



MUNICIPAL CANNABIS BUSINESS LICENSE APPLICATION EVALUATION CRITERIA

The Borough's Cannabis Subcommittee will review and evaluate each Applicant based on the following criteria in making its recommendation to the Borough Council. A maximum of ten (10) points may be awarded in each category.

CRITERIA	POINTS
Applicant's owners' or principals' qualifications and experience operating in highly regulated industries, including cannabis, healthcare, pharmaceutical manufacturing, and retail pharmacies, with preference to experience operating such businesses within the State of New Jersey.	____/[]
Results of Applicant's background check conducted by the Keyport Police Department.	____/[]
Applicant's written commitment to employ Borough residents in at least 50% of full-time equivalent positions.	____/[]
Applicant's ties to the Borough, demonstrated by at least one owner's proof of residency in the Borough for five or more years or at least one owner's continuous ownership of a business based in the Borough for five or more years in the past ten years.	____/[]
Applicant's proposal to provide community benefits in the Borough.	____/[]
Applicant's demonstrated commitment to diversity in its ownership composition and hiring practices.	____/[]
Public input regarding Applicant's proposed cannabis facility in the Borough.	____/[]
Applicant's financial capability to open and operate the cannabis establishment for which the Applicant is seeking a permit.	____/[]
Applicant's completed <i>Application for a Municipal Cannabis Business License</i> , including all required documents set forth on Page 13 of the Application; Applicant's interview with the Subcommittee.	____/[]
TOTAL SCORE:	____/ 90