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ABOVE: Buds of marijuana hang to dry at Coastal Growers in Ilwaco. LEFT: A mature marijuana plant is pictured at Coastal Growers in Ilwaco.

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the months of September, October and November — are roughly \$20,000 higher than then previous record reached during the same time in 2020. The Freedom Market, in Ilwaco, experienced the biggest jump in sales, gaining roughly \$38,000 compared to the same period in 2020.

The Freedom Market has consistently totaled the highest sales among the recreational marijuana stores in Pacific County. The store at the Port of

Ilwaco had \$158,727 sales in November, and nearly \$9 million overall since opening in fall 2016.

The Growers Outlet recorded the second-highest in the county with \$118,461 in sales in November. The South Bend retailer has totaled more than \$6.5 million in sales overall.

Mr. Doobies, in Seaview, had \$112,589 in retail sales in November and approximately \$6 million overall. July was the best month of 2021 for all three retailers, when they combined for nearly \$500,000 in sales.

## WE HAVE THE EXPERTISE TO HELP YOUR BUSINESS SUCCEED.

We're pleased to welcome Joe Schulte to lead our Commercial Business Development team on the Northern Oregon Coast. With 25 years of experience in Clatsop County and the financial services industry, he has the knowledge and passion to help local businesses plan for future financial success. **Contact Joe today!**



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