



## Cannabis Law Update

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The following article was co-authored by Alex Rusek and published in the July 2023 edition of *ICBA* (Ingham County Bar Association) *Briefs*.

More than half of Americans now have access to legal recreational cannabis in their state. As of the date of this article, 23 states have legalized cannabis for adult recreational use and 40 states have legalized cannabis for medical use.

In particular, significant

confusion surrounds the interplay of

constitutional principles, federal laws,

and state laws when it comes to cannabis

use and the purchase and possession of

firearms.

This article will explore the historical underpinnings of Michigan's cannabis laws, the Second Amendment, and the future of both. **See [the full article here.](#)**

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