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## **CITY OF STOCKTON 2023 COMMERCIAL CANNABIS BUSINESS LOTTERY** ***No Lottery Drawing for the 2023 Application Period***

STOCKTON, Calif. — The City of Stockton’s Community Development Department will not hold a 2023 Commercial Cannabis Business Lottery drawing. The 2023 application period was open from May 1, 2023, to June 15, 2023. Of the twenty-two (22) applications received, only two (2) applications were eligible to participate in the lottery drawing – one (1) Equity and one (1) General Pool. The two (2) eligible applications will be declared lottery winners by default.

Per Stockton Municipal Code Chapter 16, Section [16.80.195](#), the City permits a total of four (4) lottery applications annually – two (2) per cannabis business type: Retail Storefront (Dispensary) and Microbusiness. Selection as lottery winner entitles the lottery applicant to one (1) commission use permit application submittal.

Information about the 2023 lottery winners is available at [www.stocktonca.gov/cannabis](http://www.stocktonca.gov/cannabis). For questions or additional information, please contact the Community Development Department at (209) 937-8444 or [cannabislotttery@stocktonca.gov](mailto:cannabislotttery@stocktonca.gov).

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