

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF MULTNOMAH COUNTY

In the matter of developing a)	Resolution
comprehensive plan for the provision)	92-194
of gaming law enforcement and gambling)	
addiction treatment services in)	
Multnomah County)	

WHEREAS, ORS 461.546 established revenue sharing with Oregon counties composed of revenues from on-line video lottery operated by the Oregon State lottery; and

WHEREAS, lottery revenues distributed to each county are to be expended solely for gaming law enforcement and community mental health programs to treat gambling addiction; and

WHEREAS, each county shall enter into intergovernmental agreements with cities incorporated within their jurisdiction to provide gaming law enforcement; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of Multnomah County to ensure that the expenditure of these funds is properly coordinated with and supportive of existing activities of federal, state and local agencies;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED

A. The Multnomah County Justice Coordinating Council (JCC) shall constitute a Video Poker Revenue Planning Task Force. The task force will develop a plan which incorporates findings and recommendations regarding the use of video poker revenues for gaming law enforcement and community gambling addiction treatment programming. The task force shall report and present the plan to the Multnomah County Board of Commissioners within 6 months of the beginning of their deliberations. The Public Safety Council shall assume this function upon its creation.

B. The task force shall establish two working subcommittees: a Gaming Law Enforcement Subcommittee and a Gambling Addiction Treatment Subcommittee.

- 1) The Gaming Law Enforcement Subcommittee shall be composed of representatives from the following organizations:

Multnomah County Sheriff
Multnomah County District Attorney
Portland Police Bureau
Gresham Police Bureau
Troutdale Police Bureau
City of Wood Village
City of Fairview
Oregon State Police

The subcommittee will be chaired by the Multnomah County District Attorney.

- 2) The Gambling Addiction Treatment Subcommittee shall be convened by the Multnomah County Department of Social Services with membership composed of appropriate individuals and organizations including the addictions treatment and mental health communities. The subcommittee will be chaired by the Administrator of Alcohol and Drug Programs.
- 3) The Subcommittees will develop a work plan and budget for the planning effort within the first thirty days of their deliberations. Budgets for implementation activities will coincide with general county budget timelines. Those workplans and budgets will be forwarded directly to the Board for approval.
- 4) The Subcommittees are specifically requested to survey Clackamas County and Washington County about their plans and approaches for the use of video poker revenues. The Subcommittee is urged to explore ways in which their efforts can be combined or leveraged with the Multnomah County project to produce a more comprehensive approach in the region. The Subcommittee's plans are to include any proposed intergovernmental agreements. Pursuant to ORS 461.546, the task force's acceptance of the Gaming Law Enforcement Subcommittee's plan shall be contingent upon agreement between the county and the cities for the provision of gaming law enforcement.

B. The task force's plan shall include a survey of the use of video poker revenue by other Oregon counties. The plan will be consistent with the requirements of effective gaming law enforcement needs in Multnomah County and the development of an appropriate and accountable level of services for individuals involved in gambling addictions.

C. The task force shall also make recommendations to the Board of Commissioners as to any future planning and evaluation efforts which may be necessary to update the plan.

ADOPTED this 5th day of November, 1992

Multnomah County, OREGON

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