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Employer Identification Number: 27-1292583 DLN: 17053327330009 Contact Person: BENJAMIN L DAVIS ID# 31465 Contact Telephone Number: (877) 829-5500 Accounting Period Ending: October 31 Public Charity Status: 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) Form 990 Required: Yes Effective Date of Exemption: November 13, 2009 Contribution Deductibility: Yes Addendum Applies:

## Dear Applicant:

We are pleased to inform you that upon review of your application for tax exempt status we have determined that you are exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Contributions to you are deductible under section 170 of the Code. You are also qualified to receive tax deductible bequests, devises, transfers or gifts under section 2055, 2106 or 2522 of the Code. Because this letter could help resolve any questions regarding your exempt status, you should keep it in your permanent records.

No

Organizations exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Code are further classified as either public charities or private foundations. We determined that you are a public charity under the Code section(s) listed in the heading of this letter.

Please see enclosed Publication 4221-PC, Compliance Guide for 501(c)(3) Public Charities, for some helpful information about your responsibilities as an exempt organization.

MICHIGAN ROLLIN PISTONS

Sincerely, Cloic

Robert Choi Director, Exempt Organizations Rulings and Agreements

Enclosure: Publication 4221-PC



## STATE OF MICHIGAN BUREAU OF STATE LOTTERY LANSING



## LOCAL CIVIC ORGANIZATION QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

## Please allow at least 8 weeks for the qualification process.

If the organization has never submitted qualifying information as a local civic organization, the following information shall be submitted in the name of the organization prior to being approved to conduct a bingo, millionaire party, raffle, or charity game. A previously qualified organization may be required to submit updated qualification information to assure its continued eligibility under the act.

- A <u>signed and dated</u> copy of the organization's current bylaws or constitution, including membership criteria.
- 2. A complete copy of the organization's Articles of Incorporation that have been filed with the Corporations and Securities Bureau, if the organization is incorporated.
- A copy of the letter from the IRS stating the organization is exempt from federal tax under IRS code 501(c)

OR

copies of one bank statement per year for the previous five years, excluding the current year.

- 4. A provision in the bylaws, constitution, or Articles of Incorporation that states should the organization dissolve, all assets, and real and personal property will revert:
  - A. If exempt under 501(c)3, to another 501(c)3 organization.
  - B. If not exempt under 501(c)3, to the local government.
- 5. A revenue and expense statement for the previous 12 month period to prove all assets are used for charitable purposes, i.e. 990's, treasurer's report, audit. Do not send check registers or cancelled checks. Explain the purpose of each expenditure made to an individual. Once the organization has conducted licensed gaming events, the Bureau may require the organization to provide additional proof that all assets are being used for charitable purposes.
- A copy of a resolution passed by the local body of government stating the organization is a recognized nonprofit organization in the community (form attached).
- A provision in the bylaws, constitution, or Articles of Incorporation indicating the organization will remain nonprofit forever.

Additional information may be requested after the initial documents submitted have been reviewed. If you have any questions or need further assistance, please call our office at (517) 335-5780.

Act 382 of the Public Acts of 1972, as amended, defines a local civic organization as an organization "that is organized not for pecuniary profit; that is not affiliated with a state or national organization; that is recognized by resolution adopted by the local governmental subdivision in which the organization conducts its principal activities; whose constitution, charter, articles of incorporation, or bylaws contain a provision for the perpetuation of the organization as a nonprofit organization; whose entire assets are used for charitable purposes; and whose constitution, charter, articles of incorporation, or bylaws contain a provision that all assets, real property, and personal property shall revert to the benefit of the local governmental subdivision that granted the resolution upon dissolution of the organization."

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All Lottery profits support K-12 public education in Michigan.