

## MILL TOWN AGRICULTURE, LLC MCN282596 MPN281832

#### **BACKGROUND & APPLICATION OF INTENT REVIEW**

1. Name and address of the proposed Marijuana Establishment:

Mill Town Agriculture, LLC 1 Cabot Street, Holyoke, MA 01040

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

Cultivation, Tier 1/Indoor (up to 5,000 sq. ft.) Product Manufacturing

The application was reopened once (1) 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 business roles in the Marijuana Establishment:

Individual	Role
Jason Morrissette	Executive / Officer
Michael Sobolik	Owner / Partner
Dave Sobolik	Owner / Partner

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

Entity	Role
Agricultural Alternatives, Inc.	Holding Company

6. Applicant's priority status:

General Applicant

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- 7. The applicant and municipality executed a Host Community Agreement on October 29, 2019.
- 8. The applicant conducted a community outreach meeting on December 18, 2019 and provided documentation demonstrating compliance with Commission regulations.
- 9. The Commission received a municipal response from the municipality on July 30, 2020 stating the applicant was in compliance with all local ordinances or bylaws.
- 10. The applicant proposed the following goals for its Positive Impact Plan:

#	Goal
1	Sponsor at \$6,000/year to support OneHolyoke CDC programming
2	Provide, on average, 8 hours per month of mentoring and program
	development opportunities.

#### SUITABILITY REVIEW

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Goal

- 11. There were disclosures of any past civil or criminal actions, occupational license issues, or marijuana-related business interests in other jurisdictions. None of the disclosures raised suitability issues.
- 12. There were no concerns arising from background checks on the individuals or entities associated with the application.

### MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS REVIEW

- 13. The applicant states that it can be operational within four (4) months of receiving the provisional license(s).
- 14. The applicant's proposed hours of operation are the following:

Monday – Friday: 6:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. Saturday – Sunday: 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

- 15. The applicant submitted all applicable and 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:

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1	Mill Town Agriculture's goal is to hire: 30-50% Latino Employees, 40-50%
	Women Employees, 5-10% LGBTQ+ Employees, 5-10% Veteran Employees, 0-
	10% African American Employees.

17. Summary of cultivation plan (if applicable):

The applicant submitted a cultivation plan that demonstrates the ability to comply with the Commission's regulations.

18. Summary of products to be produced and/or sold (if applicable):

#	Product
1	Wholesale Dried Flower
2	Wholesale Cannabis extracts

# **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 and local codes, ordinances, and bylaws;
- 3. Final licensure is subject to the applicant providing Commission staff, upon inspection, with a detailed list of all proposed products to be produced with specific information as to types, forms, shapes, colors, and flavors;
- 4. Final licensure is subject to the applicant ensuring that all remaining required individuals be fingerprinted pursuant to previous Commission notifications;
- 5. The applicant shall cooperate with and provide information to Commission staff; and
- 6. Provisional licensure is subject to the payment of the appropriate license fee.

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.