



# SEATTLE CITY COUNCIL

## Legislative Summary

CB 118836

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Type: Ordinance (Ord)

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In Control: City Clerk

File Created: 09/14/2016

Final Action: 11/28/2016

**Title:** AN ORDINANCE increasing the fee for marijuana business licenses; amending Section 6.500.080 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

<b>Notes:</b>	<b>Filed with City Clerk:</b>	11/28/2016
	<b>Mayor's Signature:</b>	11/28/2016
<b>Sponsors:</b> Burgess	<b>Vetoed by Mayor:</b>	
	<b>Veto Overridden:</b>	
	<b>Veto Sustained:</b>	

**Attachments:**

**Drafter:** adam.schaefer@seattle.gov

**Filing Requirements/Dept Action:**

**History of Legislative File**

**Legal Notice Published:**  Yes  No

Ver- sion:	Acting Body:	Date:	Action:	Sent To:	Due Date:	Return Date:	Result:
1	Mayor	09/26/2016	Mayor's leg transmitted to Council	City Clerk			
1	City Clerk	10/07/2016	sent for review	Council President's Office			
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Council President's Office						
	<b>Notes:</b>						
1	Council President's Office	10/26/2016	sent for review	Select Budget Committee			
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Council Bill (CB) was sent for review. to the Select Budget Committee						
	<b>Notes:</b>						
1	Full Council	11/07/2016	referred	Select Budget Committee			
1	Select Budget Committee	11/09/2016					
1	Select Budget Committee	11/16/2016	pass				Pass
	<b>Action Text:</b> The Committee recommends that Full Council pass the Council Bill (CB).						
	<b>Notes:</b>						

In Favor: 9 Chair Burgess, Member Bagshaw, Member Harrell, Member Herbold,  
Member Juarez, Member Johnson, Member González , Member O'Brien,  
Member Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 Full Council 11/21/2016 passed Pass

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was passed by the following vote, and the President signed the Bill:

In Favor: 9 Councilmember Bagshaw, Councilmember Burgess, Councilmember  
González , Council President Harrell, Councilmember Herbold,  
Councilmember Johnson, Councilmember Juarez, Councilmember  
O'Brien, Councilmember Sawant

Opposed: 0

1 City Clerk 11/22/2016 submitted for Mayor  
Mayor's signature

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 Signed

1 Mayor 11/28/2016 returned City Clerk

Action Text: The Council Bill (CB) was returned. to the City Clerk

Notes:

1 City Clerk 11/28/2016 attested by City  
Clerk

Action Text: The Ordinance (Ord) was attested by City Clerk.

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**CITY OF SEATTLE**

**ORDINANCE** 125194

**COUNCIL BILL** 118336

AN ORDINANCE increasing the fee for marijuana business licenses; amending Section 6.500.080 of the Seattle Municipal Code.

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the City to regulate marijuana businesses in order to promote the health, welfare, and safety of the citizens of Seattle, including persons under the age of 21; and

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of The City of Seattle to ensure that legal marijuana businesses are in compliance with state and City law; and

WHEREAS, The City of Seattle's marijuana regulatory license fees are not meeting the administrative and enforcement costs of the program and are significantly less than comparable jurisdictions; NOW, THEREFORE,

**BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF SEATTLE AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 6.500.080 of the Seattle Municipal Code, enacted by Ordinance 124807, is amended as follows:

**6.500.080 License fees**

A. The following (~~application~~) annual license fees shall apply:

1. Marijuana Business License - Located in Seattle ..... (~~(\$1,000)~~) \$1,500
2. Marijuana Business License - Located outside Seattle..... (~~(\$500)~~) \$750
3. Marijuana Business License - Reinspection, Reinstatement  
Relocation of Physical Address Fee .....\$250

B. (~~Application~~) License fees are non-refundable.

1 Section 2. Section 1 of this ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 2017.

2 Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force 30 days after its approval by  
3 the Mayor, but if not approved and returned by the Mayor within ten days after presentation, it  
4 shall take effect as provided by Seattle Municipal Code Section 1.04.020.

5 Passed by the City Council the 21<sup>ST</sup> day of November, 2016,  
6 and signed by me in open session in authentication of its passage this 21<sup>ST</sup> day of  
7 November, 2016.

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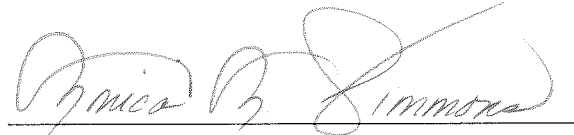
9 President \_\_\_\_\_ of the City Council

10 Approved by me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

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12 Edward B. Murray, Mayor

13 Filed by me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of NOVEMBER, 2016.

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15 Monica Martinez Simmons, City Clerk

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