

Public Consumption of Cannabis

It is anticipated that Provincial regulations for recreational cannabis use will follow the same approach as smoking or vaping tobacco. Smithers can choose to implement a bylaw to mirror and/or further restrict provincial regulations.



- 6 m buffer around doorways, air intakes & open windows to any public and work place in BC (municipalities cannot further reduce)
- school grounds
- beaches
- playgrounds
- health facilities
- restaurants/patios
- provincial regional and municipal parks
- common areas of apartment buildings, condos,
- college dorms
- skate parks, sports fields and playgrounds
- inside vehicles, buses [incl. bus stops], trains, taxis or on ferries



- Other common public areas, such as public sidewalks are not covered by provincial legislation.
- **Options:**
 - 1) Continue with existing provincial legislation.
 - 2) Create a bylaw to further restrict [and enforce] public consumption.