AN ORDINANCE AMENDING APPENDIX B OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF PEORIA RELATING TO MEDICAL CANNABIS DISPENSARY

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria is a home rule municipality pursuant to Article VII, Section 6, of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

WHEREAS, as a home rule municipality, the City may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs including zoning regulations and uses; and

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria desires to permit the use of a Medical Cannabis Dispensary as a special use in specific zoning districts:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1: Appendix B of the Peoria City Code, being Ordinance No. 13,225 as adopted on June 4, 1991 and thereafter amended, is hereby amended by deleting the following stricken words and adding the following underlined words:

ARTICLE 9. COMMERCIAL DISTRICTS

9.6.c. Special Uses. The following uses may be allowed in the C1 District.

(28) Medical Cannabis Dispensary pursuant to the State of Illinois Compassionate Use of Medical Cannabis Pilot Program Act (410 ILCS 130/)

9.7.c. Special Uses. The following uses may be allowed in the C2 District.

(11) Medical Cannabis Dispensary pursuant to the State of Illinois Compassionate Use of Medical Cannabis Pilot Program Act (410 ILCS 130/)

<u>Section 2.</u> Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to allow the production, sale, or consumption of cannabis for anything other than a legally authorized medical use. For purposes of this Ordinance "medical use" means the acquisition; administration; delivery; possession; transfer; transportation; or use of cannabis to treat or alleviate a registered qualifying patient's debilitating medical condition or symptoms associated with the patient's debilitating medical condition.

<u>Section 3.</u> This Ordinance is scheduled to be repealed on January 1, 2018 in accordance with the Illinois State Statute.

<u>Section 4.</u> This Ordinance shall be in full force immediately and upon passage and approval according to law.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS, THIS, 2014	
	APPROVED:
ATTEST:	Mayor
City Clerk	
EXAMINED AND APPROVED:	
Corporation Counsel	