

# Capeway Cannabis, LLC

MRN282446

### **APPLICATION OF INTENT REVIEW**

1. Name and address of the proposed Marijuana Establishment:

Capeway Cannabis, LLC 307 Tremont Street, Carver, MA 02330

2. Type of license sought (if cultivation, its tier level and outside/inside operation) and information regarding the application submission:

Retail

The application was reopened five (5) times for additional information.

3. The applicant is a licensee or applicant for other Marijuana Establishment and/or Medical Marijuana Treatment Center license(s):

The applicant is not an applicant or licensee for any other license type.

4. List of all required individuals and their roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

Individual	Role
Michelle Hough	Person Having Direct/Indirect Control /
	Capital Contributor
Lori Hough	Person Having Direct/Indirect Control /
	Capital Contributor
Steven Hough	Person Having Direct/Indirect Control

5. List of all required entities and their roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

Entity	Role
Prescient Thinking, LLC	Capital Contributor

6. Applicant's priority status:

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General Applicant

- 7. The applicant and municipality executed a Host Community Agreement on November 17, 2020.
- 8. The applicant conducted a community outreach meeting on July 1, 2021 and provided documentation demonstrating compliance with Commission regulations.
- 9. The Commission received a municipal response from the City/Town of Carver on February 8, 2022 stating the applicant was in compliance with all local ordinances or bylaws.
- 10. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Plan to Positively Impact Disproportionately Harmed People:

#	Goal
1	Prioritize the hiring of individuals who have been adversely affected by the
	war on drugs either through past drug convictions or convictions of spouses
	or parents with a goal of hiring 20% of its employees from this cohort.
2	Partner with vendors who are Social Equity Participants and Certified
	Economic Empowerment recipients.
3	Provide support to the Bridge Church through monetary donations and
	volunteer programs.

#### **BACKGROUND CHECK REVIEW**

- 11. There were no disclosures of any past civil or criminal actions, occupational license issues, or marijuana-related business interests in other jurisdictions.
- 12. There were no concerns arising from background checks on the individuals or entities associated with the application.

## MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS PROFILE REVIEW

- 13. The applicant states that it can be operational within eight (8) months of receiving the provisional license(s).
- 14. The applicant's proposed hours of operation are the following:

Day(s)	Hours of Operation
Monday-Saturday	9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Sunday	12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.



- 15. The applicant submitted all required summaries of plans, policies, and procedures for the operation of the proposed establishment. The summaries were determined to be substantially compliant with the Commission's regulations.
- 16. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Diversity Plan:

#	Goal
1	Recruit 20% veterans, 20% LGBTQ+,10% persons with disabilities, 30%
	women and 20% minorities for its hiring initiatives.
2	Provide training to provide advancement to operation manager level with a goal
	of having candidates that are 8% veterans, 8% LGBTQ+, 8% persons with
	disabilities, 8% women and 8% minorities.

17. Plan for obtaining marijuana or marijuana products (if applicable):

The applicant will obtain marijuana or marijuana products by contracting with other licensed establishments.

#### **RECOMMENDATION**

Commission staff recommend provisional licensure with the following conditions:

- 1. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with Commission regulations.
- 2. Final license is subject to inspection to ascertain compliance with applicable state laws, local codes, ordinances or bylaws, and local licensing requirements.
- 3. The applicant shall cooperate with and provide information to Commission staff.
- 4. Provisional licensure is subject to the payment of the appropriate license fee.
- 5. Prior to performing job functions, all provisional licensees shall ensure that all current Marijuana Establishment, Medical Treatment Center, and Independent Testing Laboratory Agents involved in the handling or sale of Marijuana for adult and medical use shall have attended and successfully completed the Basic Core Curriculum of the Responsible Vendor Training Program to be designated a "Responsible Vendor" and provide a "certificate of completion" to the Commission upon request. In addition, all newly hired employees involved in the handling or sale of marijuana or marijuana products must also successfully complete the Basic Core Curriculum of the Responsible Vendor Training Program within 90 days of hire, in compliance with 935 CMR 500.105(2) or 935 CMR 501.105(2).
- 6. Final license is subject to, and upon receiving a commence operations notice, the applicant shall ensure full compliance with consumer education material requirements in accordance with 935 CMR 500.140(6), namely bullet seven (7) by adding the telephone number for the Massachusetts Substance Use Helpline.

The applicant has demonstrated compliance with the laws and regulations of the Commonwealth and suitability for licensure. Therefore, the applicant is recommended for provisional licensure.

