



**GAMBLING PERMIT REVIEW COMMITTEE
INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**

TO: Board of County Commissioners
VIA: Terry Shannon, County Administrator *TS*
FROM: Sheriff Mike Evans, Chairperson, Gambling Permit Review Committee *ME*
DATE: December 20, 2018
SUBJECT: Annual Report for Gambling Permit Review Committee

Background

The Gambling Permit Review Committee (GPRC) was created by §13-704 of the Criminal Law Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland; and currently follows **Resolution No. 45-09**, which is *Pertaining to the Repeal and Reenactment with Amendments of the Rules and Regulations for Charitable Gambling in Calvert County*; which followed No. 61-08, 48-08, 42-07, 01-01, 08-99, 22-98, 08-95, and 02-93.

Annual Report Fiscal Year 2016

Budget: \$0

Actual: Revenue of \$160 into 000136-01620

Purpose

To issue Charitable Bingo, Pull-Tab, and Gambling permits to bona fide volunteer fire companies, fraternal, civic, war veterans, religious or charitable organizations.

Past Accomplishments

Established Rules and Regulations for Charitable Gambling in Calvert County, including verifying Corporate Charters, Membership lists, Certificate of Good Standing, and IRS 501(c)(3) determination letters of bona fide organizations.

Current Status

The GPRC meets to review potential quarterly Gambling dates, and annual Bingo and Pull-Tabs; as well as financial reports from previous quarter to ensure organizations are in compliance per the regulations.

Future Goals

To maintain a working relationship with bona fide organizations – granting these organizations quarterly permits for events, promote charitable gaming events within §13-704 of the Criminal Law Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland, and streamline the process within regulations.

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