

**TOWNSHIP OF STANNARD
COUNTY OF ONTONAGON, STATE OF MICHIGAN**

ORDINANCE NO. 102

ADOPTED: February 11, 2019

EFFECTIVE: 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION

PROHIBITION OF RECREATIONAL MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS ORDINANCE

An ordinance to provide a title for the ordinance; to define words; to prohibit marihuana establishments within the boundaries of Stannard Township pursuant to Initiated Law 1 of 2018, MCL 333.27951 et seq., as may be amended; to provide penalties for violation of this ordinance; to provide for severability; to repeal all ordinances or parts or ordinances in conflict therewith; and to provide an effective date.

**THE TOWNSHIP OF STANNARD
ONTONAGON COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

ORDAINS:

**SECTION I
TITLE**

This ordinance shall be known as and may be cited as the Stannard Township Prohibition of Marihuana Establishments Ordinance.

**SECTION II
DEFINITIONS**

Words used herein shall have the definitions as provided for in Initiated Law 1 of 2018, MCL 333.27951 et seq., as may be amended.

**SECTION III
NO MARIHUANA ESTABLISHMENTS**

Stannard Township hereby prohibits all marihuana establishments within the boundaries of the Township pursuant to Initiated Law 1 of 2018, MCL 333.27951 et seq., as may be amended.

**SECTION IV
VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES**

1. Any person who disobeys, neglects or refuses to comply with any provision of this ordinance or who causes, allows or consents to any of the same shall be deemed to be responsible for the violation of this ordinance. A violation of this ordinance is deemed to be a nuisance per se.

2. A violation of this ordinance is a municipal civil infraction, for which the fines shall not be less than \$100.00 nor more than \$500.00, in the discretion of the Court. The foregoing sanctions shall be in addition to the rights of the Township to proceed at law or equity with other appropriate and proper remedies. Additionally, the violator shall pay costs which may include all expenses, direct and indirect, which the Township incurs in connection with the municipal civil infraction.
3. Each day during which any violation continues shall be deemed a separate offense.
4. In addition, the Township may seek injunctive relief against persons alleged to be in violation of this ordinance, and such other relief as may be provided by law.
5. This ordinance shall be administered and enforced by the Ordinance Enforcement Officer of the Township or by such person(s) as designated by the Township Board from time to time.

SECTION V
SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable. If any clause, sentence, word, section is hereafter declared void or unenforceable for any reason by the court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect the remainder of such ordinance which shall continue in full force and effect.

SECTION VI
REPEAL

All ordinance or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

SECTION VII
EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after publication

Karen Mayle, Clerk
Stannard Township

CLERK'S CERTIFICATE

I, Karen Mayle, Township Clerk of the Township of Stannard, Ontonagon County, Michigan, certify that at a regular meeting of the Stannard Township Board held on the 11th day of February, at 6:30 p.m. at the Township Hall, located at 14927 M-28 E, Bruce Crossing, MI 49912, upon motion by Wilfred Wing and support from Kirk Schott, the Board enacted and passed Ordinance No. 102, hereinbefore recorded, to become effective thirty (30) days following publication after adoption, and that the members of the Board present at said meeting voted on the adoption of said Ordinance No. 102, as follows:

William Andrus – Yes

Diane Fry - Yes

Karen Mayle – Yes

Wilfred Wing – Yes

Kirk Schott – Yes

I do further certify that in accordance with Township Board direction, the Notice of Ordinance Adoption was published in the Daily Globe, a newspaper printed in Gogebic County, Michigan and circulated in Stannard Township on the 13th day of February, 2019; including where the same could be examined or purchased and that said Ordinance No. 102 was recorded in this Ordinance Book on the 13th day of February, 2019.

Dated: February 13, 2019

Karen Mayle
Karen Mayle, Clerk

ATTEST:

William Andrus
William Andrus, Supervisor