



CANNABIS CONTROL COMMISSION
Public Meeting

August 23rd, 2018

Massachusetts Gaming Commission
101 Federal St., 12th Floor
Boston, MA 02110

1:00PM

Agenda

- 1) Call to Order
- 2) Chairman's Comments & Updates
- 3) Approval Minutes from Previous Meeting
- 4) Executive Director's Report
 - a. Staffing
 - b. License Applications
 - c. Medical Marijuana Update
- 5) Commission Discussion and Votes
 - a. Host Community Agreements

Agenda Continued

- 6) Staff Recommendations on Completed License Applications
 - a. CDX Analytics, LLC (# ILN281275), Independent Testing Laboratory
 - b. MCR Labs, LLC (# ILN281278), Independent Testing Laboratory
 - c. Alternative Therapies Group, Inc. (# MRN281255), Retailer
 - d. Cultivate Holdings, LLC (# MPN281305), Product Manufacturer
 - e. Northeast Alternatives, Inc. (# MRN281314), Retailer

- 7) New Business that the Chairman did not anticipate at time of posting

- 8) Next Meeting Date

Approval of Minutes from Previous Meetings

- August 9, 2018

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- 2,431 Total Applications
- 248 Pending (At least 1 Part of Application)
- 129 Withdrawn
- 2,035 Incomplete
- 19 Provisional Licenses

The totals are distinct license numbers that have submitted at least one of the packets related to getting a license (App of Intent, Background, Management/Ops, Payment)

Type	#
Craft Marijuana Cooperative	2
Independent Testing Laboratory	4
Laboratory Agent	2
Marijuana Cultivator	53
Marijuana Establishment Agent	74
Marijuana Microbusiness	9
Marijuana Product Manufacturer	31
Marijuana Research Facility	3
Marijuana Retailer	61
Marijuana Transporter with Other Existing ME License	3
Third Party Transporter	7
Total	248

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112 Applications Under Review

The totals below are distinct license numbers that have submitted all required packets.

Type	#	+/-
Independent Testing Laboratory	3	+1
Marijuana Cultivator	39	+6
Marijuana Microbusiness	3	
Marijuana Product Manufacturer	29	+5
Marijuana Research Facility	3	
Marijuana Retailer	33	+5
Marijuana Transporter with Other Existing ME License	2	
Total	112	+17

RMD Priority: 69
Economic Empowerment Priority: 3
General Applicant: 40

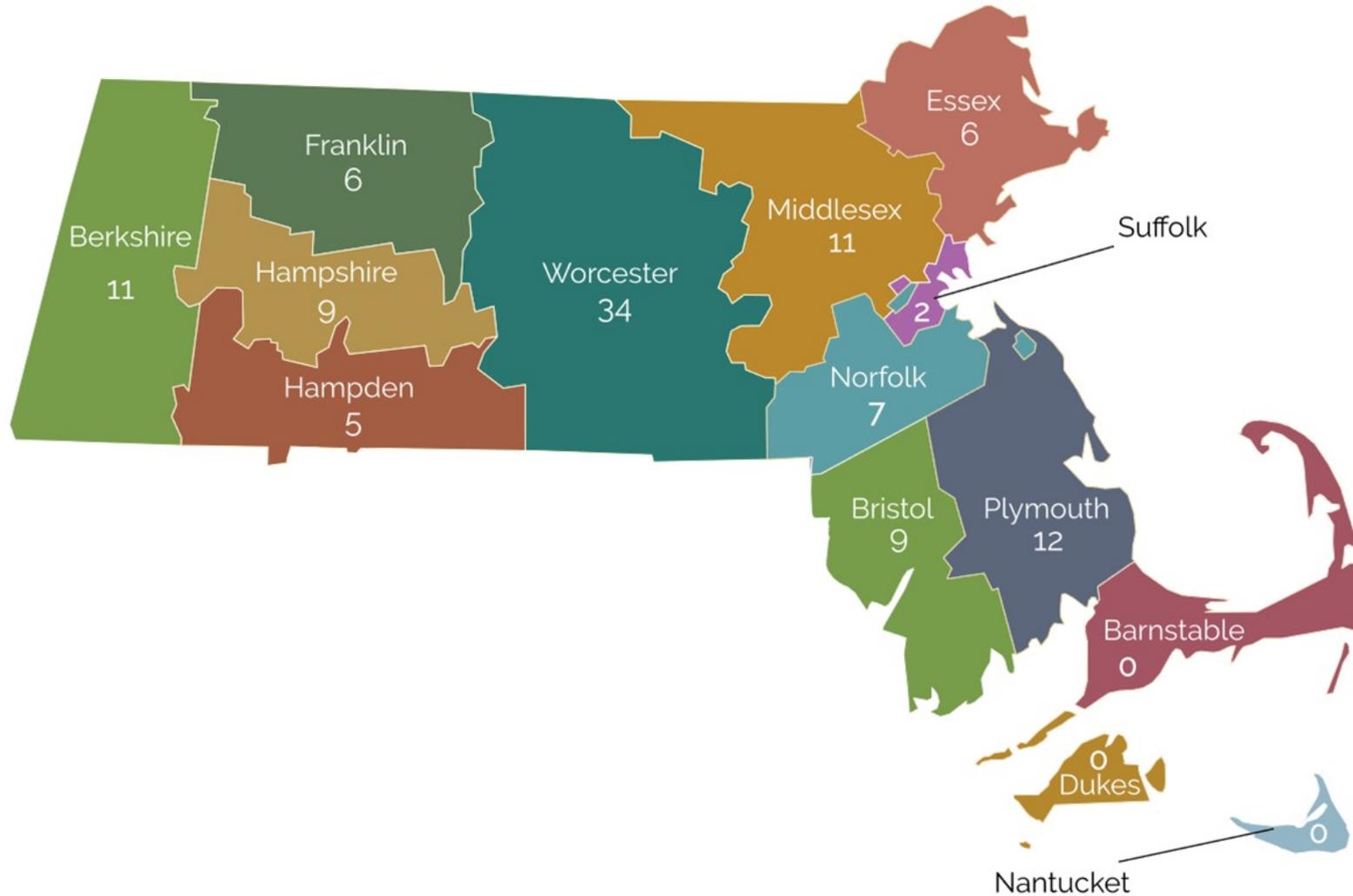
The 112 applications represent 60 separate entities.

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Status	#
Application Submitted: Awaiting Review	27
Application Reviewed: More Information Requested	34
Application Deemed Complete: Awaiting 3 rd Party Responses	27
All Information Received: Awaiting Staff Recommendation	5
Applications Considered by Commission	19
Total	112



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Medical Marijuana: Regulatory Timeline

September 6:

- Draft regulations presented to Commission
- Public comment period opens

October 29:

- Public hearings
- Public comment period closes

November 1:

- Commission discussion on public comments

On/before
November 30:

- Commission to vote on final regulations

Commission Discussion

- Host Community Agreements

Overview: HCA Review in Inspection

Train

- Inspectors would require training on reviewing HCAs as key elements of compliance or non-compliance may not be clear in reading the plain text of contract

Inspect

- One hour to review HCA during inspection is anticipated

Extract

- Inspectors would extract critical information from HCAs and include as part of inspection report

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Next Public Commission Meeting

Thursday, September 6th, 2018
1:00 PM

MA Health Policy Commission
50 Milk Street, 8th Floor
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