**LEGAL NOTICE**

**PLYMPTON PLANNING BOARD**

**PUBLIC HEARING**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Section 5 of Chapter 40A of the Massachusetts General Laws and the Town of Plympton Zoning Bylaws, the Plympton Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Monday, April 9, 2018 at 6:15 p.m. at the Plympton Town House, 5 Palmer Road, Plympton, MA in the Planning Board Office to discuss a proposed amendment to the Plympton Zoning Bylaws. Said amendment will be scheduled for consideration as a Warrant Article at the 2018 Annual Town Meeting. The proposed Article is as follows:

**ARTICLE 16:**

To see if the Town will vote to amend the Plympton Zoning Bylaws, Section 10, TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON RECREATIONAL MARIJUANA ESTABLISHMENTS, to extend the temporary moratorium related to recreational marijuana establishments to a date not later than June 30, 2019, by deleting the strikethrough text and inserting the bold text as follows:

10.3. Temporary Moratorium

For the reasons set forth above and notwithstanding any other provision of the Zoning By-law to the contrary, the Town hereby adopts a temporary moratorium on the use of land or structures for a Recreational Marijuana Establishment and other uses related to recreational marijuana. The moratorium shall be in effect through ~~June 30, 2018~~ **June 30, 2019** or until such time as the Town adopts Zoning By-law amendments that regulate Recreational Marijuana Establishments, whichever occurs earlier. During the moratorium period, the Town shall undertake a planning process to address the potential impacts of recreational marijuana in the Town, and to consider the Cannabis Control Commission regulations regarding Recreational Marijuana Establishments and shall consider adopting new Zoning By-laws in response to these new issues.

**Complete copies of the text of this Article and the Plympton Zoning Bylaws may be viewed in the offices of the Town Clerk and the Plympton Planning Board, which are located at the Plympton Town House, 5 Palmer Road, Plympton, MA, during regular business hours.**

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Deborah Anderson, Chairman

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