

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, OHIO**

**RESOLUTION NO. 17-033**

**DECLARING AN EXTENSION ON THE MORATORIUM OF 1-YEAR EFFECTIVE  
MARCH 6, 2017 ON THE ISSUANCE AND PROCESSING OF ANY PERMITS  
ALLOWING CULTIVATORS, PROCESSORS, AND RETAIL DISPENSARIES OF  
MEDICAL MARIJUANA IN JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP**

The Board of Trustees of Jefferson Township, Montgomery County, Ohio in regular session on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of February 2017, at 7:00 p.m. at the Township Offices located at One Business Park Drive, with the following members present:

Roy Mann (✓) James McGuire (✓) Russell Back (✓)

Trustee McGuire moved for the adoption of the following Resolution 17-033:

**WHEREAS**, The Ohio General Assembly passed Sub. H.B. 523, legalizing the cultivation, processing and dispensing of medical marijuana in the state of Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, The Governor has signed Sub. H.B. 523, making it effective on September 8, 2016; and

**WHEREAS**, For the purposes of this resolution, the definition of "cultivators", "processors", and "retail dispensaries" are given the same definition as in Sub. H.B. 523 and ORC Chapter 3796; and

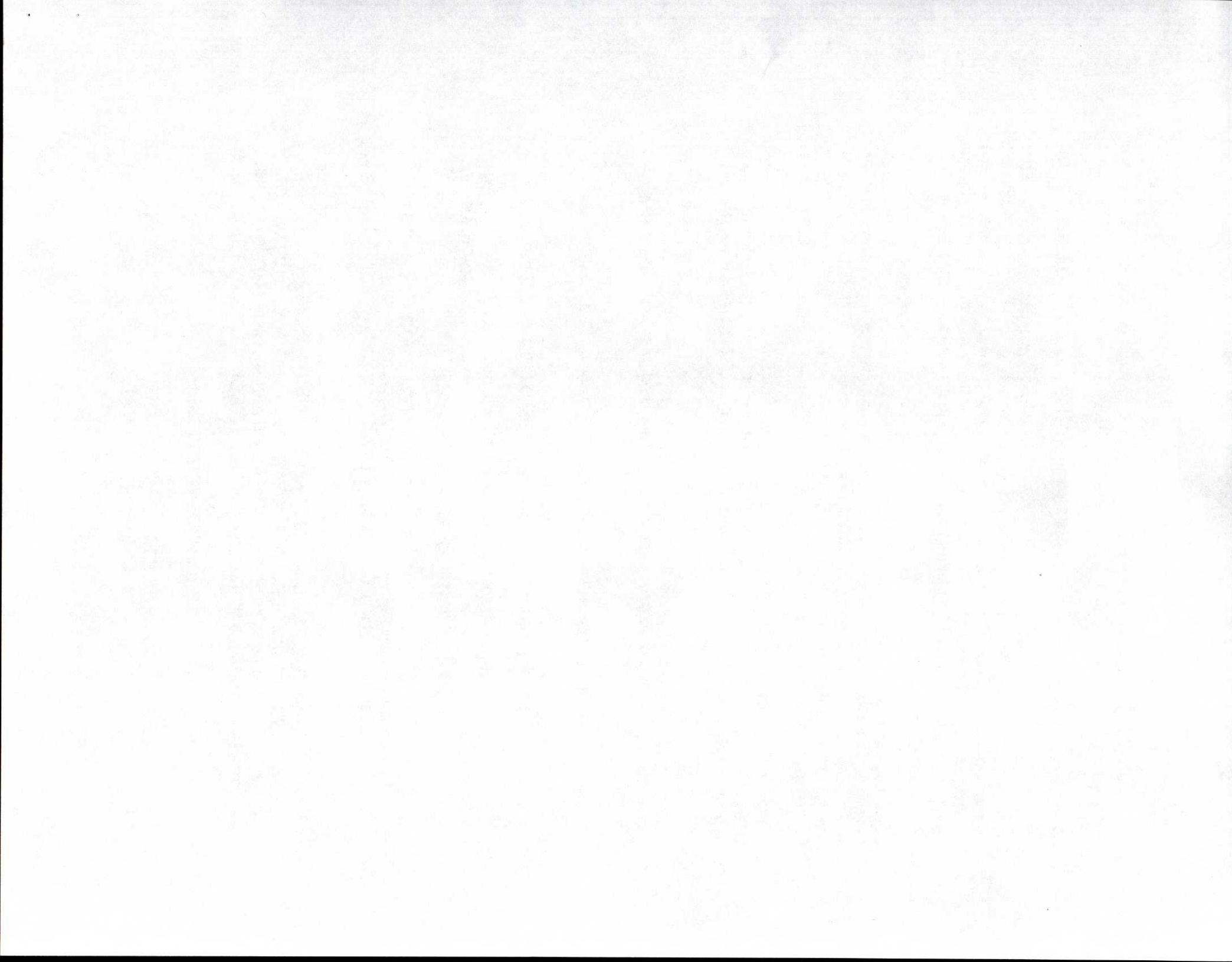
**WHEREAS**, ORC Section 3796.29 authorizes a Township to adopt a resolution to prohibit, or limit, the number of cultivators, processors, and/or retail dispensaries licensed under ORC Chapter 3796 within the unincorporated territory of the Township; and

**WHEREAS**, The Jefferson Township Board of Trustees, staff, and Zoning Commission require additional time to undertake a review of all applicable codes and resolutions, and to study and make recommendations as to whether to limit or prohibit the cultivation, processing and/or retail dispensing and to develop and implement resolutions regarding the cultivation, processing and retail dispensing of medical marijuana within Jefferson Township; and

**WHEREAS**, An extension of 1-year on the granting of permits or certificates for any building, structure, use or change of use that would enable the cultivation, processing, and/or retail dispensing of medical marijuana-related businesses and uses in order to allow the Board of Trustees, staff, and Zoning Commission to review applicable statutes, codes and resolutions relative to such uses.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Jefferson Township Board of Trustees, that:

Section 1. The Board of Trustees hereby imposes an extension of an 1-year moratorium, from the effective date of Sub. H.B. 523, on the processing and issuance of




permits or certificates for any building, structure, use or change that would enable the cultivation, processing and retail dispensing of medical marijuana within Jefferson Township.

Trustee Back seconded the motion, and the roll was called on the question of its adoption.

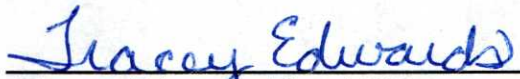
The vote was as follows: Roy Mann ( <sup>Yes</sup> ) James McGuire ( <sup>Yes</sup> ) Russel Back ( <sup>Yes</sup> )

Adopted: 21<sup>st</sup> day of February 2017

  
Roy Mann - President

  
James McGuire - Vice President

  
Russell Back - Trustee

Attest:   
Tracey Edwards, Fiscal Officer

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