

From: [Harold Hansen](#)
To: [Public Comment](#)
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I am very concerned as well as disappointed, but not surprised with the proposal to ban cannibas lounges.

Whether it be a lack of knowledge or bias, this move seems short sided at best. Carson City has a chance to be a leader but chooses to live in the past.

Referencing the impact statement, would it not be reasonable to next ban the sale of alcohol? How about smoking tobacco in public? Both of these products contribute to the death of millions each year.

I will be following this issue closely and voice my displeasure at the ballot box.

Hal Hansen
Carson City resident

Sent from my iPhone

From: [Sydnie Newmeyer](#)
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I would hope that you do not ban the consumption of marijuana at lounges within the city limit. It would be a bad economical decision on your part. It offers another way for folks to make more money opens more jobs. I am not sure if you guys are doing this so that it can still be criminalized. I'd like to remind you of a time in history called prohibition. For anyone who doesn't know what that is, it was the period of time where the government tried to tell the people they they could not produce or consume alcohol. Would you like to know how the people responded? I'll tell you anyway. They did exactly what they weren't supposed to. I feel as though you (the government) is afraid of the people thriving. It's proven that marijuana helps people with all different types of ailments. Everything from depression and anxiety to Parkinson's and cancer. The people are tired of being regulated taxed and told what to do. We live in a capitalist society let people capitalize! I am done being told what to do and what not to do. Marijuana is far less dangerous than alcohol and it is treated like it's heroin. I actually had a cc police officer tell me to stick to alcohol over marijuana. I feel that is out of line and absolutely disrespectful. Alcoholism runs in my family and some have known to get aggressive when they drink excessively. When someone smokes excessively they fall asleep eating a bag of Doritos. People don't go to the er in need of detox for marijuana. They do need it however for heroin, meth, prescription medications, lsd, alcohol...I feel as though you (the government) are more worried about what we do legally than actually catching the criminals and holding them. Why is it that a rapist can brutally damage a child and get off with a short sentence but I can't smoke weed in a controlled public setting?? You (the government) have a sickening agenda and it's an atrocity against the American People. Get your priorities straightened out that would be great thanks.

With much sincerity

STOP!

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Thank you,
Sydnie