

**Staff Responses to Council Questions
10/19/2021**

First Reading - B. Ordinance: An ordinance establishing video gaming regulations

1. Does the Village have the authority to remove the gaming terminals from an establishment which is in violation of the ordinance?
 - a. *Yes, the Village has the authority to remove a video gaming terminal from an establishment. The ordinance includes this language: "Any video gaming terminal in violation is subject to seizure, confiscation and destruction."*

2. Can we indicate on the table that shows neighboring towns and how much revenue and revenue per machine which of these towns allow standalone parlors and which do not?

The table below has been updated to include information on gaming cafes and home rule status. Non Home Rule Municipalities license fees are limited to \$25 per terminal, pursuant to State law.

Municipality	2019 Video Gaming Revenue*	Terminals	Rev Per Terminal	VG Cafes Allowed	Home Rule
Addison	372,452	105	3,547	Yes	Yes
Bartlett	215,019	69	3,116	Yes	Yes
Bensenville	86,736	38	2,283	Yes	No
Bloomingtondale	271,936	Not Reported	--	No	Yes
Carol Stream	364,376	75	4,858	Yes	Yes
Hanover Park	221,852	40	5,546	Yes	Yes
Itasca	89,021	Not Reported	--	Yes	No
Lemont	207,100	102	2,030	Yes	No
Roselle	164,219	Not Reported	--	Yes	No
Villa Park	272,128	82	3,319	Yes	No
Westmont	383,677	79	4,857	Yes	No

Willowbrook	49,704	20	2,485	Yes	Yes
Woodridge	106,154	30	3,538	No	Yes

Source: DuPage Mayors and Managers Conference Municipal Revenue Survey, 2020

*NOTE: Revenue includes State-shared revenue and annual terminal fees imposed by the municipality

3. If the village is given 15% of the 30% of state tax collected on the machines does that equate to the village receiving 4.5% of the total revenue?
 - a. *Municipalities receive distributions in the amount of 5% of the total Video Gaming revenue generated from within that municipality.*