Lowe further explained that removal of the pouch stops the THC absorption, allowing more controlled dosing compared to traditional edibles.

Lacy Wilcox asks whether flavor variation will require separate final form testing. Noel Lowe confirmed that each variation would require its own Certificate of Analysis. Vice Chair Ely Cyrus asks if the product is shelf stabled. Noel Lowe responds they are shelf stabled until opened, with a recommended consumption time frame is 14 days for potency once opened.

Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question:

Lt. Jamie – No

Lacy Wilcox – Yes

Dr. Clift- Yes

Vice Chair Cyrus – Yes

Chair Bailey Stuart – Yes, motion carries.

• **LICENSE TRANSFER APPLICATIONS**

1.	License 13382:	EAST RIP	<u>TAB 13</u>
	Licensee (From):	Cook Inlet Cannabis Co./ Ryan Tunseth 100%	
	Licensee (To):	Straight Street Investments, LLC/ Jacquelyn Skurkey 51 %, John Skurkey 49%	
	License type:	Retail Marijuana Store	
	Local governing body:	City of Kenai/ Kenai Peninsula Borough	
	Premises Address:	10767 Kenai Spur Hwy Suite D., Kenai, AK 99611	
	NOV(s) in 2 prior years:	None	
	Consideration:	Approve with delegation to Director	

Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License Transfer #13382 dba East RIP with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Ryan Tusetth addressed the board and provided context for the transfer application. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.



**The Board voted for tabs 14, 15, and 16 in block section.*

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| 2. | <p>License 11614:
Licensee (From):
Licensee (To):</p> <p>License type:
Local governing body:
Premises Address:
NOV(s) in 2 prior years:
Consideration:</p> | <p>AK Joint <u>TAB 14</u>
Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC/ Colleen Howard 100%
Denali Fire Green LLC, Denali Fire LLC 100%,
Maverick Ventures, LLC – James Stevens 51% / Silver
Fox Solutions, LLC – Chris Owens 49 %
Retail Marijuana Store
Municipality of Anchorage
7801 Schoon St. Unit F, Anchorage, AK 99518
None
Approve with delegation to Director</p> |
| 3. | <p>License 11920:
Licensee (From):
Licensee (To):</p> <p>License type:
Local governing body:
Premises Address:
NOV(s) in 2 prior years:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Voodoo Cannabis Company <u>TAB 15</u>
Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC/Colleen Howard 100%
Denali Fire Black LLC, Denali Fire LLC 100%,
Maverick Ventures, LLC – James Stevens 51% / Silver
Fox Solutions, LLC – Chris Owens 49%
Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
Municipality of Anchorage
7801 Schoon St. Unit D,J,H, & K Anchorage , AK 99518
None
Approved with delegation to Director</p> |
| 4. | <p>License 25309:
Licensee (From):
Licensee (To):</p> <p>License type:
Local governing body:
Premises Address:
NOV(s) in 2 prior years:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Voodoo Cannabis Company <u>TAB 16</u>
Alaska Joint Ventures, LLC/Colleen Howard 100%
Denali Fire Green LLC, Denali Fire LLC 100%,
Maverick Ventures, LLC – James Stevens 51% / Silver
Fox Solutions, LLC – Chris Owens 49%
Retail Marijuana Store
Municipality of Anchorage
930 Gambell Street, Anchorage, AK 99501
None
Approved with delegation to Director</p> |

Lacy Wilcox motions to approve Tab 14, Tab 15, and Tab 16 with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds.

Jana Weltzin Attorney for Denali Fire, LLC, Colleen Howard the transferor, Jason Brandeis Attorney for transferor, all present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve Tab 14, Tab 15, and Tab 16 with delegation.



Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.

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| <p>5. License 32350:
 Licensee (From):
 Licensee (To):

 License type:
 Local governing body:
 Premises Address:
 NOV(s) in 2 prior years:
 Consideration:</p> | <p>Crooked Creek Cultivation
 Joseph Daniel Utrup 100%
 Smooth Like Butter, LLC/ Jacquelyn Skurkey 51%, John Skurkey 49%
 Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 City of Kenai/ Kenai Peninsula Borough
 21635 Renault St. Kasilof, AK 99610
 None
 Approve with delegation to Director</p> | <p><u>TAB 17</u></p> |
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Jana Weltzin Attorney for Licensee, Brenda Mills, Paralegal and Transferee Jacquelyn Skurkey, both present in person. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #32350 dba Crooked Creek Cultivation with delegation, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

• **LICENSE TRANSFER OF LOCATION APPLICATION**

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| <p>1. License 20221:
 Licensee :
 License type:
 Local governing body:
 Premises Address (Current):
 Premises Address (To):
 NOV(s) in 2 prior years:
 Consideration:</p> | <p>Denali Grass Company
 Nomo Gold LLC/ Susan Nowland 100%
 Retail Marijuana Store
 Denali Borough
 248.5 Parks Highway Suite A, Healy, AK 99743
 248.1 Parks Highway Unit 4, Healy, AK 99743
 None
 Approve with delegation to Director</p> | <p><u>TAB 18</u></p> |
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Susan Nowland, Licensee - present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve the Location of Transfer Application for License #20221 dba Denali Grass Company with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.

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| <p>1. License 27736:
 Licensee:
 Designated Licensee:
 License type:
 Local governing body:
 Consideration:</p> | <p>Dope Dynasty
 2nd Amendment LLC/ Casey Wilkins 100%
 Casey Wilkins
 Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Matanuska – Susitna Borough
 Violation: inventory tracking system; store inventory on a restricted access area. Board issued an accusation. Pending OAH matter.
 Protest from local government: pending license review fees \$100 and delinquent real property taxes \$6218.89</p> | <p><u>TAB 19</u></p> |
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Staff updated the board that the protest from the Local Government had been lifted. Attorney Andrew Bocanumenth reports that there is an ongoing office of administrative hearing involving an accusation against the licensee and it currently being litigated Lacy Wilcox motions to table renewal application #27736 dba Dope Dynasty to the April 2026 board meeting. Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

• **2025-2026 RENEWAL APPLICATIONS WITH PROTEST**

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| 1. | License 10236: | Cannabaska | <u>TAB 20</u> |
| | Licensee: | Sima Enterprises, LLC | |
| | Designated Licensee: | Smadar Warden | |
| | License type: | Retail Marijuana Store | |
| | Local governing body: | Municipality of Anchorage | |
| | Consideration: | Conditional protest from local government pending change of ownership in the form of a deemed complete transfer application | |

Jana Weltzin, Attorney for Licensee, present on zoom, provided an overview of the conditional protest from the Municipality of Anchorage. She requested that the board table the renewal application to the next board meeting to allow time for resolution of the transfer matter associated with the conditional protest. Lacy Wilcox motions to table License #10236 Cannabaska Renewal Application to the Next Board Meeting. Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

The Board voted for Tabs 21, 22, and 23 in block section.

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| 2. | License 10237: | Alaskasense, LLC | <u>TAB 21</u> |
| | Licensee: | Alaskasense, LLC | |
| | Designated Licensee: | Smadar Warden | |
| | License type: | Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility | |
| | Local governing body: | Municipality of Anchorage | |
| | Consideration: | Conditional protest from local government pending change of ownership in the form of a deemed complete transfer application | |

Jana Weltzin, Attorney for Licensee, present on zoom. Lacy Wilcox motion to approve License # #10237 AlaskaSense, LLC, #10254 Cannabaska ClaSim, and #25205 Cannabaska Concentrates with delegation. Miranda Honest, Municipal Clerk, Municipality of Anchorage, speaks on the Conditional protests versus a full protest. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.



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| <p>3. License 10254:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Cannabaska
ClaSim, LLC
Smadar Warden
Retail Marijuana Store
Municipality of Anchorage
Conditional protest from local government pending change of ownership in the form of a deemed complete transfer application</p> | <p><u>TAB 22</u></p> |
| <p>4. License 25205:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Cannabaska Concentrates
No Limit, LLC
Smadar Warden
Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility
Municipality of Anchorage
Conditional protest from local government pending change of ownership in the form of a deemed complete transfer application</p> | <p><u>TAB 23</u></p> |

Break at 3:42 pm

Reconvene at 3:49 pm

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

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| <p>5. License 32685:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration:</p> | <p>Aurora Blüm
Blüm, LLC
Laura Cameron
Marijuana Product Manufacturing Facility
Municipality of Anchorage
Conditional protest from local government pending certification of passed inspection by Land Use Enforcement</p> | <p><u>TAB 24</u></p> |
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*There is a discussion on the conditional protest from the Municipality of Anchorage related to land use inspection/certification. Lacy Wilcox motions to table the renewal application for License #32685 Aurora Blüm, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries. **Continued.***



6. **License 25198:** **Extractly** **TAB 25**
 Licensee: Extractly, LLC
 Designated Licensee: Ryan Ruff
 License type: Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility
 Local governing body: Matanuska-Susitna Borough
Consideration: Protest from local government pending license review fees \$100 and delinquent real property taxes \$5002.86

Staff reported that this protest has been lifted by the Local Government. Lacy Wilcox moves to approve License #25198 Extractly, LLC with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

7. **License 28628:** **AK Legacy Genetics, LLC** **TAB 26**
 Licensee: AK Legacy Genetics, LLC
 Designated Licensee: Ryan McKay
 License type: Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: Matanuska-Susitna Borough
Consideration: Protest from local government pending license review fees \$100

Staff reported that this protest has been lifted by the Local Government. Lacy Wilcox moves to approve License #28628 AK Legacy Genetics, LLC with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

8. **License 29879:** **High Society Laboratory** **TAB 27**
 Licensee: Farm Loop Labs, LLC
 Designated Licensee: Lacy Rego
 License type: Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility
 Local governing body: Matanuska-Susitna Borough
Consideration: Protest from local government pending license review fees \$100

Lacy Wilcox moves to approve License #29879 dba High Society Laboratory with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

9. **License 12833:** **Wildflower Farms** **TAB 28**
 Licensee: Alaska Loven It, LLC
 Designated Licensee: Janiese Stevens
 License type: Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: Homer/Kenai Peninsula Borough



Consideration: **Conditional approval pending the licensee becomes compliant with regulation 3 AAC 306.430 (c) (2)**

Lacy motions to approve License #12833 dba Wildflower Farms with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Jana Weltzin Attorney for Licensee, and Janise Stevens, Licensee both present on zoom. Janiese Stevens explains the remedial measures taken for the odor complaints. Chair Bailey Stuart noted the most recent violation was issued on August 27th, 2025. The board determined that the conditional approval from the City of Homer did not represent a formal protest but a continued compliance with odor regulations. Lacy Wilcox amends the motion to remove the delegation. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question. All vote yes, motion carries.

• **LICENSE 2025-2026 RENEWAL APPLICATIONS with LOCAL GOVERNMENT PROTEST AND ON DOR’S TAX DELINQUENCY LIST**

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| <p>1. License 10308:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration:</p> | <p>GreenDreams Cultivation
Birchie J. Walter; Tammy L Walter
Birchie J. Walter
Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
Fairbanks North Star Borough
Protest by local government due to unpaid property taxes.
On DOR’s delinquency list consecutively since 7/2024</p> | <p><u>TAB 29</u></p> |
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*Licensee – Tammy Walter, present on zoom.
Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #10308 dba GreenDreams Cultivation with delegation, Dr. Clift seconds. There is a discussion with board members on the protest and the tax delinquency list with Department of Revenue.
Tammy Walter, Licensee addresses the board and explained the circumstances regarding the property taxes and efforts to resolve the tax delinquency.
Vice Chair Ely Cyrus noted that the property tax disputes are typically civil matters but stressed the need for licenses to remain current on both local government and state taxes.
John Esposito, Attorney for Fairbanks North Star Borough, confirmed the Borough’s policy to protest applications when property taxes associated with the license premises are delinquent, regardless of whether the applicant is the property owner or tenant.
Lacy Wilcox amended her motion to deny the renewal application with a 60-day abeyance, licensee provides a Department of Revenue tax waiver, on an approved payment plan with the Department of Revenue, and the Local Government protest has been lifted. Dr Clift seconds, all vote yes motion carries.*



2. **License 25721:** **Gold Leaf Farms** **TAB 30**
 Licensee: Coopalation LLC
 Designated Licensee: Landon Cooper
 License type: Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: Matanuska – Susitna Borough
Consideration: Protest by local government pending license review fees of \$100 and delinquent real property Taxes \$381.40. On DOR’s delinquency list consecutively since 6/2025

Lacy Wilcox motions to deny the renewal application for License #25721 dba Gold Leaf Farms with a 60 day abeyance, with delegation to the director to approve if the licensee: on an approved payment plan and must comply with the Department of Revenue or paid the taxes in full. The motion was amended to include a Department of Revenue waiver. Dr. Clift seconds, all vote yes motion carries.

• **2025-2026 RENEWAL APPLICATIONS ON DOR’s DELIQUENCY LIST**

1. **License 35382:** **Goldsprout** **TAB 31**
 Licensee: Dustin White
 Designated Licensee: Dustin White
 License type: Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: Municipality of Anchorage
Consideration: On DOR’s delinquency list consecutively since 11/2025

Licensee -Dustin White present on zoom states that he had paid his taxes in full and is current. Lacy Wilcox motions to deny the renewal application with the following conditions a 60 day abeyance, delegation to director to approve if on payment plan or full payment is made, provides a Department of Revenue waiver. Dr. Clift Second, all vote yes motion carries.

Break at 4:58pm

Reconvene: 5:03pm

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*



2. **License 10112:** **Great Alaskan Bud Company** **TAB 32**
 Licensee: SP & C Enterprises LLC
 Designated Licensee: Shawn Coyle
 License type: Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: City of Fairbanks/Fairbanks North Star Borough
Consideration: On DOR’s delinquency list consecutively since 8/2024

Licensee Shawn Coyle is present on zoom stated that payments had been made and is working on a payment plan with the Department of Revenue. Lacy Wilcox motions to deny renewal application for License #10112 Great Alaskan Bud Company with a 60 day abeyance, with delegation to the Director to approve the renewal upon receipt of a Department of Revenue waiver confirming the licensee is on a payment plan or balance has been paid in full, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

- **Election of Vice Chair**

Attorney Andrew Bocanumenth addresses the election of Vice Chair, noting that while the position is not addressed in regulation it is considered best practice. Dr. Clift acknowledged Vice Chair Ely Cyrus to continue serving in the role as Vice Chair. Lacy Wilcox motions to formally elect Ely Cyrus at Vice Chair of the Marijuana Control Board, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

3. **License 11957:** **Last Frontier Joint Operations, LLC** **TAB 33**
 Licensee: Last Frontier Joint Operations, LLC
 Designated Licensee: Mike Keiser
 License type: Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 Local governing body: Ketchikan Gateway Borough
Consideration: On DOR’s delinquency list for December 2025. Licensee is on probation until 2/1/26 under an adopted agreement related to delinquency of taxes due to DOR in the past.

Licensee Mike Keiser present on zoom stated the balance had been paid in full. Chair Bailey Stuart noted that the licensee has not violated the probation terms as the delinquency did not occur in two consecutive months. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve renewal application for License #11957 dba Last Frontier Joint Operations with delegation, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

4. **License 31690:** **North Coast Cultivation** **TAB 34**
 Licensee: North Coast Cultivation
 Designated Licensee: Karen Gorton



License type: Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
Local governing body: Matanuska – Susitna Borough
Consideration: On DOR’s delinquency list consecutively since 11/2025

Attorney Jana Weltzin, present on zoom for licensee confirms that the balance has been paid and the account does not appear in the January delinquency list. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #31690 dba North Coast Cultivation with delegation, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes motion carries.

5. **License 14302:** **Sherwood’s Magical Forest** **TAB 35**
Licensee: Sherwood’s Magical Forest, LLC
Designated Licensee: Jesse Sherwood
License type: Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
Local governing body: City of Kachemak/Kenai Peninsula Borough
Consideration: On DOR’s delinquency list for December 2025.

Attorney Jana Weltzin, present on zoom for licensee confirms that the balance has been paid and the account does not appear in the January delinquency list. Lacy Wilcox motions to approve License #14302 dba Sherwood’s Magical Forest with delegation, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes motion carries.

***The Board continues with Tab 24 Aurora Blüm**

5. **License 32685:** **Aurora Blüm** **TAB 24**
Licensee: Blüm, LLC
Designated Licensee: Laura Cameron
License type: Marijuana Product Manufacturing Facility
Local governing body: Municipality of Anchorage
Consideration: Conditional protest from local government pending certification of passed inspection by Land Use Enforcement

There is a discussion on the conditional protest from the Municipality of Anchorage related to land use inspection/certification. Lacy Wilcox motions to table the renewal application for License #32685 Aurora Blüm, Dr. Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

5:12 pm the Board resumes Tab 24

Licensee Laura Cameron is present on zoom reports that she had a walk through with the Municipality of Anchorage and company badges have been corrected, and night vision camera requirement clarification is pending. Chief Investigator Joe Bankowski stated that AMCO Investigators have been attempting to do a reinspection, but no one was available at the facility. Lacy Wilcox motions to deny the renewal application for License #32685 dba Aurora Blüm, with a 60 day



abeyance for Director to confirm a post inspection that video surveillance blind spots are corrected, and protest has been lifted by Municipality of Anchorage, Dr Clift seconds. All vote yes, motion carries.

Recess: February 4, 2026, at 5:36 pm

Reconvene: February 5, 2026, at 9:30 am

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

• **2025-2026 RENEWAL APPLICATIONS WITH RESIDENCY EXCEPTION REQUEST**

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| 1. | License 14099:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration: | Frosty Flower
Frosty Enterprises, LLC
James Sullivan
Limited Marijuana Cultivation Facility
Matanuska - Susitna Borough
Residency Verification for James Sullivan | <u>TAB 36</u> |
| 2. | License 23455:
Licensee:
Designated Licensee:
License type:
Local governing body:
Consideration: | Hatcher’s Grass
Hatcher’s Enterprise, LLC
James Sullivan
Retail Marijuana Store
Matanuska – Susitna Borough
Residency Verification for James Sullivan | |

Chair Bailey Stuart announced her recusal from Agenda Tab 36 due to a potential conflict under the Executive Branch Ethics Act. Vice Chair Ely Cyrus assumed chair for this item.

Attorney Jana Weltzin and Licensee James Sullivan were present on zoom.

James Sullivan provided testimony regarding his request for a residency exemption, stating he is temporarily out of state caring for an ill family member and that his timeline for returning permanently to Alaska is undetermined.

Lt. Jamie expresses concern for his absence from the state. Licensee stated that his manager is overseeing daily operations of the business during his absence.



Lacy Wilcox motions to approve renewal application for License #14099 and #23455 with an amended delegation to include an Ownership Change Application to add the Manager as a 0% licensee/ responsible party. Dr. Clift seconds.

Lt. Jamie – No

Dr. Clift – Yes

Lacy Wilcox – Yes

Vice Chair Ely Cyrus – Yes

Chair Bailey Stuart – Recused (abstain)

Motion Passes 3-1, with 1 abstention

Chair Bailey Stuart resumes her role as Chair. Lacy Wilcox recuses herself from consideration of Tab 37 and joined her counsel as part of the licensee’s representation.

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| <p>3. License 10270:
 Licensee:
 Designated Licensee:
 License type:
 Local governing body:
 Consideration:</p> | <p>Top Hat
 Top Hat, Inc.
 Lacy Wilcox
 Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
 City and Borough of Juneau
 Residency Verification for Naomi Hamb</p> | <p><u>TAB 37</u></p> |
| <p>4. License 10271:
 Licensee:
 Designated Licensee:
 License type:
 Local governing body:
 Consideration:</p> | <p>Top Hat Concentrates
 Top Hat Concentrates, Inc.
 Lacy Wilcox
 Marijuana Concentrate Manufacturing Facility
 City and Borough of Juneau
 Residency Verification for Naomi Hamb</p> | |

Attorney Jana Weltzin was present on zoom; Lacy Wilcox was present in person on behalf of the licensee. Lacy Wilcox stated that Naomi Hamb minority shareholder with less than 15% ownership and she has left Alaska in November 2024 with the intention to return. Lacy Wilcox further stated that they plan to remove Naomi Hamb from the license during the upcoming renewal cycle and add her back upon return. Naomi Hamb will continue to act as an advisory for the license. Lt. Jamie stated that this is a reasonable solution to address the residency issue. Dr. Clift motions to approve the Renewal Application for License #10270 and #10271 and amends the motion to include delegation. Lt. Jamie seconds. The delegation includes filing an ownership change with the renewal to remove Naomi Hamb as a licensee. Chair Bailey Stuart calls the question.

Lt. Jamie – Yes

Vice Chair Ely Cyrus- Yes

Dr. Clift – Yes

Chair Bailey Stuart – Yes

Lacy Wilcox – Recused (abstain)

Motion Passes 3-1, with 1 abstention



• **OBJECTION OF A TRANSFER APPLICATION**

1. **Licensee: Green Life Supply, LLC**

TAB 38

License #10958

License Type:
Premises Address:
Local Governments:

Green Life Supply LLC

Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility
511 30th Avenue Fairbanks, AK
City of Fairbanks/Fairbanks North Star Borough

License #11927

License Type:
Premises Address:
Local Governments:

Green Life Supply LLC

Retail Marijuana Store
511 30th Avenue Fairbanks, AK 99701
City of Fairbanks/Fairbanks North Star Borough

Background: from the December 2025 meeting in Anchorage, Alaska. Lacy Wilcox moves to approve the transfer applications for License #10958 and #11927 with delegation. Dr. Clift seconds. Attorney Jason Brandies, present in person, appears on behalf of the licensee. Dayton McCallum is present on Zoom. Attorney Brandies provides an overview of the licenses and the lack of a required signature. Attorney Brian Duffy and licensee Jameson Johnson are also present on Zoom. Lacy Wilcox rescinds her initial motion. Lacy Wilcox then moves to approve the transfer applications for License #10958 and #11927 with a 60-day abeyance, during which staff will attempt to contact the personal representative upon release of objection. After 60 days, if no objection is received, the applications may be deemed complete. If contact is made with the personal representative, the matter will be brought back before the Board. Dr. Clift seconds. **Vote:** Dr. Clift – Yes, Lacy Wilcox – Yes, Chair Bailey Stuart – Yes. **Motion carried.** Lt. Jaime and Vice Chair Ely Cyrus were not present to vote.

Attorney Jason Brandeis, for Licensee Dayton McCallum and Attorney Brian Duffy for Licensee Jameson Johnson are both present on zoom. No representative appeared on behalf of Samantha Davis; written communication from her legal counsel requesting additional time to resolve this matter privately. Chair Bailey Stuart provided background from the last meeting. An objection was received from the estate of Nathan Davis. Jane Sawyer confirms that multiple attempts were made to contact the personal representative and had been notified of the meeting.

Attorney Jason Brandeis stated the license remains operational. Following the death of Nathan Davis death, the estate retains only a financial interest, while Dayton McCallum and Jameson Johnson hold 10% ownership and equal voting authority. The operating agreement provided allows removal of



ineligible members and provides a valuation of buyout for a deceased member's interest. Attorney Brian Duffy clarified that the estate's interest would become a financial obligation, with resolution through civil matters outside the board's jurisdiction.

Attorney Andrew Boanumenth for Board counsel advised that the approval of the transfer would not impact on any ongoing enforcement action, and the estate may pursue remedies through Office of Administrative hearings or civil court.

Dr. Clift moved to approve the transfer application for License #10958 and #11927 with delegation to the Local Government, Lacy Wilcox seconds.

*Lt. Jamie – Yes
Vice Chair Ely Cyrus- No
Dr. Clift – Yes
Chair Bailey Stuart – Yes
Lacy Wilcox – Yes
Motion Passes 4-1*

- Admin Order 360 - Item section moved to the end of the agenda
- LEGISLATIVE ITEMS

Chair Bailey Stuart noted there are several bills under consideration. HB91 relating to a proposed marijuana sales tax. SB73 and HB94 propose reductions to the Marijuana excise tax and currently in respective finance committees.

- BOARD REQUESTS

Chair Bailey Stuart requested a resolution recognizing and thanking Lieutenant Jamie for his service on the Marijuana Control Board, highlighting his professionalism, public safety perspective, and willingness to engage with the cannabis industry. There was no objection, and the Board agreed to draft a letter and resolution. Lieutenant Jamie thanked the Board, staff, and industry members, noting the experience had been valuable and that he learned significantly from all involved.

Chair Bailey Stuart raised concerns regarding a METRC time discrepancy affecting reporting and potentially resulting in penalties and interest for licensees. Director Kevin Richard confirmed METRC is aware and working toward a resolution. Lacy Wilcox discussed the impact on licensees and drafting a letter to the Department of Revenue in support of affected licensees.



Chair Bailey Stuart directed that all advisories issued to licensees be posted on the AMCO website. The Chair further stated that administrative holds or actions should be publicly posted when they involve public health and safety concerns, to ensure transparency and public awareness.

Chair Bailey Stuart emphasized the need for clearer guidance regarding Board expectations, including holding licensees accountable for violations. Specific concerns were raised regarding untagged cannabis plants, with the Chair expressing that:

- *Completely untagged or untracked plants should be treated as egregious violations;*
- *A probation period of up to three years may be appropriate for the most severe violations;*
- *Lesser violations, such as improperly tagged plants, may warrant shorter probation periods.*

Lt. Jamie expresses concern about inconsistencies in stipulated agreements and requested for additional explanation and detail regarding how penalties are determined.

Agency Attorney Andrew Bocanumenth explained that stipulated agreements are developed on a case specific factor, including licensee response , corrective actions, and intent.

Director Kevin Richard indicated that if the board prefers greater involvement in determining penalties, matters could be brought before the board rather than resolved through stipulated agreements. Although it may increase time and administrative burden.

Lacy Wilcox reflected on prior enforcement action approaches under former Directors noting a period of compliance focused, “community policing” practices that emphasized warnings and collaboration with industry. Lacy Wilcox expressed concern about having to directly call out noncompliant operators and emphasized the importance of AMCO taking a more proactive enforcement role.

*Break at 11:20am
Reconvene: 11:30am*

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- *Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, present in person*
- *Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, present on zoom*
- *Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, present in person*
- *Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, present in person*
- *Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, present in person*



Lacy Wilcox further clarifies that minor violations like odor issues should be addressed primarily through warnings or low level NOV's and Plant Tagging and inventory tracking failures warrant stronger enforcement actions including maximum penalty NOV's or formal accusations.

Vice Chair Ely Cyrus emphasized the importance of intent in enforcement decisions arguing against purely punitive approach. Noted that not all violations indicate bad actors and that context should guide outcomes. He emphasized trust in staff's impartiality and recommended structured attorney input to streamline review of stipulated agreements.

Chief Investigator Joe Bankowski seeks clarification on summary suspension. Chair Bailey Stuart should be applied probable cause indicates product diversion or immediate public health risk. Administrative hold for untagged plants where no diversion is evident; allows continued care while inventory is corrected and verified.

*Break at 12:06pm
Reconvene: 1:01pm*

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, *present in person*
- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
- Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
- Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
- Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*

- MARIJUANA MAILBOX

TAB 39

- All correspondence received in the Board's inbox from **November 22, 2025- January 23, 2026**

Chair Bailey Stuart acknowledged and appreciated input from public and licensees, noting that contributions help inform pre-meeting deliberations.

Chair Bailey Stuart appreciates Greg from Nome Grown inversion issues undermining industry safety. Concerns on drive up exterior windows have been noted.

Board committed to public, health, and safety, and fair commerce.



- **AO360 – 2:33:24**

Director Kevin Richard presented an overview of the first phase of AO360, focusing on regulatory reform to reduce unnecessary requirements while maintaining public safety. The board began a line by line review of public comments and agreed to address the matters that the board can reasonably address through regulations.

The board will be adopting a regulation change for the below:

- *3 AAC 306.310(b)(4) –warrants further review and clarification*
- *3 AAC 306.570 – Priority 2 – mainitainig public health and safety, but acknowledges potentail cost and space savings- needs further discussion and review*
- *3 AAC 306.460 – Priority 2 - Remove MJ26 requirement*
- *3 AAC 306.455 – consider for reduction to allow flexibility in packaging and operational limits, should be a buisness decision*
- *3 AAC 306.550 –clarification is needed and supports further review to improve consistency and regulatory guidance*
- *3 AAC 306.310 – Lacy Wilcox moves to add 3 AAC 306.310 to the AO 360 review, Dr. Clift seconds. Lt. Jamie – No, Vice Chair Ely Cyrus- Yes, Dr. Clift- Yes, Lacy Wilcox- Yes, and Chair Bailey Stuart – Yes. Motion passes to be further evlauated in AO360 regulatory process*
- *3 AAC 306 370 (b)(2) & 306.810 - For further evaluating for clarity, enforceability, and potential revision.*
- *3 AAC 306.060 & 306.065 – redundant paperwork, reduces administative burdensome but needs further review to determine appropriate regulatory adjustments*
- *3 AAC 306.750 – Increase flexibility, and to evaluate and potentially revise transporation regulations to improve feasibility while preserving accountability measures.*
- *3 AAC 306.300 & 3 AAC 306.405 – Streamline the renewal attestation form and consider allowing majority of ownership to sign renewal documents to simplify process.*
- *3 AAC 306.405 – allow director to waive on site inspections, further define a majority share holder licensee*
- *Consider revising or removing the concentrate and edible purchase limits , not grounded in statute or for public safety*
- *Standardize sample size regardless of batch size, requires lab group input*
- *All Facility types to transfer product to all other facility types*
- *3 AAC 306.645 (b) (2)Microbial testing (Pathogens) , under review with laboratory working group*
- *3AAC 306.380 Simplify language, drive through and exterior window should not impose age limits*



- *Standardize universal labeling for all packaging and labeling requirements- working group under review*
- *Failed product remain in metric tracking for 10 day post license surrendered, revoked, or denied, destruction must be witnessed by staff member*
- *Standardize all references to THC and Total THC for clarification*
- *Require labs to report suspicious samples; submit original bio mass and full flower form for testing to prevent manipulation*
- *Terpene testing mandatory*
- *3 AAC 306.005 (a) replace the word may with shall*
- *3 AAC 306.020 (b) (5) (B) – clarify and strengthen language to explicitly require compliance with all applicable state laws and regulations*
- *3 AAC 306.080 (d) (1) – Amend language to allow denial for any cause listed in both sections A and B. Ensure denial criteria are aligned with board intent.*
- *3 AAC 306.100 (g) – Remove whole section, rarely ever used*
- *3 AAC 306.310 (b) (1) – doesn't serve public health or safety issue*
- *3 AAC 306.025 (a) – covered in statute 17.38 (a) (2)*
- *3 AAC 306.712 (b) – for discussion*
- *3 AAC 306.325 (b) – this change is conditional and coincides with minors on premises regulation*
- *3 AAC 306.325 (d) – strike through wording; remove product display and sample jars; no clear public health or safety concern; theft not a significant issue*
- *3 AAC 306.345 (a) (3)- strike through wording; removing redundant term "marijuana" and child resistant design ; clarify packaging language without reducing safety standard*
- *3 AAC 306.345 (b) (2) – clarify and standardize total THC language in all regulations*
- *3 AAC 306.355 (a) (2) (3) – Revisit limits, rarely reached and not clearly tied to public health and safety*
- *3 AAC 306.365 – Repeal ; signs are rarely read by consumers*
- *3 AAC 306.370 (b) – (1) (2) (3) – reduce regulations and reference limit sold; redundancy and improves consistency*
- *3 AAC 306.380 (e) –striking wording e to focus on purchasing consumer, not all occupants*
- *3 AAC 306.405 (a) (7)- repeal under (a) paragraph (7); in house testing not utilized*
- *3 AAC 306.430 (a), (c) (2),*

*Break at 2:50pm
Reconvene: 3:01pm*

Chair Bailey Stuart calls roll:

- *Bailey Stuart, Chair – Industry, present in person*



- Ely Cyrus, Vice Chair – Rural, *present on zoom*
 - Christopher Jaime – Public Safety, *present in person*
 - Lacy Wilcox – Public Member, *present in person*
 - Dr. Brück Clift – Public Health, *present in person*
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- 3 AAC 306.430 (a), (c) (2), - *A is conditional; (c) (2) needs discussion- conditional with 306.710 with the 21 year requirement*
 - 3 AAC 306.435 (a)(2)(b) – *repeal; 10 pound package limit*
 - 3 AAC 306.455 (b) (1) – *clarify definition on “representative sample of whole flower from”*
 - 3 AAC 306.460 (a) – *not utilized*
 - 3 AAC 306.460 (b) (2) – *remove should be a business practice, strictly marketing*
 - 3 AAC 306.460 (c) - *repeal c*
 - 3 AAC 306.460 (d) (1) (5) (6) – *review all samples regulations*
 - 3 AAC 306.465 (a) – *add marijuana*
 - 3 AAC 306.470 (a) (1) (B) (2) (a) – *already addressed 10 pound limit*
 - 3 AAC 306.470 (d) (2) – *repeal (d) (2); already addressed*
 - 3 AAC 306.475 (b) (1) - *fix to the packaging, and test results adding upon request*
 - 3 AAC 306.475 (d) (4) – *rarely used, review all regulations under 475*
 - *Article 5 – reference total THC in any reference of THC*
 - 3 AAC 306-500- *reference total THC in any reference of THC*
 - 3 AAC 306.505 - *repeal (a) (11); unnecessary regulation; can be tested if needed*
 - 3 AAC 306.510- *strike wording (a) (4) (c) for bright color needs more review*
 - 3 AAC 306.520 (1) (B) (i) – *all in surveillance and restricted access*
 - 3 AAC 306.560 (1) (2) – *Total THC*
 - 3 AAC 306.565 (c) – *repeal c – does not deal with public health and safety*
 - 3 AAC 306.570 (d) – *remove Shall affix a label*
 - 3 AAC 306.620 (a) (1) – *add delta 10 and delta 8*
 - 3 AAC 306.635 (a) (3) – *strike wording at (a) (3)*
 - 3 AAC 306.645 (b) (1) (A) (b) (iii) – *strike wording, include isomers?*
 - *Article 700 – add random sampling for all licenses and add to article 700*
 - 3 AAC 306.700 (b) – *repeal B*
 - 3 AAC 306.700 (c) – *strike wording in 9 (c)*
 - 3 AAC 306.701 – *remove courses and licensees be tied the courses*
 - 3 AAC 306.710 (b) – *strike wording in (b), limit of visitors should be a business decision*
 - 3 AAC 306.715 (c) (1)(3)(4) – *add or inversion; repeal (c) (3) (4)*
 - 3 AAC 306.735 (b) (1-9) – *needs to reference DEC regulations by statute*
 - 3 AAC 306.740 (b) (1) (3) – *(3) duplicative, (c) (2)*
 - 3 AAC 306.750 (f) – *repeal (f) ; all available in metr*



- 3 AAC 306.770 (g) – aligned with alcohol
- 3 AAC 306.770 (i) (j) – needs review
- 3 AAC 306.990 (a) (4) – Needs correction, aligned with total THC

Lacy Wilcox requests a change in 3 AAC 306.040 so that a controlling interest transfer can be managed internally by ownership to have flexibility without regulatory burden.

Chair Bailey Stuart proposes a 90 day deadline to correct deficiencies in a renewal application.

3AAC 306.010 – License restrictions -The board discusses a proposal to amend regulation 3 AAC 306.010 (a) to reduce the minimum distance between a license marijuana establishment and a school, church, or similar facility from 500 feet to 200 feet. Lt. Jamie emphasized the concern for rural Alaska communities limited available space but cautioned the distance standards exist for alcohol establishments and should not be reduced without sufficient justification.

Ely Cyrus noted that marijuana odor can travel and create impacts absent with alcohol establishments.

Ms. Lacy Wilcox acknowledges odor concerns but highlighted the industry's interest in fair and consistent treatment with other regulated industries seeking regulatory approaches that balance community concerns with reducing unnecessary barriers.

Dr. Clift agrees that alcohol is more harmful than marijuana and stated that odor is primarily an aesthetic concern, rather than a significant health impact.

Vote on proposed to amendment to 3 AAC 306.010 (a) to reduce the setback distance from 500 feet to 200 feet. Lt. Jamie – No, Vice Chair Ely Cyrus – No, Dr. Clift – Yes, Lacy Wilcox – Yes, Chair Bailey Stuart – No. Motion does not pass.

- 3 AAC 306.020 (b) (8) – not utilized
- 3 AAC 306.025 (b) (2) (h) – with an exception for Rural Alaska
- 3 AAC 306.035 (c) (4)- Remove (c) (4)
- 3 AAC 306.060 (a) – Amend May to shall
- 3 AAC 306.075 (b) – remove B for posting agenda
- 3 AAC 306.080 (a) – not utilized; redundant
- 3 AAC 306.085 (a) – reduction in regulation
- 3 AAC 306.090 (a) – reduction in regulation
- 3 AAC 306.095 (a) – duplicative



- 3 AAC 306.100 (g) – already in review ; not being utilized

Lacy Wilcox steps out at 4:48 pm, Lacy Wilcox returns at 4:51 pm

- 3 AAC 306.300 (a) – redundant and not needed
- 3 AAC 306.305 (a) (4) – for review
- 3 AAC 306.305 (a) (4) – already addressed
- 3 AAC 306.320, 3AAC 306.425, 3AAC 306.530, 3AAC 306.622. 3AAC 306.700 – if a handler permit is required to consolidate in article 700
- 3 AAC 306.335, 3AAC 306.440, 306.545, Article 7, 306.735 – consolidate in article 700
- 3 AAC 306.335- Redundancy in regulations – consolidate in article 700
- 3 AAC 306.345 (a) -already in review - consolidate in article 700
- 3 AAC 306.350 (a)- wording removed at (b) line 44; redundant and not needed
- 3 AAC 306.355 (a) (3) – needs to be reviewed; already addressed
- 3 AAC 306.380 (e) - Amend section E to remove wording and add working on age of driver
- 3 AAC 306.380 (i) – consolidate .405 and .410; reduction
- 3 AAC 306.405 (a) (5) (6) – remove wording at (a) (5) . (a) (6) remove unnecessary word
- 3 AAC 306.420 (2) – Reduction
- 3 AAC 306.435 (a) (2) (b) and 3 AAC 306.445 (c) –reduction in 10 packaging throughout regulations
- 3 AAC 306.465 – replacing the table with a formula
- 3 AAC 306.470 –Packaging and labeling of marijuana is the responsibility of retailer to the consumer
- 3 AAC 306.475- Packaging ; consolidate language
- 3 AAC 306.480 – Remove wording on samples, unnecessary language
- 3 AAC 306.505 (a) (9)- store inventory in restricted access area; can consolidate to 700
- 3 AAC 306.315 – discussion on manufacturing facilities selling pre-roll, under the definition for clarification
- 3 AAC 306.520, 306.315, 306.420, 306.6150 – application for every time with similar requirements for the operating plan supplemental
- 3 AAC 306.525 – packaging and labeling, making changes to a packaging a regulatory requirement i.e. new product packaging
- Product Catalog that contains all the products
- 3 AAC 306.535 – restricted access and storage area to consolidate into article 700
- 3 AAC 306.550, 306.455 – consolidation of where laboratory testing exists
- 3 AAC 306.557, 306.460 (d)- consolidation of requirement and simplifying Article 7
- 3 AAC 306.560 – Replace active THC with total THC, remove references to delta 9
- 3 AAC 306.600 (a) (b) –amend and remove entire (b)
- 3 AAC 306.670 – require labs to upload COA to metrc



- 3 AAC 306.700 – review handler permits in total
- 3 AAC 306.700 (c) – physical handler cards needed, discussion on digital handler cards
- 3 AAC 306.700 (f) – denial of a handler permit, for a revoked permit
- 3 AAC 306.710 (b) – Remove visitors allowed
- 3 AAC 306.712 (a) – Remove age limit
- 3 AAC 306.715 (c) (1) (e) – add word inversion
- 3 AAC 306.720 (f) – the word monitoring versus recorded
- 3 AAC 306.730 – clean up language to all Marijuana and Marijuana products
- 3 AAC 306.801 (b) (2) and 306.755 (b) – to make language universal
- 3 AAC 306.809 (a) (3) (b) – reduce to 5 years, consistent with criminal background checks to make it 7 years
- 3 AAC 306.910 -is this in statute; redundant
- 3 AAC 306.935 (c)
- 3 AAC 306.935 (d) – reduction of agenda being posted

Director Kevin Richard proposes to have Product Catalog due in renewal period by licensees

Lacy Wilcox requests for renewal application to include wording that would include words of interest in other licenses owned.

Lacy Wilcox requests engagement with Department of Revenue to seek a solution on the wet weight packs /Rosin issue. Suggests making a definition for Rosin in regulations and urge Department of Revenue to create another tier that clarifies wet weight ratio.

- BOARD COMMENTS

Vice Chair Ely Cyrus – Thanks Lt. Jamie for the time he put into the board and appreciative his perspective

Dr. Clift – encouraged awareness of potential federal marijuana rescheduling and its implications for the state, including possible improvements to financial access for cannabis businesses.

Chair Bailey Stuart : Thanked Lt. Jamie for his contributions and reminds the public of the February 9th, 2026, meeting on Monday to continue the AO360 reform plan.

- NEXT MARIJUANA CONTROL BOARD MEETING
 - **April 15-16, 2026, in Nome, Alaska**

- ADJOURNMENT

Lacy Wilcox motion to adjourn., Dr. Clift seconds. Adjourned at 5:37 pm .



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