



# Board of Commissioners

## Resolution

B2021-287

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**Sponsor:** Property Tax and Records & Election Services

**Meeting Date:** 12/21/2021

**Title:** Charitable Gambling License with White Bear Township for Centennial High School Football and Lucy's Burgers Holding Company

**File Number:** 2021-753

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**Background and Rationale:**

On December 9, 2021, Ramsey County received an application from Centennial High School Football requesting a premises permit for Lucy's Burgers, located at 1190 County Road J #700, White Bear Lake, Minnesota, 55127 that would allow the establishment to conduct lawful gambling using paper pull-tabs. The proceeds will support Centennial High School and youth football. Centennial High School serves over 2,000 students in an environment that promotes intellectual, emotional and social success in an ever-changing world.

By statute an organization can only conduct lawful gambling on premises it owns or leases, therefore Centennial High School is also submitting a lease for lawful gambling activity to be conducted on the premises of Lucy's Burgers in the Town of White Bear.

Since Lucy's Burgers operates in on property located in a township, Minnesota Statutes section 349.213, subd. 2, requires the Ramsey County Board to approve the application by resolution before the Minnesota Gambling Control Board will issue a premises permit and lease for lawful gambling activity on the premises. The Minnesota Gambling Control Board will review the application and if all statutory requirements related to lawful gambling are met, will issue the required premises permit and license(s). The Minnesota Gambling Control Board handles the initial investigation and ongoing monitoring and enforcement.

**Recommendation:**

The Ramsey County Board of Commissioners resolved to:

1. Approve the application requesting a premises permit for Lucy's Burgers Holding Company, lessee of Township Theater Shops in the Town of White Bear for lawful pull-tab gambling activity for Centennial High School Football.
2. Authorize the Chair and Chief Clerk to sign the application.

A motion to approve was made by Commissioner Frethem, seconded by Commissioner Reinhardt. Motion passed.

Aye: - 7: Carter, Frethem, MatasCastillo, McDonough, McGuire, Ortega, and Reinhardt

By:   
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Mee Cheng, Chief Clerk - County Board