

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS

Notice is hereby given of public hearings to be held to consider the adoption of an ordinance entitled as follows.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF OKALOOSA COUNTY, FLORIDA, DECLARING ZONING IN PROGRESS AND IMPOSING A MORATORIUM ON THE ACCEPTANCE AND PROCESSING OF NEW APPLICATIONS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF MEDICAL MARIJUANA DISPENSING FACILITIES FOR A PERIOD OF 180 DAYS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

The public hearings are scheduled as follows:

Planning Commission: 5:01 PM or soon thereafter on January 12, 2017 in the Commission Meeting Room, Niceville City Hall, 208 North Partin Drive, Niceville.

Board of County Commissioners: 9:00 A.M. or soon thereafter on January 17, 2017 in the Commission Chambers of the County Administration Building 1250 N Eglin Parkway, Shalimar

ALL INTERESTED PERSONS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AND BE HEARD REGARDING THE ORDINANCE.

The proposed ordinance may be inspected by the public at the County Commission Offices located at 1250 N Eglin Parkway in Shalimar or the County Commission offices located on the third floor of the Brackin building located at 302 N Wilson Street in Crestview.

If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at these hearings, such person will need a record of the proceeding and may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceeding is made which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Okaloosa County adheres to the Americans with Disabilities Act and will make reasonable modifications for access to these hearings upon request. Requests may be made to the Growth Management offices described above and must be made at least 48 hours in advance of the hearings in order to provide the requested service.