



**Cannabis Advisory Committee
APPROVED Minutes
Remote Participation via Zoom
September 18, 2025 @ 1:00pm**

Board Members: Barry Rector (Chair), Abby DeMolina, Dawn Hill-Holdgate,
Joe Plandowski, Jacques Zimicki

I. Call to Order

Chair Rector called the meeting to order at approximately 1:05pm.

In Attendance:

Board Members:

Barry Rector *Aye*
Abby DeMolina *Aye*
Joe Plandowski *Aye*
Jacques Zimicki *Aye*

Public:

None

Quorum was established

II. Approval of Agenda

Joe Plandowski made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Abby DeMolina.

Vote taken by Roll Call:

Abby DeMolina *Aye*
Joe Plandowski *Aye*
Barry Rector *Aye*
Jacques Zimicki *Aye*

III. Approval of Draft Minutes

- a. November 21, 2024
- b. January 16, 2025
- c. April 17, 2025

The Chair requested these minutes be tabled.

IV. Public Comment

None

V. New Business

None

VI. Reappointments to the Committee

- a. Select Board – Dawn Hill- Holdgate

* Dawn Hill-Holdgate arrived at approximately 1:15pm

VII. Election of Officers

- a. Chair – Barry Rector
- b. Vice-chair – Abby DeMolina
- c. Secretary – Joe Plandowski

VIII. Updates from Cannabis Control Commission (CCC)

Mr. Rector denoted that the CCC is in a great state of chaos at this time. The State Auditor “identified a number of issues that undermine and negatively impact the CCC’s mission to equitably and effectively oversee the cannabis industry in MA.”

IX. Committee Comments/Reports

The two existing Host Community Agreements were recently renewed by the Select Board. Mr. Rector expressed his appreciation for the current working members of the Committee.

XII. Next meeting

- a. Meetings are held on the third Thursday of each month at 1:00PM
- b. Next tentatively scheduled meeting October 16, 2025

XIII. Adjournment

A motion was made by Dawn Hill-Holdgate and seconded by Abby DeMolina to adjourn the meeting at approximately 1:30pm

Vote taken by Roll Call:

Dawn Hill-Holdgate *Aye*

Abby DeMolina *Aye*

Joe Plandowski *Aye*

Barry Rector *Aye*

Jacques Zimicki *Aye*