# **DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE/WEIGHTS & MEASURES**

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## MEDICAL CANNABIS CULTIVATION ZONING PERMIT RENEWAL APPLICATION

TYPE OF CULTIVATION (check one): Permit #: APC		OFFICE USE ONLY			
		Date Received:			
Issue Date:	Exp Date:	Permit Type: 🛛 C25	□ SPO		
Cultivate Type:	🗆 Cottage (C25)	Total At-Cost Fee: \$			
	$\Box$ Specialty Outdoor (SPO)	Date Paid:			
	Small Outdoor (SMO)	Permit #: APC			
Site Address:		Issued Date:			
City:		Expiration Date:			
APN:		Issued By:			

By submitting this application to the Sonoma County Department of Agriculture/Weights & Measures (AWM), I understand this application, and all information included in this application, will become public record and may be provided in response to public records requests.

## **APPLICANT INFORMATION**

Applicant/Operator Legal Name:					
DBA:					
Mailing Address:					
City:					
Phone:		Fax:		Cell:	
Email:					
Property Owner Name:					
Property Owner Phone:		Fax:		Cell:	
Property Owner Email:					
Site Address:					
City:					
Site Assessor Parcel Number(s):					
Are you the owner of the property?	🗆 Yes	□ No	Current Lease	Expiration Date:	

# RENEWAL PERMIT INFORMATION Has Operator been convicted of a felony? Has Operator applied for or obtained any other cannabis permits in Sonoma County? Yes No Are any modifications to current operations proposed? Yes Yes Yes Yes No

If yes, please describe proposed modifications below.

**Proposed Modifications** (modifications may include, but not limited to: any changes to filed site plans, new structures, increased size of area/cultivation, onsite processing, changes to water supply, grading, new roads, security modifications, or any other changes to the Cannabis Ordinance Exhibit A-2 requirements):

## **PROJECT AUTHORIZATION DECLARATION**

I/We,

, declare under penalty of perjury that the information provided in connection with this application is true and correct to the best of my/our knowledge. I/we understand that issuance of a cannabis cultivation zoning permit does not relieve me/us of the obligation to comply with other federal, state, or local laws or regulations, or from liability for violations of those laws and regulations. I/we acknowledge that the County of Sonoma is not authorizing a take of any federal or state endangered species by issuance of the cannabis cultivation zoning permit, and I/we further declare under penalty of perjury that a biological assessment of study has been prepared for the site by a qualified expert with respect to impacts on endangered species. I/we have reviewed the opinion of the qualified expert and will take all steps necessary, based on this opinion, to comply with any applicable provisions of the state and federal endangered species acts, and all other applicable state and federal laws. I/we waive any claims of liability for damages against the County of Sonoma and its contractors and agree to indemnify the County of Sonoma and its contractors from and against any claims, suits, or liabilities, arising out of activities I/we undertake based on the issuance of this cannabis cultivation zoning permit.

I/We authorize entry by the Department of Agriculture/Weights & Measures and its contractors onto any and all areas where cannabis cultivation or development is occurring under this cannabis cultivation zoning permit at all reasonable times or whenever an emergency exists to determine whether I/we are complying with zoning permit terms.

Application for Cannabis Cultivation Zoning Permit must be authorized by the owner of the property. The Property Owner Liability form on page 4 must be signed by the owner and submitted as part of the application.

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Applicant Name (please print)	Property Owner Name (please print)
Applicant Signature	Property Owner Signature
Title	Title
Date	Date

The renewal application fee will be billed "at-cost" based on the number of staff hours expended to determine approval or denial of the application and may include a site inspection billed at ¼ hour increments. The renewal application fee will also include our annual monitoring fee. The current hourly rate and annual monitoring fee can be found on our website at https://sonomacounty.ca.gov/AWM/fees. An invoice will be issued upon completion of the review and prior to issuance of the renewal permit. Payment is required prior to or at the time of renewal permit issuance. Changes authorized by this permit renewal shall not take place until permit renewal is approved.

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## PROPERTY OWNER LIABILITY

**ATTENTION:** A <u>property owner</u> will be held responsible, along with a cannabis operator, for any unpaid charges incurred by an operator associated with commercial cannabis activities located on the property, regardless of whether the property owner and operator contract otherwise. Such charges include abatement costs and civil penalties for code violations (and responsibility for abating violations), cannabis business taxes, and penalties/interest/fees for non-payment of cannabis business taxes. In addition to any other remedies available under federal, state, or local law to collect an unpaid amount required to be paid to the County, the County may record on the property a certificate of lien for taxes and associated penalties, interest, and fees, or an abatement lien for abatement costs associated with a code violation. For more information, see Sonoma County Code Section 1-7 et seq. (Enforcement) and Chapter 35 (Cannabis Business Tax Ordinance).

Property Owner Name (please print)

**Cultivation Site Address** 

Property Owner Signature

Assessor Parcel Number

Date

Cannabis Cultivation Applicant Name (please print)