Proposed Outdoor Cannabis Consumption Lounge Ordinance

Cannabis Public Meeting

Date: Monday, November 9, 2026
Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Location: Sunland Park Multi-Generational Center
4700 McNutt Road
Sunland Park, New Mexico 88063

1. **Purpose:** Review the proposed ordinance, discuss key requirements, and gather public feedback before formal consideration.
2. **Welcome and Meeting Objectives**
    - Introductions and purpose of the public meeting
3. **Ordinance Overview**
    - Purpose and proposed locations
    - Entertainment District Overlay and residential separation
4. **Special Use Permit Requirements**
    - Application and approval process
    - Review criteria and permit conditions
5. **Design and Operational Standards**
    - Site design, screening, and odor control
    - Operating hours, security, and public safety
    - Parking, access, and neighborhood impacts
6. **Business Registration**
    - Local business registration and licensing requirements
7. **Compliance and Enforcement**
    - Inspections and violations
    - Coordination with Code Enforcement and complaint response procedures
8. **Roundtable session**
    - Live Mentimeter polls and interactive questions
    - Recommended changes to the ordinance
9. **Next Steps and Adjournment**

Note: Public Notice- A staff-led meeting held solely to gather public input generally does not trigger the New Mexico Open Meetings Act-provided it is not a meting of a quorum of the Council or another policymaking public body conducting public business. Calling an event a "public meeting" does not, by itself, make an Open Meetings Act.