

A Guide to Marijuana Use and Regulation in the Town of Greenville

Any interested person should contact the Town's Code Enforcement Officer and the State of Maine for more detailed and accurate information. State rules and regulations apply to all marijuana activities.

The following activities are allowed in the Town of Greenville (no local permit required):

- **Medical Marijuana Patients** with a written certification from a physician can possess up to 8 pounds of marijuana for medical purposes, cultivate up to 6 marijuana plants for their own medical use, or give away up to 2½ ounces of marijuana to another qualifying patient. Qualifying patients may also visit registered caregivers or dispensaries to obtain up to 2½ ounces of medical marijuana per transaction.
- **Medical Marijuana Caregivers** may transfer up to 2½ ounces of harvested marijuana to a qualifying patient in one transaction. Caregivers may cultivate up to 30 mature marijuana plants and distribute harvested marijuana to qualifying patients, sell or buy marijuana plants or harvested marijuana wholesale to or from other caregivers or dispensaries. Caregivers must be registered with the State to operate, unless they meet the exception for those assisting family members.
- **Adult Use (Recreational) Marijuana, a person 21 years or older may:**
 - Possess up to 2.5 ounces of marijuana or 5 ounces of marijuana concentrate
 - Give away up to 2.5 ounces of marijuana or 5 ounces of concentrate to other adults
 - Give away up to 6 immature plants or seedlings to another adults
 - Possess up to 3 mature plants, or 12 immature plants, and unlimited seedlingsConsumption of marijuana or marijuana products can only occur in a private residence, or on private property not generally accessible by the public with permission by the owner.
- **Adult Use (Recreational) Prohibitions:**
 - Providing “free weed” for a delivery or bag fee or as compensation for any type of service
 - Consumption in a public place, vehicle, at a day care, or in a designated smoking area
 - Home solvent based extraction using hazardous substances

A Town Permit is required for the following:

- **Medical Marijuana Production Facility** that provides space for cultivating, processing, storing and/or distribution of medical marijuana by 3 or more registered primary caregivers, or a facility with more than 60 mature female flowering medical marijuana plants
- **Medical Marijuana Dispensary**, a not-for-profit entity that acquires, possesses, cultivates, manufactures, delivers, transfers, transports, sells, supplies, or dispenses marijuana, paraphernalia, or related supplies and educational materials to qualifying patients and caregivers.

Prohibited Uses until Town Meeting enacts an Ordinance to allow these uses (Opt-in)

- Medical Marijuana Manufacturing Facilities
- Medical Marijuana Stores
- Adult Use Marijuana Stores
- Medical or Adult Use Testing Facilities
- Adult Use Cultivation Facilities
- Adult Use Products Manufacturing Facilities
- Adult Use Social Clubs (Prohibited In Maine)

State Law requires that Towns vote to opt-in to allow marijuana establishments. The Greenville Planning Board has developed draft ordinances to allow and regulate marijuana establishments, but upon the advice of legal council has decided to wait until State law and rules are fully developed.