

CITY OF NORTHFIELD, MN
CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2025-044

A RESOLUTION BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
NORTHFIELD, MINNESOTA SETTING FEES AND PENALTIES RELATED TO CHAPTER
30 – HEALTH AND SANITATION OF THE CITY CODE, ARTICLE III – REGULATION OF
CANNABIS RETAIL BUSINESSES, LOWER-POTENCY HEMP EDIBLE RETAILERS,
AND EVENTS

WHEREAS, on May 6, 2025 the City Council of the City of Northfield adopted Ordinance No.1076 amending Chapter 30 – Health and Sanitation of the City Code adding Article III – Regulation of Cannabis Retail Businesses, Lower-Potency Hemp Edible Retailers, and Events, relating to the regulation and registration of cannabis and hemp retailers within the City of Northfield, and this ordinance in sections 30-127, 30-161, and 30-192 authorizes the City to establish certain fees by resolution for the initial registration and renewal registrations of the same and for temporary cannabis events; and

WHEREAS, Section 30-105 of Ordinance No. 1076 also provides for the penalties for violations of such ordinance, and the City desires that such penalties be included in the City’s fee resolution.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL THAT: the Northfield City Council hereby approves the fees and fines as detailed below to be effective following passage hereof and directs that the same be incorporated into the City of Northfield Fee Schedule:

Cannabis and Hemp Retail Business Registration Fees	
Cannabis Retailer	
Initial Retail Registration Fee	\$500.00
Retail Registration Renewal Fee	\$1,000.00
Cannabis Microbusiness	
Initial Retail Registration Fee	\$0.00
Retail Registration Renewal Fee	\$1,000.00
Cannabis Mezzobusiness	
Initial Retail Registration Fee	\$500.00
Retail Registration Renewal Fee	\$1,000.00
Medical Cannabis Combination Business	
Initial Retail Registration Fee	\$500.00
Retail Registration Renewal Fee	\$1,000.00
Lower-Potency Hemp Edible Retailer	
Initial Retail Registration Fee	\$125.00
Retail Registration Renewal Fee	\$125.00
Temporary Cannabis Event Permit Fee	\$375.00
Cannabis and Hemp Retail Business Violation Penalties	

Violation	Penalties
1 st offense	\$250.00 civil penalty
2 nd offense within 2 years*	\$500.00 civil penalty and a 3 day suspension of registration
3 rd offense within 3 years*	\$2,000.00 civil penalty and 10 day suspension of registration
4 th offense within 5 years*	\$2,000.00 civil penalty and 30 day suspension of registration

* measured from date of first offense

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Northfield, Minnesota, that the City Clerk be authorized to make the changes to the City's established fee schedule referenced in this Resolution.

Passed by the City Council of the City of Northfield on this 6th day of May, 2025.

ATTEST

City Clerk

Mayor

VOTE: ___ ZWEIFEL ___ BEUMER ___ DAHLEN ___ HOLMES
 ___ NESS ___ PETERSON WHITE ___ SOKUP