



# City of Oroville

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## **IMPARTIAL ANALYSIS OF MEASURE T**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the following impartial analysis of Measure T was prepared by the office of the Oroville City Attorney:

Voter approval of this measure would amend the Oroville Municipal Code by adding a cannabis business tax that would take effect in the City of Oroville. The cannabis business tax would impose up to a 10% tax on gross receipts for cannabis businesses located in the City. The City Council would be permitted to impose any tax authorized by the measure at a lower rate and may establish exemptions, incentives, reductions, and interest charges for failure to pay the tax in a timely manner, as otherwise allowed by California law.

All revenue generated from the measure would be deposited in the City's General Fund, and all revenue collected from the measure would be used by the City to pay for general City operations and services. This ballot measure proposes a "general purpose tax" which requires a majority vote of the electorate for approval.

The tax would be imposed on all commercial cannabis business, such as retail, manufacturing, cultivation, distribution, nurseries, and other cannabis microbusinesses located in the City of Oroville, whether related to recreational or medicinal cannabis. Payment of the tax would not be construed by the City as authorizing the conduct or permitting the continuance of any illegal business within the City, nor will this measure in itself permit any commercial cannabis activity. Nothing in the measure would imply or authorize any activities connected with the distribution, possession, or sale of cannabis unless authorized by California law and as may be specifically permitted by the City of Oroville.

A "yes" vote is a vote in favor of authorizing the transactions and use tax. A "no" vote is a vote against authorizing the transactions and use tax. The above statement is an impartial analysis of Measure T. If you desire a copy of the measure, please contact the City Clerk's Office at [cityclerk@cityoforoville.org](mailto:cityclerk@cityoforoville.org) or (530) 538-2535 and a copy will be mailed emailed at no cost to you.

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