

Kalama City Council - Council Agenda Item Information Form Agenda Item Number: -

Meeting Date: January 6, 2016

<u>Prepared by</u>: Coni McMaster, Clerk/Treasurer

Subject: Proposed Marijuana Growing and Production Business

<u>Summary:</u> At the last Council meeting Mayor and Council agreed to hear from citizens regarding their concerns regarding the City allowing a marijuana grow operation to locate in the area newly zoned as industrial off Old Pacific Highway South. The issues raised regarding this proposal were:

Will the citizens have an opportunity to object or speak to the application?

What is the application process?

Has or will the City consider the impacts of such an activity regarding:

- 1. Air quality
- 2. Increase to crime rate
- 3. Effect on the youth of the City

Concerns with having the property accessed from Old Pacific Highway near the Stone Forest residential community.

► Draft/Suggested Motion: N/A