



## Charitable Gambling Making a Difference

The resources and regulation that make charitable gambling work for the people of Minnesota

### What is “Charitable Gambling”?

- pull-tabs
- bingo
- raffles
- tipboards
- paddlewheels
- primarily in bars and clubs

### What isn't “Charitable Gambling”?

- the Lottery
- Tribal casinos
- horse racing

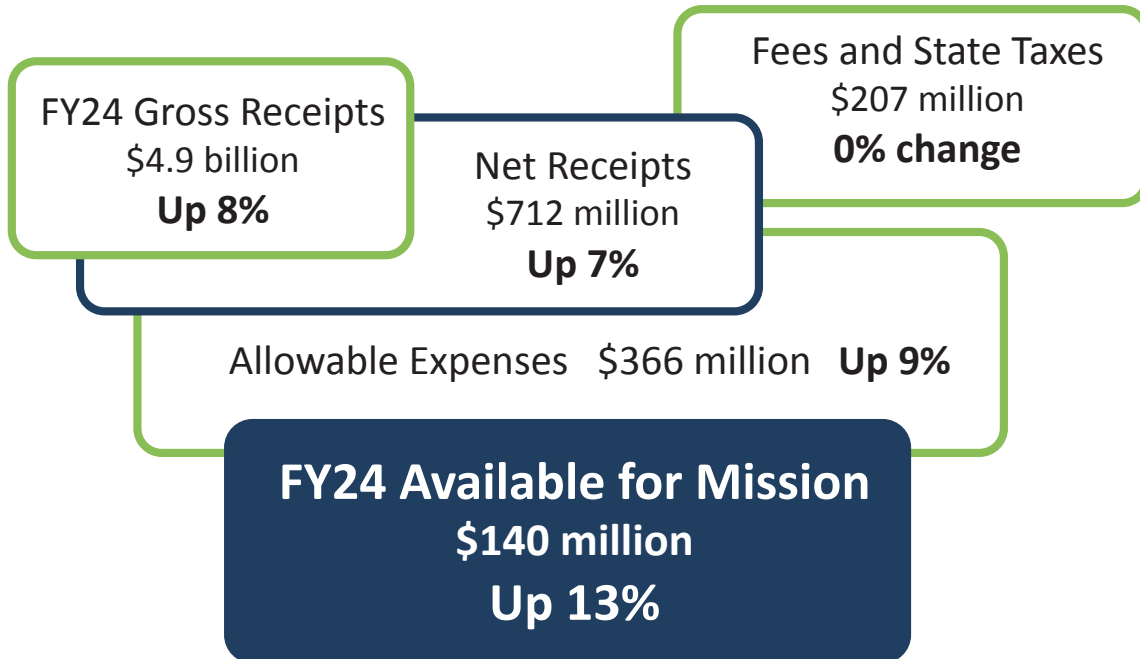
### Why is it called “charitable” gambling?

- all the gambling activity is run by charities and nonprofits
  - by 1100+ licensed nonprofits
  - at 3000+ sites
- the proceeds are required—by law—to support charitable causes

### How large was the **industry** last year?

- \$4.9 billion in sales
- \$4.3 billion in prizes
- \$170 million in tax revenue
- \$140 million supporting charitable causes

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## What is the **Gambling Control Board**?

- a seven-member citizen Board
- a staff of 50
- a budget of \$6 million (that comes from regulatory fees)
- four regional offices
- responsibilities include:
  - Site inspections
  - Compliance reviews
  - Licensing restrictions
  - Investigations
  - Education and outreach

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