City of Merced Commercial Cannabis Business Permit (CCBP) Process OPTIONAL: Preapplication Application Conference with Period Begins Director of Development Services More than Up to 21 Davs 21 Davs Later Later Application Application Submittal. Submittal. includina including Application Application Fee Fee Development Development **Applicant Applicant** Application Application Services Services Notified of Incomplete or Incomplete or Notified of Phase 1 Phase 1 Not in Compliance Not in Compliance Deficiency **Deficiency** Review Review Application Complete Up to Up to Applicant Applicant and in Compliance 10 Davs 🗦 10 Davs Resubmittal Resubmittal Later Later More than More than 10 Days Later Application Complete 10 Days Later **Applicant** and in Compliance Added to Waitlist **Application Application** Denial Denial CCBP for **Applicant** Dispensary/ 'added to Retail Sales Qualified hecomes Applicant List" available Application Application Phase 2 Phase 2 Final Phase 2 Final for for Other than Application Dispensary/ Dispensary/ Review Review Fee Paid Retail Sales Retail Sales Merit-Based Scoring **Process** Selection Panel Recommends Planning At least 1 CCBP must include Medical Dispensary Highest-Scoring Commission Application(s) Action Planning for CCBP Commission Denial Planning Up to 5 Commission This graphic is intended solely to Days Approval Later assist potential applicants to understand the City of Merced's **OPTIONAL:** Commercial Cannabis Permit City City **CCBP** Council -Council Appeal to City process. For official regulations, **Application** Approved Approval Denial Council please see Merced Municipal Code Denial 20.44.170.

ATTACHMENT 8