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Cannabis Committee Minutes 9/10/2019

- Pledge of allegiance
- Discuss meeting schedule. Will meet weekly, may reduce frequency as needed.
- Heard from Ken Fredette (lawyer representing a grower) about the fact that licensing for recreational needs to be submitted to the state, with Town permitting, but Town ordinances do not permit licensing. Potential ballot issue for 2020, but Selectmen's issue.
- Public discussion of regulation/licensing/enforcement issues. State vs local responsibilities.
- Discuss interview questions for new committee members, plan interview times.
- Brief discussion of potential revenue from medical/recreational use. Local registration/licensing fees, sales tax. Potential sliding scale for growers based on state licensing categories.
- Review of findings of Acton Commercial Marijuana Committee report ('Acton Commercial Marijuana Report, Part 1 and 2).
- Discussion of banking/financial issues with large cash-based industry – security issues, etc.
- Adjourn