

ORDINANCE NO. __

**ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 13.10 OF
THE SANTA CRUZ COUNTY CODE RELATING
TO CANNABIS CULTIVATION USES**

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz ordains as follows:

SECTION I

The Santa Cruz County Code is hereby amended by adding the following definition to Section 13.10.700-C “C” definitions:

“Cannabis Cultivation” means any activity involving the planting, growing, harvesting, drying, curing, grading or trimming of cannabis, as defined in SCCC 7.128.030. This definition is limited to the use and shall not include any development activities or infrastructure associated with Cannabis Cultivation activities which may require a development permit or other approvals pursuant to other provisions of the SCCC.

SECTION II

Section 13.10.312 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following to the agricultural use chart:

USE	CA	A	AP
Cannabis Cultivation, with a Class CA license (for CA) or Class A license (for A), pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128	P	P	_____

SECTION III

Section 13.10.322 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following to the residential use chart:

USE	RA	RR	R-1	RB	RM
Cannabis Cultivation, with a Class RA license pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128	P	_____	_____	_____	_____

SECTION IV

Section 13.10.332 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following to the commercial use chart:

USE	PA	VA	CT	C-1	C-2	C-4
Cannabis Cultivation, with a Class C-4 license (for C-4) pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	P

SECTION V

Section 13.10.342 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following to the industrial use chart:

USES	M-1	M-2	M-3
Cannabis Cultivation, with a Class M license pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128	P	P	P

SECTION VI

Section 13.10.372 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following to the Timber Production (TP) use chart:

USE	PERMIT REQUIRED
Cannabis Cultivation, with a Class TP license pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128	P

SECTION VII

Section 13.10.382 of the Santa Cruz County Code shall be amended to add the following new subsection (C), and subsection (D) shall be renumbered accordingly:

(C) Cannabis Cultivation shall be a principally permitted use with a Class SU License pursuant to SCCC Chapter 7.128, and no use approval shall be required.

SECTION VIII

This ordinance shall take effect in areas outside the Coastal Zone on the 31st day after the date of final passage, and shall take effect in areas within the Coastal Zone on the 31st day

after the date of final passage, or upon certification by the Coastal Commission, whichever is later.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2017, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Cruz by the following vote:

AYES: SUPERVISORS
NOES: SUPERVISORS
ABSENT: SUPERVISORS
ABSTAIN: SUPERVISORS

Attest: _____
Clerk of the Board

Chairperson of the
Board of Supervisors

Approved as to form:

Assistant County Counsel