

# Exhibit #22

EDWARD MAIER: So, that entire document is what the committee has recommended to the board. I would now open it for discussion or any action that the board would like to take.

SUSAN FREY: Well, I would like to thank the committee for their work. I think it, this document and these recommendations, sum up what we have been trying to do for the last five years that we've been looking at this project, or this subject. So, I would be in support of the committee recommendation.

JAMES MILLER: I, too, would like to thank the committee for all its work, and it's certainly been a worrisome issue since 2009 or before. I think there's a lot to this document that Ed has just read and we just received it in copy a few minutes ago to review. I would be in favor of tabling this thing until at least until our next meeting so we have time to review it more thoroughly. I'm especially concerned about the last paragraph, that the Iowa Board of Pharmacy making a rule about schedule changes when this is clearly the purview of the federal government. We just went through a situation in Iowa where hydrocodone, one of the most widely prescribed opiate pain relievers in our state, and in the whole country; and we schedule it as a schedule 3 in Iowa until the federal government said, "No, it's going to be a schedule 2." We could have a petition saying, "You know what? In Iowa I think we're just going to leave it in schedule 3." That was not our ability to do that. The federal government decides what schedule things are in. So, I think we should take our time as far as making any further recommendations. So, I would move that we table this. Give it some more thought.

EDWARD MAIER: Do we have any discussion?

SUSAN FREY: Jim does bring up an interesting point. And, again, we find ourselves in that quandary of we already have the established, the legislative established cannabidiol act. I would certainly be willing to table it and hear more.

EDWARD MAIER: That was the quandary that the committee placed ourselves in. We knew that number one we could have a recommendation straight out against because of the federal class 1. And, then we could look at Iowa law, the act this last year, the cannabidiol act has placed us in a position where Iowa law, it meets all the criteria of for class 2. We're into the catch-22, so to speak here.

JAMES MILLER: I would say that Iowa legislators are elected representatives of the citizens of Iowa. We are not elected representatives. We have different scope and service to the citizens. The elected body can choose to do whatever they wish. But as an Iowa citizen, I'm a citizen of Iowa, and so I'm subject to Iowa laws. I'm also a citizen of the United States. So, I'm subject to federal laws. I'm not attorney. My recollection is federal law supersedes. So, I think even, regardless of what the Iowa legislature does, as a citizen I have to kind of be thinkin', "Hmm, I wonder which set of laws are we going to be under?"

EDWARD MAIER: And, I think it's important that no matter which way this goes, this is simply a recommendation to the legislature and the legislature then would have to take action and the governor would have to sign that. It would have to be, go through the regular channels. And, it's a difficult, very difficult matter.

JAMES MILLER: I think it's extremely difficult. But I also think that there's some credibility here as far as the board and what our role is and that we maintain our diligence as far as the safety of the citizens of Iowa. And, we'll be looked at to establish the safety of the drug products that we currently take responsibility for. Marijuana wouldn't fall into that category at all: the standardization of dose; as far as proven efficacy; as far as proven safety. I think that clearly is outside of the bounds of our expertise.

EDWARD MAIER: Any other comments?

EDWARD McKENNA: I agree with Jim, because I think that the marijuana oil that people use for epilepsy, the University of Iowa is monitoring that program. Right? So, I think we need more information that the oil is actually working. That program was just implemented.