## **Montana Lottery Commission Meeting Minutes**

9:00am to 10:20am

September 14, 2023

## 1. Call to Order – Establish Quorum- Introduction of Board & Staff Members (0:00:20)

## **Commissioners Present:**

Leo Prigg, (CPA) Commission Chair

Jon Metropoulas, (Attorney) Commissioner

Tony Harbaugh, (Retired Sheriff) Commissioner

Steve Morris, (Retailer Public Representative) Commissioner

Janna Taylor, (Public Representative) Commissioner

#### **Commissioners Absent:**

None

### **Directors Present:**

Scott Sales, Montana Lottery Director

Armond Sergeant, finance Director

Philip Charpentier, IT Director

Anne Charpentier, Marketing and Sales Director

Bryan Costigan, Security Director

# **Lottery Employees Present:**

Chase Peaslee, Online Creative Services Manager

Logan Jackson, Sales Manager

Cory Radliff, Customer Services Representative

Dan Iverson, Communications Manager

Celina Becton, marketing Insights Associate



Jay Boughn, instant Product Manager

f. Approved (0:25:03)

	Guests:
	Ben Karzmel, Interlot General Manager
	John Iverson, Tavern Association
	Scott Richner, Kalispell, MT
	Carol Kruger, Went
	Online Guest:
	Sean
	Patrick Johnson
	Jolene Boyd
	Kassie Kultgen
	Micheal Remmy
	Dan
	James West
	Ronda Wiggers
2. Approval of past meeting minutes (0:04:12)	
	a. Review for approval for past minutes on the dates of June 15, 2023, and July 14, 2023, by the Commission. $(0:05:24)$
	b. Leo Prigge, Motion to approve the minutes of the last meeting. (0:04:46)
	c. Approved (0:05:24)
3. Financial Report, given by Armond Sergeant, Finance Director, for June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2023, and 2022 (0:06:49)	
	a. Net Position (0:08:02)
	b. Revenue Expenses (0:11:26)
	c. Budget and Actual (0:16:24)
	d. Revenue by Game (0:17:15)
	e. Leo Prigge, with a Motion to approve. (0:24:37)



- 4. Information Technology up -date given by Phil Charpentier, IT Director (0:25:26)
  - a. Sports Bet Kiosk, "LOST FUNDS" up-date and resolution (in partnership of Intralot). (0:06:25)
  - b. Commissioner Morris opens discussion on various Sales Agent and Player resolutions.
    (0:30:34)
  - c. IT is ready for Dream Touch/Speed Play product. (0:38:34)
  - d. Update on W2G Report for Sports Bet winners. (0:39:23)
  - e. Exit interview for Legislative Committee Audit for IT security. (0:40:49)
  - f. Testing on Sports Bet and Millionaire games on app. (0:41:48)
  - g. "Switch over" event between Duluth and Helena locations. (0:42:31)
  - h. Floor open for discussion and questioning. (0:44:04)
- 5. Intralot Report given by Ben Kamerzel, General Manager Intralot. (0:48:25)
  - a. Intralot Update (0:48:37)
    - i. New Engineers working on backlog. (0:48:42)
    - ii. Supply Chain and Procurement. (049:05)
    - iii. Bi- Annual Voluntary Audit. (0:50:29)
    - iv. Terminal Numbers. (0:50:55)
- 6. Marketing and Sales Report given by Anne Charpentier, Marketing and Sales Director. (0:53:08)
  - a. Marketing and sales update and overview. (0:53:20)
  - b. FY24 Scratch/\$30 Game Proposal from Jay Boughn, Scratch Product Manager. (1:04:02)
    - i. Floor opened for questions on possible new products. (1:07:42)
    - ii. Open for public comment (1:17:11)
    - iii. Leo Prigge, Commission Chair motions to approve \$30 Scratch game proposal. (1:17:25)
    - iv. Approved (1:17:58)
    - v. FY24 Scratch Production Schedule. (1:18:29)
  - c. Chase Peaslee, Online Product Manager presents the "Speed Play" proposal.
    - i. Floor opens for questions and debate (1:29:37)
    - ii. Steve Morris, Commissioner (Retailer Rep.) moves to make a motion to not approve "Speed Play" (1:50:35)

- Second time (1:53:18) motion to not approve.
- iii. Not Approved
- d. Sports Wagering Update (1:54:32)
  - i. FY24 & Project to date Activity (1:54:34)
  - ii. New Registrations by week from March 2020 to September 4, 2023. (1:55:49)
  - iii. Active Accounts by sport (1:57:34)
- e. Open for questions. (1:59:38)
- 6. Security and Warehouse presented by Bryan Costigan, Security Director.
  - a. Overview of Security and Warehouse.
  - b. Treasure Play game update and language. (2:02:43)
    - i. Motion to approve Treasure play rules and language. (2:05:24)
    - ii. Approved (2:05:58)
  - a. Commission Meeting Changes (2:06:12)
    - i. 2-3-212 Montana Code Annotated used for new method of recording for commission meetings. (2:07:14)
    - ii. Floor open for questions (2:08:48)
    - iii. Motion to approve. (2:10:09)
    - iv. Approved (2:10:44)
- 7. Director's Report by Scott Sales, Director of the Montana Lottery. (2:10:56)
  - a. Review of the Lottery
  - b. Intralot Contract Amendment (2:14:30)
    - i. Motion to approve changes (2:16:16)
    - ii. Open for questions and discussion (2:16:38)
    - iii. Approved (2:18:09)
- 8. Other Business (2:18:10)
  - a. Open for additional public comment (2:18:12)
  - b. Next meeting date established (2:18:38)
    - i. November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (2:20:24)
- 9. Adjournment (2:20:38)