



Clark County Republican Party Resolution in Support of Cannabis Legalization

WHEREAS, the prohibition of cannabis fills our prisons with non-violent offenders; and

WHEREAS, ending cannabis prohibition would free up law enforcement time and money that could be focused on violent crime; and

WHEREAS, cannabis could be regulated and taxed in a manner similar to, and as easily as, alcohol; and

WHEREAS, cannabis is non-toxic and non-lethal; and

WHEREAS, the voters of several states, including Nevada, have recognized the medicinal use of cannabis; and

WHEREAS, Nevada takes pride in its libertarian ideals such as personal responsibility and individual freedom; and

WHEREAS, current federal laws encroach upon the Tenth amendment to the U.S. Constitution which states, "The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the states, are reserved to the states respectively, or to the people;" therefore be it

RESOLVED that we the members of the Clark County Republican Central Committee urge Nevada legislators to enact legislation requiring the legalization of cannabis in the state of Nevada.

This draft resolution is to be presented at the next Clark County Republican Party Central Committee meeting held on September 15, 2009 at 7:00 pm at Arizona Charlie's located at 740 S Decatur Blvd. Las Vegas, NV 89107.