

Maria Kostrencich - Fwd: How many independent and certified laboratories test marijuana in LA?

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Please include this in the public record for today's medical cannabis agenda item. I'm not sure which item it is.

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From: Cheryl Aichele <cherylaichele@gmail.com>
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Subject: How many independent and certified laboratories test marijuana in LA?
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Hint: This is defacto eradication.

The Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) regulates the certificates allowing testing of cannabis which means there are no independent and certified laboratories that a collective can get their medicine test at in LA.

I understand and appreciate the principle behind this amendment. I'm having a difficult time understanding and appreciating the logistical application of this principle in action

in the real world.

As a medical cannabis patient, I cannot tolerate any amendment that cannot be implemented which would severely restrict my safe and affordable access to medical cannabis.

If I told you that any amendment in this ordinance would virtually eradicate safe and affordable access for a majority of medical cannabis patients in LA, would you vote to adopt this ordinance? You have an obligation to this city and its citizens - especially its ill

and injured-- to make informed decisions about laws you enact.

If you cannot name one independent and certified laboratory to test cannabis in LA, you are not making an informed decision. You're pinning the principles on the medical cannabis patient blindfolded with your hands tied. Please do not take such risks with my health and safety.

Do not vote on anything without firm, hard facts to base your decision on, please.

Cheryl Aichele



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