



## MEMORANDUM

TO: Marijuana Control Board                      DATE: October 16, 2018  
FROM: Erika McConnell, Director                RE: Suilnua #11664

The board originally approved this new standard marijuana cultivation facility license with delegation at the May 2017 board meeting, and then rescinded its prior approval and upheld the Matanuska-Susitna Borough's protest with a 120-day abeyance when it was brought back before the board at the June 2018 meeting.

Work on the applicant's Conditional Use Permit has been delayed due to the Matanuska-Susitna Borough's computer system being hacked. As a result, the applicant is unable to have the protest lifted within the original abeyance period, which ends on October 24, 2018. The applicant is requesting an extension of the abeyance period until January 31, 2019.

I recommend that the board rescind its previous action to uphold the protest with a 120-day abeyance, then uphold the Matanuska-Susitna Borough's protest with an abeyance period ending on February 1, 2019.



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**Re: Suilnua, LLC  
Standard Marijuana Cultivation Facility  
License 11664**

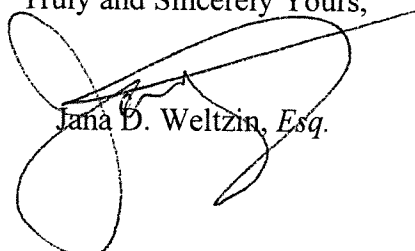
Dear Director McConnell and AMCO Team:

I am writing on behalf of Suilnua cultivation license number 11664 to request an extension of time of the deadline of October 24, 2018 for the Mat-Su Borough to lift its protest.

All the protest items on the Borough's June 1, 2017 letter have been completed and submitted to the Borough, with the exception of receiving an approved Conditional Use Permit. Suilnua is waiting for response from the Borough as to the Conditional Use Permit (CUP), which was submitted to the Borough on May 21, 2018, the applicants and the Borough have been communicating back and forth on outstanding items relating to the CUP. The CUP application was not submitted till May of 2018 due to some platting actions that needed to occur due to the parcel size and shape and set back requirements for cultivation facilities – these items have been dealt with and are no longer of issue. The CUP is now under review and in progress but not yet scheduled for a hearing and not yet approved. Adam Boyd with Suilnua has had contact with Mark Whisenhunt at the Borough Planning Department in August and September 2018.

The extension to January 31, 2019 is requested for the CUP approval from the Borough. As you are aware, in July the Borough's network was penetrated by hackers and caused a catastrophic shutdown of their computer system, which they are still in the process of recovering, which we believe has contributed to the delay in review and processing of the CUP. Thank you for your consideration.

Truly and Sincerely Yours,



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