

Minutes

Special Issues Marijuana

Committee Members: Black, Chair; Herndon, Vice-Chair; Brooks; Clark: Espinoza; Flynn; Gilmore; Kashmann; Kniech; Lopez; New; Ortega; Susman

Committee Staff: Shelley Smith

Monday, December 11, 2017, 3:00 PM City & County Building, Room 391

Attendance

Present: 8 - Black, Herndon, Ortega, Susman, Kashmann, Gilmore, New, Kniech

Absent: 4 - Clark, Espinoza, López, Flynn

Presentations

17-1425 Presentation Materials

The following panelists gave introductory remarks on the social impacts of cannabis and answered questions from Councilmembers.

- Cannabis & Youth

Christina Carlson, Executive Director, Urban Peak

- Best practice in state/federal marijuana regulation, Impact of new federal administration

Professor Sam Kamin, Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Denver

- Briefing: Cannabis impact on communities

Professor Tim McGettigan, Professor of Sociology at CSU-Pueblo, member of Steering Committee Institute of Cannabis Research at CSU-Pueblo, and coordinator of a Pueblo County Cannabis Impact Study

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- Cannabis impact on poverty and homelessness

Professor Don Burnes, Founder, Adjunct Profesor and Scholar-in-Resident, Burnes Center on Poverty and Homelessness, Graduate School of Social Work, University of Denver