



Board Candidate Statement

Ian Shaughnessy
CEO
Lighthouse Industries



Ian Shaughnessy is the co-founder and CEO of Lighthouse Industries, an independent, family-owned cannabis processor and wholesaler. He has been involved in this industry for most of his life, starting as a boutique seller of cannabis in the early 2000s, and has worked with many different companies in the Oregon market.

A third generation Oregonian, his family has been in agriculture in the Willamette Valley since the 1940s. In 2012, Ian was involved in the Uruguayan campaign to legalize cannabis, and he directly experienced the impacts of the first country to legalize marijuana. This was a pivotal moment in his life and led to the creation of his first cannabis company in 2014 - which ended up being the second-ever licensed OLCC processor.

Federal rescheduling and legalization is coming, and Oregon has the best cannabis industry in the country. Our farms, our dispensaries, our extractors, and our brands are years ahead of the rest of the country, and Ian is very passionate about the Oregon industry and maintaining our independence.

As a CIAO board member, Ian will tirelessly champion every aspect of the Oregon industry, and help create frameworks for us to work together today and tomorrow.

Oregon has a very bright future in cannabis!