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Mayor Proposed Pro-active approach to ban synthetic marijuana sales

After reading of overdoses from synthetic marijuana sales in other cities, today, Mayor James J. Fiorentini proposed an ordinance to ban the sale of marijuana sales in the city of Haverhill.

All throughout New England, there has been a growing problem with so-called "synthetic marijuana." These products, commercially known as "bath salts" have resulted in several deaths in neighboring cities including Manchester, New Hampshire.

"While this has not yet become a problem in Haverhill, we shouldn't wait until it is. The time to act is now, before there is an overdose in the city.

This ordinance will ban the use of these dangerous bath salts and other synthetic marijuana's in the city.

"The rise in deaths due to the sale of this protect in unacceptable, this product needs to be banned from any storefront.