



**BUREAU OF  
CANNABIS  
CONTROL**  
CALIFORNIA

**Cannabis Advisory Committee**  
**Notice of Advisory Committee Meeting and Agenda**

Thursday, November 16, 2017, at 10:00 am  
Sacramento Masonic Temple  
1123 J Street, Sacramento

Notice to the Public

All times are approximate and subject to change. The meeting may be cancelled without notice. A lunch break will be taken at a time determined by the Advisory Committee members. Agenda items may be taken out of order to accommodate speakers and to maintain a quorum. Action may be taken on any item on the agenda. This Committee meeting is open to the public and is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs a disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Ashlynn Blackshire at [Ashlynn.Blackshire@dca.ca.gov](mailto:Ashlynn.Blackshire@dca.ca.gov) or (916) 574-7595. Providing your request at least five business days before the meeting will help to ensure availability of the requested accommodation.

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Agenda

The public may provide appropriate comment on any issue before the Advisory Committee at the time the item is discussed. If public comment is not specifically requested, members of the public should feel free to request an opportunity to comment. Total time allocated for public comment may be limited.

1. Oath of Office, Call to Order, and Establishment of a Quorum  
*Dean R. Grafilo, Director, Department of Consumer Affairs*
2. Welcome  
*Alexis Podesta, Secretary, Business, Consumer Services and Housing Agency*
3. Overview of the Department of Consumer Affairs  
*Dean R. Grafilo, Director, Department of Consumer Affairs*
4. Overview of the Bureau of Cannabis Control and Staff Introductions  
*Lori Ajax, Chief, Bureau of Cannabis Control*
5. Cannabis Advisory Committee Member Introductions

6. Presentation of Bagley-Keene Open Meeting Act Guidelines  
*Tamara Colson, Assistant Chief Counsel, Bureau of Cannabis Control*
7. Discussion and Possible Action to Approve, Modify, or Reject Cannabis Advisory Committee 2018 Meeting Schedule and Location Recommendations
8. Overview of the Cannabis Portal – Online Resource  
*Alex Traverso, Assistant Chief of Communications, Bureau of Cannabis Control*
9. Overview of the Regulatory Process  
*Tamara Colson, Assistant Chief Counsel, Bureau of Cannabis Control*
10. Cannabis Regulations
  - a. California Environmental Quality Act Process Overview  
*Horizon Water and Environment, LLC*
  - b. Emergency Rulemaking Updates  
*Lori Ajax, Chief, Bureau of Cannabis Control*  
*Richard Parrott, Director, CalCannabis Cultivation Licensing Division, CDFA*  
*Miren Klein, Assistant Deputy Director, Center for Environmental Health, CDPH*
11. Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda  
The committee may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during the public comment section that is not included on this agenda, except whether to decide to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting. (Government Code §§ 11125 and 11125.7 (a).)
12. Future Agenda Items
13. Adjournment