

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA

GAMING
Senator Richter, Chair
Senator Sachs, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Friday, November 15, 2013
TIME: 2:00 —5:00 p.m.
PLACE: Jacksonville, Florida

MEMBERS: Senator Richter, Chair; Senator Sachs, Vice Chair; Senators Benacquisto, Braynon, Clemens, Dean, Galvano, Gardiner, Latvala, Lee, Margolis, Montford, and Thrasher

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
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LOCATION:
Florida State College at Jacksonville Downtown Campus, Advanced Technology Center
401 W. State Street, Jacksonville, Florida 32202

WORKSHOP: Public testimony and local perspectives regarding two-part "Florida Gambling Impact Study" Presented

To be listed on the agenda, make request to speak at
<http://www.flsenate.gov/topics/gaming> on or before November 12,2013

Other Related Meeting Documents

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Economic Impacts

1. Donna Blevins (Inverness)
2. Ramon Maury (Tallahassee)
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Gambling and Crime

7. Director Mike Williams (Jacksonville)

Family, Community, and Social Impacts

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Compulsive Gambling

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Family Arcades

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Charity Bingo

34. Jeffrey McIntosh (Davie)

Other

35. Councilman Robin Lumb (Jacksonville)
36. Councilman Doyle Carter (Jacksonville)
37. Milton Champion (Lakeland)

Notes: Others wishing to speak may attend the workshop and fill out appearance cards onsite. After the workshop starts, the list will be appended with speakers who register onsite.

Appearance forms submitted onsite

38. Michael Vance (Yulee)
39. David Allen (Ocala)
40. Richard Gentry (Tallahassee)
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THE FLORIDA SENATE

Senator Maria Lorts Sachs
Minority Leader Pro Tempore
District 34

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The Honorable Chair Garrett Richter
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe Street
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November 7, 2013

Dear Chair Richter,

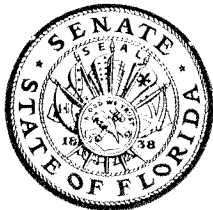
Please excuse my absence from the meeting of the Committee Town Hall on Gaming scheduled for Friday, November 15, 2013, as a previously scheduled conflict in my district has made me unable to make the trip to Jacksonville.

Sincerely,



Senator Maria Sachs
District 34

CC: John Guthrie, Lynn Koon



THE FLORIDA SENATE

Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100

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SENATOR CHARLES S. DEAN, SR.
5th District

October 31, 2013

The Honorable Garrett Richter
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

Dear Chairman Richter,

The purpose of this letter is to seek your permission to be excused from the scheduled Gaming Committee meeting on November 15, 2013. Due to unforeseen personal conflicts which cannot be moved, I will not be able to attend.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me personally.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Charles S. Dean".

Charles S. Dean
State Senator District 5

cc: John Guthrie, Staff Director

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SENATOR JACK LATVALA

20th District

November 1st, 2013

The Honorable Garrett Richter, Chairman
Senate Committee on Gaming
103 Senate Office Building
404 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

Dear Chairman Richter:

I respectfully request to be excused from the meeting of the Committee on Gaming which is scheduled for Friday, November 15th, 2013.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Jack Latvala
State Senator
District 20

Cc: John Guthrie, Staff Director
Lynn Koon, Administrative Assistant

REPLY TO:

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Don Gaetz
President of the Senate

Garrett Richter
President Pro Tempore



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SENATOR TOM LEE

Deputy Majority Leader
24th District

November 15, 2013

Chairman Garrett Richter
Senate Committee on Gaming
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Chairman Richter,

I respectfully request to be excused from the Senate Committee on Gaming Public Workshop on November 15, 2013 in Jacksonville due to a previous commitment.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tom Lee".

Tom Lee
Senator, District 24

Cc John Guthrie

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Joint Legislative Budget Commission

SENATOR GWEN MARGOLIS
35th District

MEMORANDUM

To: Senator Garrett Richter, Chair, Senate Committee on Gaming
From: Senator Gwen Margolis
Subject: Jacksonville workshop
Date: November 12, 2013

I respectfully request that I be excused from the November 15, 2013, workshop in Jacksonville, Florida. I had planned to attend but now am unable to travel there on that day.

Thank you.

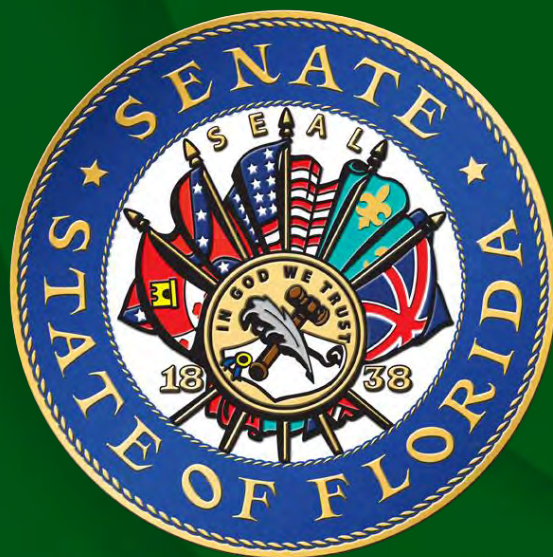
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Public Workshop on Gaming

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#12 Lynn Bouitte



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November 14, 2013

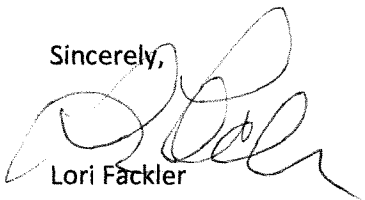
To whom it may concern:

As a lifelong horsewoman living in Ocala I am concerned about our thoroughbred industry. Our area has long been known for its positive impact on the industry. With that has come great monetary influx to the community. However, as our horse farms and racing decline in the state so does the economic impact to the State.

We must do any and everything we can to preserve the thoroughbred industry in the State of Florida as so many other states have already done, which has led to a positive economic effect in their areas.

Please allow Florida to remain a strong force in the thoroughbred industry.

Sincerely,



Lori Fackler



#16 Belinda Peoples

OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL

CLAY YARBOROUGH
VICE PRESIDENT
COUNCIL MEMBER, DISTRICT 1
OFFICE (904) 630-1389
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November 15, 2013

SUITE 425, CITY HALL
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JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA 32202
E-MAIL: CLAY@COJ.NET

Senator Garrett Richter
Senate Gaming Commission
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100

Dear Senator Richter,

The purpose of this letter is to express my opposition to the expansion of legalized gambling in Florida. Studies show that when casinos are introduced into a developed economy like ours, they do little more than cannibalize existing jobs and businesses. Money put in a slot machine or on a blackjack table is money not spent in a local restaurant, entertainment complex, movie theatre, or some other sector of our economy. Analyses conducted in Florida counties suggest overall employment and average wages are unlikely to change due to the introduction of casinos. In fact, when casinos opened in Atlantic City, NJ, 40% of the local restaurants and one-third of the local retail stores went out of business.

In Florida, and especially in Jacksonville, we are blessed with beautiful weather, beaches, and family-friendly entertainment. Florida is a premier national and international tourist destination, a strategic shipping and logistics hub that is rich in history, and home to both NASA and the oldest city in the nation. We do not need casinos to attract visitors.

More gambling contributes to more crime. The Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling reported that 35% percent of callers to its anonymous help line have admitted to committing a crime to support their addiction. The cost of additional law enforcement, losses to individuals and insurance companies, and services for victims means higher taxes for all Floridians. According to the Florida Gaming Study, the cost of problem and pathological gambling are between \$258 million and \$823 million per year. The cost of lifetime gambling problems and disorders are estimated between \$373 million and \$1.19 billion.

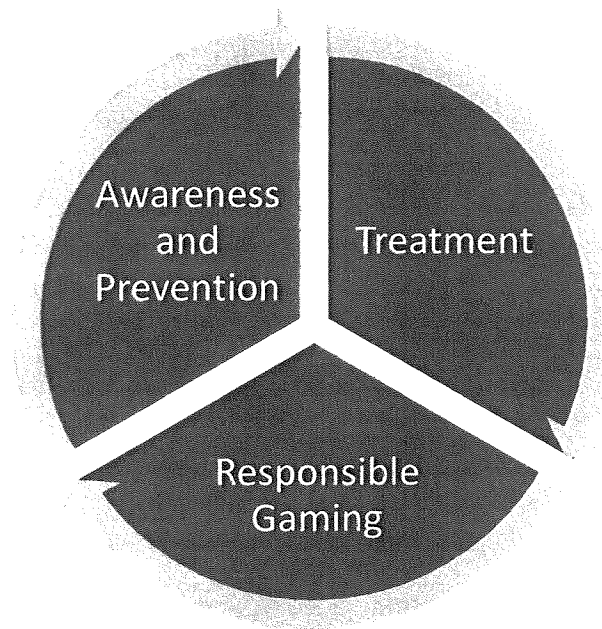
Rather than contributing to economic growth, the gambling industry negatively impacts taxpayers through lost revenue, regulation costs, social costs and related counseling and treatment costs. If Vegas-style casinos are legalized in Florida, taxes paid by casinos simply will not cover all of the destructive byproducts caused by expanded gambling. Florida taxpayers will be left holding the losing hand.

Yours sincerely,

Clay Yarborough
Vice President

#18 Brian Kongsvik

Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling



Three Components Necessary for Responsible Gambling Policymaking

1. **Responsible Gaming**- The industry needs to have serious and strong responsible gaming protocol in place (i.e. self-exclusion policies that work, 888-ADMIT-IT number posted visibly, employee training, limits on check cashing privileges, limited ATMs, etc...).
2. **Treatment**- treatment needs to be available to all those affected. Individuals who suffer from a gambling addiction do not have the funds to pay for counseling services with a certified gambling addiction therapist. Accessible treatment services, provided by certified gambling addiction professionals, for citizens impacted by problem and compulsive gambling.
3. **Education, awareness and prevention**- preventative and educational programming needs to continue and expand across the state in order to minimize the negative impact that comes with gambling availability.



THE HUMANE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES

GREY2K USA WORLDWIDE

#20 Charmaine Scott

ASPCA

Decouple Live Greyhound Racing

- Greyhound racing is a dying industry, and now exists in only seven states. A majority (12 of 21) of all operational greyhound tracks in the United States are in Florida. In the state, the amount gambled at dog tracks declined by 72% between 1990 and 2013.
- Public opposition to greyhound racing is increasing due to humane concerns such as confinement and injuries. At Florida tracks, thousands of greyhounds are kept inside warehouse-style kennels, in small cages barely large enough for the dogs to stand up or turn around. Additionally, since 2004 state investigators have documented at least nine cases of severe neglect at Florida dog tracks and associated kennel compounds.
- The mandatory racing requirement forces greyhound tracks to offer live greyhound racing as a “loss leader” for other, more viable forms of gambling. This comes at a significant cost to both taxpayers and track operators, and conflicts with free market principles.
- Decoupling is not about whether greyhound racing should or should not be legal in Florida, but whether the state should force a business to conduct one activity so that it may offer another. This legislation does not expand gambling in any way.
- Since 1990 the amount of taxes collected by the state for live greyhound racing has declined by 98% from more than \$75 million in 1990 to less than \$2 million in 2012. In the same year, the state spent \$1.88 million on the regulation of live dog racing. Because regulatory costs now exceed the tax revenue from live racing, Florida is losing money on greyhound races.



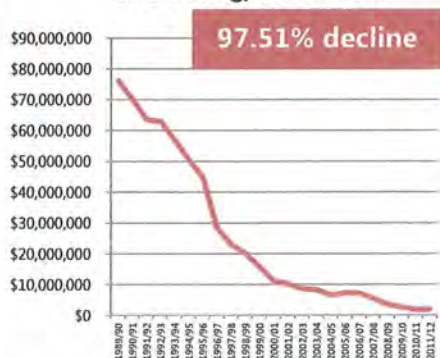
Sweetie Pie of FL

Wagers and taxes collected from greyhound racing in Florida have dramatically declined from 1990 to 2012, yet state mandates require the number of live performances to remain steady.

Total Regular Handle, 1990-2013



Taxes and Fees Collected on Live Racing, 1990 - 2012



Total Live Performances, 1990-2012



Source: Florida Department of Business and Professional Regulation, Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering



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Fact Sheet: Greyhound Injury Reporting

- Greyhound injuries are currently being reported to the public in most states with active dog tracks, including Iowa, West Virginia, Texas and Arkansas.
- This law will save greyhound lives. In the states where greyhound injury reporting laws have been approved, the number of greyhounds euthanized has significantly declined. For example, in Massachusetts the number of dogs euthanized declined by 43% in the first year after lawmakers passed an injury reporting bill. By the sixth year, the number of greyhounds euthanized had declined by 88%.
- Greyhound injury reporting has had absolutely no fiscal impact in the states where it has been approved, and will have no fiscal impact in Florida.



Harley of Florida

Greyhound Injury Reporting Saves Lives

Number of Greyhounds Euthanized in Massachusetts



November 17, 2001
Greyhound injury reporting requirement passed into law

before

after



The number of greyhounds euthanized in Massachusetts declined significantly after the state passed an injury reporting law. In the first year alone, greyhound deaths declined by 43%. By the sixth year, the number of greyhounds euthanized had declined by 88%.

Source: Massachusetts State Racing Commission, 1998 - 2010.

- Some greyhound injury data has been made public through state investigations, and these records suggest a serious problem. For example, twenty-eight greyhounds suffered "substantial" injuries and ten greyhounds were euthanized at Ebro Greyhound Park in the six-week period between May 21, 2011 and July 5, 2011.
- This law is simple and easy to implement. Greyhound injury reports would be completed by trainers and provided on site to state regulators. The Division of Pari-Mutuel Wagering would have no requirement to analyze or compile these records in any way.
- This law will increase transparency. It will dispel false information about the greyhound racing industry and allow the public to have accurate information about dog racing in the state.

Comments to Senate Committee on Gaming

Hearing citizen reactions to the Gambling Impact Study and public perspectives about community impacts will be an important part of the Gaming Committee's fact-based, market-driven decision process. Citizens may speak at public workshops or submit comments in writing. Please use this form to share reactions to the Gambling Impact Study or perspectives about economic and community impacts of gaming.

- Coconut Creek (October 23, 2013) Pensacola (November 14, 2013)
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First Name: Crystal Last Name: Stubblefield

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City: Jax State: FL Zip: 32258

Organization (representing): SELF

Email Address: cstewdfl@yahoo.com

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- Topic: Economic impacts Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 Community impacts Destination Casino Resorts
 Family and Social impacts Cardrooms
 Compulsive Gambling Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 Gambling and Crime Other

For or Against: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: Casinos will not add any more crime than

we have now. If an individual wants to gamble

they go to where there at either way. Gambling is no more

addictive than someone wanting to do drugs they will do

it however they can, just because it's not close doesn't

mean they won't get it that's where they decide to

break the law to get what they want. Gambling

and having casinos is not the problem it's the individuals

decisions who commit crimes.

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people steal and commit crimes rather than
casinos or not. And to top it off if someone
needs money that bad maybe it would provide
employment for them, so they would not
be tempted to steal or spend their savings
trying to win money.

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Crystal Stubblefield

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First Name: SERWATKA Last Name: SCOTT

Street: 1550 WEST 34TH STREET

City: JACKSONVILLE State: FLORIDA Zip: 32209

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: SERWATKASCOTT@HOTMAIL.COM

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Comments: I VOTE YES! FOR THE EXPANSION
AND FEEL IT WOULD HAVE A MORE
RESORTFUL AND MORE CONVENANT
EFFECT FOR FLORIDA IN BRINGING
ON MORE OPPORTUNITY FOR
GAMERS AND ENTERTAINMENT.

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First Name: Camilla Moore Last Name: Moore

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: _____

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For or Against: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against

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Comments: Reason being, there is enough gambling now. Not only with adults, but with children. What kind of example are they showing toward our community. We should be a state setup to build not destroy, and if you all come in with more gambling it will be a destruction. Look at the good of it, and look at the bad of it. It has so many bad outcomes, like

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Killing, stealing, etc... It isn't any good that would come out of gambling. No, gambling, No gambling, No gambling.

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First Name: Joe Butler Last Name: Butler

Street: 384 Logan Ave

City: Orange Park State: FL Zip: 32065

Organization (representing): Black Creek Baptist Association

Email Address: _____

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Comments: Bad Bet because it is a Moral Issue
Promotes "something for nothing" mentality.

② Money Issue } who wins? who loses? Follow the \$
How's the Lottery working for Education?

③ Mythical Issue } promotes everybody can be a winner
but no one wins. Highly addictive, but talked
about little.

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First Name: Steve Last Name: Perry

Street: 1440 Goulina Terrace

City: Dalton State: GA Zip: 30725

Organization (representing): Boyle Center of Florida BC&F

Email Address: o.perry@boylelanes.com

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For or Against: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

1 Important Component of Family Reun Centers are Amusement Games
Conceded they require 100% skill. Eliminate many popular games need to move closer
to natural strength Predominance of "SBill"

(2) Removes provisions of 50 GAME RULE it is anti gambler
and might affect most Reun centers.

Comments to Senate Committee on Gaming

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First Name: Beverly Last Name: LeGrand

Street: 5490 Greenland Rd.

City: Jacksonville State: FLA Zip: 32258

Organization (representing): SELF

Email Address: _____

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Comments: casinos should be allowed in the Jacksonville area
because they would create 3, to 5 Thousand Jobs per casino
also they would create alot of revenue for the state,
county by taxing the casino, up to \$500,000 per day and
weekends & holidays up to from \$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000 that's
alot of money for the state & city, & the citizens, over

This form is part of the public record for the workshop.

They would be
governed by a
state gaming committee

Beverly LAGland
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would not have to be taxed to death given the state of the economy today.

also the casino would not have be built in the city proper, it could be built west of the city 10-15- or 20 miles west.

Crime it would not induce crime contrary to what some say, in fact casinos have more security than any place I know. In addition to the so call eye in the sky which is monitored 24/7 they also have private uniformed personnel also plain clothes police that you would think would be just another player like you. And they are trained to know what to look for & what to do, that's in addition to supervisors, management & other personnel that works there, that includes parking areas, I have been going to casinos for 30 to 35 years & I feel more safe there than on the street, malls, or movie theaters.

Now money wise I will agree that there are a small percentage of the people who goes that spend to much. They usually learn real quick how much they can alot themselves to spend each time they go. Also a few will become addicted & will need help. But for the majority they don't.

Now most of those who are against gaming has never been to a casino & never played.

They only hear & read about them, so they just don't know. Yes some will become addicted & some will spend more than they should but for the amount who go its a small percentage. But for jobs & economically we need this.

Registered Speakers

Friday, November 15, 2013, 2:00 — 5:00 PM

Florida State College at Jacksonville Downtown Campus, 401 W. State Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202

Economic Impacts

- 1 Donna Blevins (Inverness)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Expansion of Gaming

Representing Poker Players Alliance

Address: 1108 E INVERNESS BLVD #611, INVERNESS, FL 34452

Comments:
As the Director of the Florida State Chapter of Poker Players Alliance, I speak for over 55,000 Florida members, who want to see online poker smartly legislated by Florida, as well as greater opportunities to play in legal cardrooms through the state.
- 2 Ramon Maury (Tallahassee)** Lobbyist yes

Position: For Information Only

Representing Florida Greyhound Association

Address: 514 E. COLLEGE AVENUE, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32302

Comments:
- 3 Roger Cable (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Expansion of Gaming

Representing

Address: 4600 ARROW WIND LANE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32258

Comments:
My casino visits outside of the state and how I feel my gambling dollars should stay within the state to help our economy.
- 4 Carnell Oliver (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Expansion of Gaming

Representing myself

Address: 8527 OAK LEAF RD, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32208

Comments:
speak about it at the meeting.
- 5 Richard Cain (St. Augustine)** Lobbyist no

Position: Against Expansion of Gaming

Representing Florida Attractions Association

Address: 138 LIONS GATE DR., ST. AUGUSTINE, FL 32080

Comments:
In support of maintaining current level of gambling as any increase could threaten the Florida Tourism brand as Family Friendly.""

6 Teresa Palmer (Morriston) Lobbyist yes
Position: For Information Only
Representing
Address: 6694 NW 150TH AVE., MORRISTON, FL 32668
Comments:

Gambling and Crime

7 Director Mike Williams (Jacksonville) Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
Representing Florida Sheriffs Association
Address: 501 EAST BAY STREET, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
Comments:

Family, Community and Social Impacts

8 Joni Byrd (Panama City) Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
Representing
Address: PANAMA CITY, FL 32404
Comments:
I have lived in several states/cities with nearby casinos and video slot gaming, and have seen the impact from a first-person perspective. In grad school for Counseling, I studied Gambling Addiction under a leading expert in our state and have concern for our local citizens.

9 Rick Hartley (Jacksonville) Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
Representing self
Address: 4844 RIVER POINT ROAD, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207
Comments:
Expanding gaming harms the moral fiber of our community

10 Councilman Don Redman (Jacksonville) Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
Representing City Council Member Jax
Address: 117 WEST DUVAL STREET, SUITE 425, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
Comments:

11 **David Nevius (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: Neither For nor Against

Representing

Address: 1430 GRANDVIEW DRIVE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32211

Comments:

I will be speaking on how much greyhound racing means to me and my family and the importance of keeping greyhound racing in the State of Florida.

12 **Lynne Boutte (Reddick)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Information Only

Representing

Address: REDDICK, FL 32686

Comments:

We have been in the Thoroughbred industry for over 30 years in a family run business yet have had to discourage our kids out of the industry due to the instability. Please help set guidelines that stabilizes our industry. Racinos could not have gotten their foot in the door without the horses.

13 **Terry Kasberg (Spring Hill)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Expansion of Gaming

Representing

Address: 13371 CECIL CT, SPRING HILL, FL 34609

Comments:

Discussing the impacts of gaming in fl.

14 **Les Bernal (Washington, DC)** Lobbyist no

Position: Against Expansion of Gaming

Representing Stop Predatory Gambling

Address: 100 MARYLAND AVENUE NE, ROOM 310, WASHINGTON, DC 20002

Comments:

really here to speak about all topics listed

15 **Ben Goldsmith (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: Against Expansion of Gaming

Representing

Address: 5860 MT. CARMEL TERRACE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32216

Comments:

16 **BeLinda Peebles (Jacksonville, FL)** Lobbyist no

Position: Against Expansion of Gaming

Representing Jacksonville City Council Vice President Clay Yarborough

Address: 117 W. DUVAL STREET, SUITE 425, JACKSONVILLE, FL, FL 32202

Comments:

17 **Mary Lib Stevenson (Green Cove Springs)** Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
Representing American Family Forum
Address: 3691 WINGED FOOT CIRCLE, GREEN COVE SPRINGS, FL 32043
Comments:

Compulsive Gambling

18 **Brian Kongsvik (Altamonte Springs)** Lobbyist yes
Position: Neither For nor Against
Representing FCCG
Address: ALTAMONTE SPRINGS, FL 32714
Comments:
To speak about the Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling and the 888 ADMIT-IT HelpLine. Also to speak about the adverse effects associated with compulsive gambling.

19 **Neil Roepke (Columbia, SC)** Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gaming
Representing
Address: COLUMBIA, SC 29203
Comments:
My remarks will be intended to enlighten Legislators on the relationship of the group responsible for the effort to decouple greyhound racing (Grey2K USA) to the anti-gambling lobby as well as current efforts by Grey2K to abolish simulcast wagering in other states.

Decoupling

20 **William Alexander (Panama City Beach)** Lobbyist no
Position: Neither For nor Against
Representing
Address: 414 WAHOO RD., PANAMA CITY BEACH, FL 32405
Comments:
Resent taxes subsidizing greyhound racing and so for decoupling and self-funding by racetracks to pay their regulatory costs

21 **Charmaine Settle (Delray Beach)** Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gaming
Representing
Address: 300 S OCEAN BLVD UNIT W20, DELRAY BEACH, FL 33483
Comments:
Support Decoupling in FL

22 Dottie Boon (Jacksonville) Lobbyist no
Position: Neither For nor Against
Representing GREY@KUSA
Address: 3073 BRIDLEWOOD LANE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32257
Comments:
Decoupling or seperating Greyhound racing from other forms of gambling. Also, encouraging injury transparency of Greyhounds.

Racinos and Pari-mutuels

23 Jack Cory (Tallahassee) Lobbyist yes
Position: For Information Only
Representing
Address: TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301
Comments:

24 Jim Blanchard (Tallahassee) Lobbyist no
Position: For Information Only
Representing
Address: TALLAHASSEE, FL 32301
Comments:

25 Marianne Audley (Pompano Beach) Lobbyist no
Position: For Information Only
Representing Florida Standardbred Breeders & Owners Assn.
Address: 1800 SW 3RD STREET, POMPANO BEACH, FL 33069
Comments:

26 Michael Jordan (Palm Bay) Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gaming
Representing none myself
Address: 3298 IDEAL AVENUE, PALM BAY, FL 32905
Comments:
Upstate has its big casinos and out west has its big casinos why cant Florida. I live in Melbourne were i see no people betting on the outside dogs i see no people during race season outside in the stands every time. Im usually the lonely better. So please approve slots, because we already voted in Melbourne for it, just like palm beach.

27 **Christopher Grieb (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Information Only

Representing

Address: 111 E. 1ST ST., JACKSONVILLE, FL 32206

Comments:

I plan to outline my experiences in racing as a trainer - how a single person and a single kennel can impact a community.

28 **John Shaw (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no

Position: For Expansion of Gaming

Representing Florida Quarter Horse Racing Asso.

Address: P.O. BOX 28620, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32226

Comments:

My family has been in business of raising and racing Quarter and Thoroughbred horses 65 plus years and want to give explanation of how i feel the raising and racing of horses affects the economy of Florida in a plus fashion.

29 **Todd Byers (Daytona Beach)** Lobbyist no

Position: Neither For nor Against

Representing Daytona Beach Kennel Club Kennel Owners Association

Address: 1170 FORESTWOOD ST, DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32119

Comments:

30 **LaDonna Miller (Daytona Beach)** Lobbyist no

Position: Neither For nor Against

Representing The Pro Greyhound Movement

Address: DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32119

Comments:

31 **Casey Alves (Port Orange)** Lobbyist no

Position: Neither For nor Against

Representing

Address: PORT ORANGE, FL 32127

Comments:

32 **Mike Morrissey (South Daytona)** Lobbyist no

Position: Neither For nor Against

Representing

Address: SOUTH DAYTONA, FL 32119

Comments:

Family Arcades

- 33 **Steve Perry (Deltona)** Lobbyist no
- Position: For Information Only
- Representing Orange Bowl Lanes
- Address: 1440 GALENA TERRACE, DELTONA, FL 32725
- Comments:
REPRESENTING BCAF BOWLING CENTERS ASSOCIATION OF FLORIDA. WANT TO INSURE BOWLING CENTERS RECREATION GAME ROOMS AND REDEMPTION CENTERS ARE NOT LUMPED INTO GAMING LAWS REGULATING ACTUAL GAMBLING AND GAMING AND NOT FAMILY FUN CENTERS

Charity Bingo

- 34 **Jeffrey McIntosh (Davie)** Lobbyist no
- Position: Neither For nor Against
- Representing
- Address: DAVIE, FL 33328
- Comments:
I would like to discuss the impact of casinos on Bingo from a distributors standpoint as well as requesting special attention to charity bingo as this process moves forward

Other

- 35 **Councilman Robin Lumb (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no
- Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
- Representing Jacksonville City Council
- Address: 117 W DUVAL ST, SUITE 425, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
- Comments:
Destination Casino Resorts are bad for Florida's economy.
- 36 **Councilman Doyle Carter (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no
- Position: Against Expansion of Gaming
- Representing
- Address: 117 W. DUVAL STREET, SUITE 425, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202
- Comments:
- 37 **Milton Champion (Lakeland)** Lobbyist yes
- Position: For Expansion of Gaming
- Representing
- Address: 7870 COUNTRY CHASE AVE., LAKE LAND, FL 33810
- Comments:
Short closing comments based on the input of all the workshops. Scenario G, decouple, gaming commission, compulsive gambling, crime and economic impact

Registered onsite

38 **Michael Vance (Yulee)** Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gambling
Representing Self
Address: POST OFFICE 1546, YULEE, FL 32041
Comments:
Thank you for your time

39 **David Allen (Ocala)** Lobbyist no
Position: For Information Only
Representing Florida Equine Publications,
Address: 4 BANYAN PASS, OCALA, FL 34472
Comments:
Importance of horse breeding and racing to the State of Florida

40 **Richard Gentry (Tallahassee)** Lobbyist yes
Position: For Expansion of Gambling
Representing Hamilton Jai Alai
Address: 2305 BRAEBURN CIRCLE, TALLAHASSEE, FL 32309
Comments:

41 **Marian Rees (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling
Representing GREY@KUSA
Address: 13639 QUEEN HAND BLVD, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32225
Comments:

42 **Judith Hankins (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no
Position: Neither For nor Against
Representing Local Resident
Address: 5561 MILMAR DR. N., JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207
Comments:

43 **Gordon Reiss (Ocala)** Lobbyist
Position:
Representing Economic -Throughbred Industry
Address: 1055 SW AVE, OCALA, FL 34476
Comments:

44 Denise Dyer (Liberty, SC)	Lobbyist
Position: Representing Address: 245 VENTURE DRIVE, LIBERTY, SC 29657 Comments: Speak regarding care of greyhounds at live racing tracks	
45 Melinda Eckert (Jacksonville)	Lobbyist
Position: Representing Address: 5620 ROBERT SCOTT DRIVE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32207 Comments:	
46 Bobby Brooks (Fern Park)	Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gambling Representing Orlando Jai Alai Address: 6405 SOUTH US HIGHWAY 17-92, FERN PARK, FL 30730 Comments: For expansion of gambling	
47 Kate MacFall (Tallahassee)	Lobbyist Yes
Position: Representing Humane Society of the United States Address: 1624 METROPOLITAN BLVD., TALLAHASSEE, FL 32308 Comments:	
48 Jeremiah Johnson (Jacksonville)	Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling Representing The People of Florida Address: 4117 SANTEE ROAD, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32209 Comments:	
49 Marcia Winnard (Jacksonville)	Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling Representing Jax Music Together Address: 1303 MCDUFF AVENUE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32205 Comments: We need to thinki about the future of our children	

50 **Michael Clouser (Fernandina Beach)** Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling
Representing
Address: 388 TARPON AVENUE, FERNANDINA BEACH, FL 32234
Comments:

51 **Richard Goldman (St. Augustine)** Lobbyist no
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling
Representing Visitors & Beaches Conventions Blvd.
Address: 29 OLD MISSION AVENUE, ST. AUGUSTINE, FL 32084
Comments:

52 **Gregory Weitzel (Inverness)** Lobbyist no
Position: For Expansion of Gambling
Representing
Address: 1108 E. INVERNESS, INVERNESS, FL 34452
Comments:

53 **Melaney McKinnies (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist
Position: For Expansion of Gambling
Representing Greyhound Racing
Address: 5926 PICKETVILLE RD., JACKSONVILLE, FL 32254
Comments:

54 **Lisa Phillips (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist no
Position:
Representing Grey2K
Address: 4742 SHERMAN HILLS PKWY, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32210
Comments:
For greyhound decoupling and injury reporting

55 **Nancy McGowan (Jacksonville)** Lobbyist
Position: Against Expansion of Gambling
Representing
Address: 3695 SAN VISCAYA DRIVE, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32217
Comments:

56 **Paul Renner (Jacksonville)**

Lobbyist

Position: Against Expansion of Gambling

Representing

Address: 14 E. BAY STREET, JACKSONVILLE, FL 32202

Comments:

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First Name: MICHAEL Last Name: VANCE

Street: P.O. Box 1546

City: YULEE State: FL Zip: 32041-1546

Organization (representing): SELF

Email Address: NONE

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Telephone: 904-225-8673

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
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Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
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Comments: THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME,

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First Name: DAVID Last Name: ALLEN

Street: 4 BANYAN PASS

City: Ocala State: FL Zip: 34472

Organization (representing): FLORIDA EQUINE PUBLICATIONS,

FLORIDA THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' & OWNERS ASSOCIATION
Email Address: daveallen7@yahoo.com

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Telephone: (313) 617-8292

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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Comments: IMPORTANCE OF HORSE BREEDING AND RACING
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First Name: RICHARD Last Name: GENTRY

Street: 2305 BRAEBURN CIRCLE

City: Tallahassee State: FL Zip: 32309

Organization (representing): HAMILTON JAI ALAI

Email Address: RGENTRY@COMCAST.NET

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Telephone: 850-251-1837

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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First Name: MARIAN Last Name: Rees

Street: 13639 Queen's Hand Blvd

City: JAX State: FL Zip: 32225

Organization (representing): Grey-2-K

Email Address: MDREES1@comcast.net

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Telephone: 904.619.3939

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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Comments: _____

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First Name: Judith Last Name: Hankins

Street: 5561 Milman Dr. N.

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32207

Organization (representing): ~~Grey 2K USA~~ local resident

Email Address: judithhankins06@comcast.net

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Telephone: 904-724-8188

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
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Comments: _____

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First Name: Gordon Last Name: Reiss

Street: 1055 SW Ave

City: Ocala State: FL Zip: 34476

Organization (representing): Economic - Thoroughbred Industry

Email Address: GordonReiss@embargo@mail.com

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Telephone: 352-812-2879

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

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Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against

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Comments: _____

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First Name: Denise Dyer Last Name: Dyer

Street: 245 Venture Drive

City: Liberty State: SC Zip: 29657

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: denisedyer200@yahoo.com

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Telephone: 864-506-6924

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
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 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against

Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: Speak regarding care of greyhounds at live-racing tracks

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First Name: Melinda Last Name: Eckert

Street: 5620 Robert Scott Dr

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32207

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: Eckert.5620@comcast.net

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Telephone: 904 730 0385

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Economic impacts | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Racinos and Pari-mutuels |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community impacts | <input type="checkbox"/> Destination Casino Resorts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family and Social impacts | <input type="checkbox"/> Cardrooms |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compulsive Gambling | <input type="checkbox"/> Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gambling and Crime | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

- Speaking:
- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> For Expansion of Gambling | <input type="checkbox"/> Neither For nor Against |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Against Expansion of Gambling | <input type="checkbox"/> For Information Only |

Comments: _____

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Appearance Card for Public Workshop on Gaming

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Staff use only: _____

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- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: BOBBY Last Name: BROOKS

Street: 6405 S. U.S. HWY. 17-92

City: FERN PARK State: FL Zip: 32730

Organization (representing): ORLANDO JAI ALAI

Email Address: BBROOKS@ORLANDOJAIALAI.COM

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Telephone: 407-339-6221

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

- Speaking:
- For Expansion of Gambling
 - Against Expansion of Gambling
 - Neither For nor Against
 - For Information Only

Comments: _____

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- Lakeland (October 30, 2013)
- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Kate Last Name: Mac Fall

Street: 1624 Metropolitan Blvd.

City: Tallahassee State: FL Zip: 32308

Organization (representing): Home Society of the United States

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: 850 508-1001

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Community impacts
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Cardrooms
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

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- Lakeland (October 30, 2013)
- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Jeremiah Last Name: Johnson

Street: 4117 Santee Pk.

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32209

Organization (representing): The people (public) of FL.

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: 904-236-8432 or 904-577-4612

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

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Pensacola (November 14, 2013)

Lakeland (October 30, 2013)

Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Maneta Last Name: Winnard

Street: 1303 S. McRuff Ave.

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32205

Organization (representing): Jax Music Together

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: 904-465-4328

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

Topic: Economic impacts

Racinos and Pari-mutuels

Community impacts

Destination Casino Resorts

Family and Social impacts

Cardrooms

Compulsive Gambling

Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades

Gambling and Crime

Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling

Neither For nor Against

Against Expansion of Gambling

For Information Only

Comments: We need to think about the future of our children

#50

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- Lakeland (October 30, 2013)
- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Michael Last Name: Clouser

Street: 388 Tarpon Ave.

City: Fernandina Beach State: FL Zip: 32204

Organization (representing): self

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: (904) 598-4098

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

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- Pensacola (November 14, 2013)
- Lakeland (October 30, 2013)
- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: RICHARD Last Name: GOLDMAN

Street: 29 OLD MISSION AVENUE

City: ST. AUGUSTINE State: FL Zip: 32084

Organization (representing): ST. AUGUSTINE PONTE VEDRA & THE BEACHES VISITORS AND CONVENTIONS BUREAU

Email Address: R.GOLDMAN@FLORIDAS HISTORIC COAST.COM

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Telephone: 904.209.4426

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Community impacts
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Cardrooms
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: ALSO REPRESENTING FRLA, SAAA,

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- Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: GREGORY Last Name: WEITZEL

Street: 1108 E. INVERNESS

City: INVERNESS State: FL Zip: 34452

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: GREGORY WEITZEL@YAHOO.COM

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Telephone: _____

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against

Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

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I request to speak at the Gaming Public Workshop: Staff use only: _____

- Coconut Creek (October 23, 2013) Pensacola (November 14, 2013)
- Lakeland (October 30, 2013) Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Melaney Last Name: McKinney

Street: 5926 Picketville Rd

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32254

Organization (representing): Greyhound Racing

Email Address: Melaney.McKinney@gmail.com

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Telephone: 904-403-8489

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Community impacts Destination Casino Resorts
 - Family and Social impacts Cardrooms
 - Compulsive Gambling Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Gambling and Crime Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

#587

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I request to speak at the Gaming Public Workshop:

Staff use only: _____

Coconut Creek (October 23, 2013)

Pensacola (November 14, 2013)

Lakeland (October 30, 2013)

Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Lisa

Last Name: Phillips

Street: 4742 Sherman Hills Pkwy

City: Jax

State: FL

Zip: 32210

Organization (representing): Grey2K

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: 904 771 0351

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

Topic: Economic impacts

Racinos and Pari-mutuels

Community impacts

Destination Casino Resorts

Family and Social impacts

Cardrooms

Compulsive Gambling

Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades

Gambling and Crime

Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling

Neither For nor Against

Against Expansion of Gambling

For Information Only

Comments: For greyhound decoupling

and injury reporting

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I request to speak at the Gaming Public Workshop:

Staff use only: _____

Coconut Creek (October 23, 2013)

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Lakeland (October 30, 2013)

Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: Nancy Last Name: McGowan

Street: 3695 San Viscaya Drive

City: Jacksonville State: FL Zip: 32217

Organization (representing): Jacksonville Citizen

Email Address: _____

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Telephone: (904) 737-0944

Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against
 Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____

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Pensacola (November 14, 2013)

Lakeland (October 30, 2013)

Jacksonville (November 15, 2013)

First Name: PAUL

Last Name: RENNER

Street: 14 E. BAY ST.

City: JACKSONVILLE State: FL Zip: 32202

Organization (representing): _____

Email Address: preenner@mitamhoward.com

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Telephone: _____

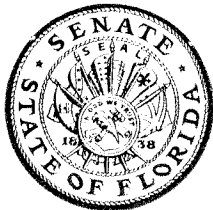
Lobbyist registered with Legislature: Yes No

- Topic:
- Economic impacts
 - Community impacts
 - Family and Social impacts
 - Compulsive Gambling
 - Gambling and Crime
 - Racinos and Pari-mutuels
 - Destination Casino Resorts
 - Cardrooms
 - Internet Cafes or Adult Arcades
 - Other

Speaking: For Expansion of Gambling Neither For nor Against

Against Expansion of Gambling For Information Only

Comments: _____



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Civil Justice
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SENATOR CHARLES S. DEAN, SR.
5th District

October 31, 2013

The Honorable Garrett Richter
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

Dear Chairman Richter,

The purpose of this letter is to seek your permission to be excused from the scheduled Gaming Committee meeting on November 15, 2013. Due to unforeseen personal conflicts which cannot be moved, I will not be able to attend.

Should you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me personally.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Charles S. Dean".

Charles S. Dean
State Senator District 5

cc: John Guthrie, Staff Director

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- 405 Tompkins Street, Inverness, Florida 34450 (352) 860-5175
- 311 Senate Office Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100 (850) 487-5005
- 315 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, Florida 34471-2689 (352) 873-6513

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SENATOR JACK LATVALA

20th District

November 1st, 2013

The Honorable Garrett Richter, Chairman
Senate Committee on Gaming
103 Senate Office Building
404 S. Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

Dear Chairman Richter:

I respectfully request to be excused from the meeting of the Committee on Gaming which is scheduled for Friday, November 15th, 2013.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



Jack Latvala
State Senator
District 20

Cc: John Guthrie, Staff Director
Lynn Koon, Administrative Assistant

REPLY TO:

- 26133 U.S. Highway 19 North, Suite 201 Clearwater, FL 33763 (727) 793-2797
- 408 Senate Office Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100 (850) 487-5020

Senate's Website: www.flsenate.gov

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President of the Senate

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President Pro Tempore



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Ethics and Elections
Gaming
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SENATOR TOM LEE

Deputy Majority Leader
24th District

November 15, 2013

Chairman Garrett Richter
Senate Committee on Gaming
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe St.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Dear Chairman Richter,

I respectfully request to be excused from the Senate Committee on Gaming Public Workshop on November 15, 2013 in Jacksonville due to a previous commitment.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Tom Lee".

Tom Lee
Senator, District 24

Cc John Guthrie

REPLY TO:

- 915 Oakfield Drive, Suite D, Brandon, Florida 33511 (813) 653-7061
- 418 Senate Office Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100 (850) 487-5024

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President of the Senate

GARRETT RICHTER
President Pro Tempore



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SENATOR GWEN MARGOLIS
35th District

MEMORANDUM

To: Senator Garrett Richter, Chair, Senate Committee on Gaming
From: Senator Gwen Margolis
Subject: Jacksonville workshop
Date: November 12, 2013

I respectfully request that I be excused from the November 15, 2013, workshop in Jacksonville, Florida. I had planned to attend but now am unable to travel there on that day.

Thank you.

REPLY TO:

- 3050 Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 600, Miami, Florida 33137 (305) 571-5777
- 414 Senate Office Building, 404 South Monroe Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-1100 (850) 487-5035

Senate's Website: www.flsenate.gov

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President Pro Tempore

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Minority Leader Pro Tempore
District 34

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The Honorable Chair Garrett Richter
404 Senate Office Building
404 South Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100

November 7, 2013

Dear Chair Richter,

Please excuse my absence from the meeting of the Committee Town Hall on Gaming scheduled for Friday, November 15, 2013, as a previously scheduled conflict in my district has made me unable to make the trip to Jacksonville.

Sincerely,



Senator Maria Sachs
District 34

CC: John Guthrie, Lynn Koon

CourtSmart Tag Report

Room: SB 401

Case:

Caption: Public workshop on Gaming, Jacksonville, Florida November 15, 2013

Type:

Judge:

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Length: 02:17:48

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1:57:41 PM Senator Richter thanking Florida Channel
1:58:37 PM Chairman Richter explaining process
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2:00:57 PM Senator Richter
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2:02:00 PM Senator Clemons making comments
2:02:11 PM Senator Montford making comments
2:02:30 PM Senator Thrasher making comments
2:03:25 PM Senator Benaquisto making comments
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2:04:54 PM Senator Richter introduces himself
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2:14:14 PM Roger Cable, Jacksonville, Florida
2:16:27 PM Carnell Oliver, Jacksonville, Florida
2:18:36 PM Represenative MacBurny
2:18:55 PM Richard Cain, St. Augustine, Florida
2:20:59 PM Teresa Palmer, Morriston, Florida
2:24:24 PM John Shaw, Jacksonville, Florida
2:29:02 PM Director Mike Williams, Jacksonville, Florida
2:31:45 PM Joni Byrd, Panama City, Florida
2:35:53 PM Councilman Don Redman, Jacksonville, Florida
2:38:31 PM David Nevius, Jacksonville, Florida
2:40:53 PM Lynne Bouttee, Reddick, Florida
2:43:35 PM Les Bernal, Washington DC
2:47:51 PM Belinda Peeples, Jacksonville, Florida
2:51:19 PM Mary Lib Stevenson, Green Cove Springs, Florida
2:54:14 PM Brian Kongsvik, Altamonte Springs, Florida
2:56:51 PM Neil Roepke, Columbia, SC
2:58:46 PM William Alexander, Panama City Beach, Florida
3:01:03 PM Charmaine Settle, Delray Beach, Florida
3:04:35 PM Dottie Boon, Jacksonville, Florida
3:07:02 PM Jack Cory, Tallahassee, Florida
3:09:06 PM Jim Blanchard, Tallahassee, Florida
3:11:48 PM Marianne Audley, Pompano Beach, Florida
3:14:22 PM Christopher Grieb, Jacksonville, Florida
3:16:31 PM Todd Byers, Daytona Beach, Florida
3:19:48 PM Casey Alves, Port Orange, Florida
3:21:39 PM Steve Perry, Deltona, Florida
3:24:03 PM Jeffery McIntosh, Davie, Florida
3:26:50 PM Councilman Robin Lumb, Jacksonville, Florida
3:28:59 PM Michael Vance, Yulee, Florida
3:31:16 PM David Allen, Ocala, Florida
3:34:28 PM Richard Gentry, Tallahassee, Florida
3:36:35 PM Mariam Rees, Jacksonville, Florida
3:37:38 PM Judith Hankins, Jacksonville

3:38:50 PM Gordon Reiss, Ocala, Florida
3:41:18 PM Denise Dyer, Liberty, SC
3:42:31 PM Bobby Brooks, Fern Park, Florida
3:44:41 PM Kate MacFall, Tallahassee, Florida
3:46:24 PM Jeremiah Johnson, Jacksonville, Florida
3:48:56 PM Marcia Winnard, Jacksonville, Florida
3:51:19 PM Michael Clouser, Fernandina Beach, Florida
3:53:56 PM Richard Goldman, St. Augustine, Florida
3:55:48 PM Ben Goldsmith, Jacksonville, Florida
3:57:43 PM Lisa Phillips, Jacksonville, Florida
3:58:56 PM Melaney McKinnies, Jacksonville, Florida
4:00:42 PM Nancy McGown, Jacksonville, Florida
4:03:03 PM Paul Renner, Jacksonville, Florida
4:04:03 PM Senator Richter making comments
4:05:18 PM Senator Montford with closing comments
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4:06:31 PM Senator Benaquisto with closing comments
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4:08:05 PM Representative McBurny with closing comments
4:08:55 PM Senator Richter's closing comments
4:09:11 PM Senator Richter thanking staff and Sgt. office
4:09:33 PM Senator Richter with closing comments
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