



**SACRAMENTO CORE**  
CANNABIS EQUITY PROGRAM

# CORE Stakeholder Meeting

December 13, 2023



## CORE and Non-CORE BOPs

Business Type	Citywide Total				
	Total	Issued	Pending	CORE	
				Issued	Pending
Cultivation:	122	101	21	6	1
Cultivation-Nursery	17	17	0	2	0
Delivery Only:	64	50	14	11	10
Distribution:	57	43	14	7	2
Distribution-Transport Only:	1	1	0	0	0
Manufacturing:	29	21	8	2	2
Manufacturing-Shared:	6	4	2	3	1
Manufacturing-Small:	6	5	1	1	0
Microbusiness:	14	10	4	2	0
Microbusiness-Delivery:	3	1	2	0	1
Storefront Dispensary:	29	25	4	2	3
Storefront Dispensary-Delivery:	9	9	0	2	0
Testing Lab:	4	3	1	0	1
<b>Totals:</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>290</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>21</b>

## **Law & Legislation Committee Meeting 11/28**

- OCM provided the CBOT information requested at 9/5 L&L meeting, but made no recommendations
- L&L deferred 9/5 direction to take tax break for CORE participants to Council
- L&L directed that CORE tax item be bundled with possible non-CORE tax breaks that would be derived from "task force" meetings held by CMs Valenzuela & Kaplan Dec-Feb and brought to Council in March
- No meetings held so far

## CORE Program & City Council

- Planned for City Council Meeting on January 9, 2024
  - Making CORE program a permanent city program
    - If this passes, we'll be sending out meeting invites to discuss additional changes participants would like to see in CORE
  - Report back on RFQ Storefront Dispensary Process

## All CORE Storefront Dispensary Survey

- 58 responses
- 88% said more storefront opportunities for CORE are needed
- 58% said no additional time for the 10 highest RFQ scorers
- 21% said if unable to open by April 1, 2024, opportunities should be given to the next highest scorers of the RFQ
- Aggregated responses will be shared at the 1/9/24 Council Update on the Storefront RFQ

## **Cannabis Small Business Education Modules for CORE with Los Rios Community College District**

- Module 1 will start January 22, 2024, and last four weeks and Module 2 will start shortly afterwards
- Classes are free, online, and asynchronous – log in at a time that works for you
- Registration Process: Contact Candy Vickre Smith ([VickreC@flc.losrios.edu](mailto:VickreC@flc.losrios.edu)) for form


## ENCORE Mixer Survey & Feedback


- UpperCloud sent out a survey to gauge feedback from participants about the ENCORE Mixer in November
- Survey results help us determine how helpful the mixers have been, if we can improve them & if they should continue
- Please check your spam or junk mailbox if you don't see it
- The last date to respond is **FRIDAY 12/22**

## QUESTIONS? CONTACT US:



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