



**Board of Commissioners of Cook County  
Minutes of the Finance Committee  
Public Hearing on Video Gaming Ordinance**

**2:45 PM**

**Tuesday, June 5, 2018**

**Cook County Building, Board Room,  
118 North Clark Street, Chicago, Illinois**

**ATTENDANCE**

**Present** Vice Chairman Sims, Commissioners Arroyo, Boykin, Butler, Deer, Gainer, Goslin, Moody, Moore, Morrison, Schneider, Silvestri, Suffredin and Tobolski (14)

**Absent** Chairman Daley, Commissioners Fritchey and García (3)

**PUBLIC TESTIMONY**

Vice-Chairman Sims asked the Secretary to the Board to call upon the registered public speakers, in accordance with Cook County Code.

1. Charity Johns - Laredo Hospitality
2. Jill Donovan - Selex LLC
3. Mark G. Armstrong - Chicago Urban Fine Arts
4. George Blakemore - Concerned Citizen
5. Rick E. Heidner - Gold Rush Gaming
6. James O'Rourke - Concerned Citizen
7. Michael Pappas - Accel Entertainment

**18-3799**

**Sponsored by:** TIMOTHY O. SCHNEIDER, GREGG GOSLIN, JEFFREY R. TOBOLSKI, LUIS ARROYO JR and RICHARD R. BOYKIN, Cook County Board of Commissioners

**PROPOSED ORDINANCE AMENDMENT**

**AUTHORIZING VIDEO GAMING IN UNINCORPORATED COOK COUNTY**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, that Chapter 58 Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions, Offenses Involving Public Morals, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 58-161 of the Cook County Code is hereby amended as Follows:

**Sec. 58-161. Gaming devices**

**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, that Chapter 54, Video Gaming, ARTICLE XIV, SECTIONS 54-424 THROUGH 54-460 of the Cook County Code is hereby enacted as Follows:

**Sec. 54-424. Short title**

This Article shall be known and may be cited as the "Video Gaming Ordinance."

**Sec. 54-425. - Definitions.**

**Sec. 54-427. License required; restrictions.**

**Sec. 54-428. - Display of license; hours of operation.**

**Sec. 54-429. - Residency Requirement.**

**Sec. 54-430. - Multiple types of licenses prohibited.**

**Sec. 54-431. - Video gaming terminal use by minors prohibited.**

**Sec. 54-432. - Licensing qualifications.**

**Sec. 54-433. - Licensing procedures.**

**Sec. 54-434. - Process of denial of license.**

**Sec. 54-435. - Location and placement of video gaming terminals.**

**Sec. 54-436. - Complaints initiated by a private party.**

**Sec. 54-437. - Procedures for assessment of a fine, revocation or suspension of license.**

**Sec. 54-438. - Inspection.**

**Sec. 54-439. - Duties of all video gaming licensees.**

**Sec. 54-440. - Continuing duty to report violations.**

**Sec. 54-441. - Minimum standards for use agreements.**

**Sec. 54-442. - Direct dispensing of receipt tickets only.**

**Sec. 54-443. - Disposal of video gaming terminals.**

**Sec. 54-444. - State-local relations.**

**Sec. 54-445. - Privilege granted by license; transferability.**

**Sec. 54-446. - Licenses subject to amendments.**

**Sec. 54-447. - Applicability of Video Gaming Act and Riverboat Gambling Act.**

Secs. 54-448 - 54-460. - Reserved.

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**BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Cook County Board of Commissioners, CHAPTER 32 FEES, CHAPTER 54, LICENSES, PERMITS AND MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS REGULATION, SECTION 32-1 of the Cook County Code is hereby amended as Follows:

**Sec. 32-1** Fee schedule.

The fees or charges provided for or required by the below-listed sections shall be as shown below:

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**Effective date:** This ordinance shall be in effect sixty days upon adoption.

Full text of Ordinance Amendment: <https://tinyurl.com/yd9n8bu5>

**A motion was made by Commissioner Schneider, seconded by Commissioner Morrison, to accept as substituted 18-3799. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Vice Chairman Sims, Commissioners Arroyo, Boykin, Butler, Deer, Gainer, Goslin, Moody, Moore, Morrison, Schneider, Silvestri, Suffredin and Tobolski (14)

**Absent** Chairman Daley, Commissioners Fritchey and García (3)

**A motion was made by Commissioner Schneider, seconded by Commissioner Boykin, to recommend for approval as substituted 18-3799. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Commissioners Arroyo, Boykin, Butler, Goslin, Moody, Moore, Morrison, Schneider and Tobolski (9)

**Nayes:** Commissioners: Gainer (1)

**Present:** Vice Chairman Sims, Commissioners: Silvestri and Suffredin (3)

**Absent** Chairman Daley, Commissioners Deer, Fritchey and García (4)

**A motion was made by Commissioner Morrison, seconded by Commissioner Schneider, to reconsider 18-3799.. The motion failed by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Commissioner Gainer (1)

**Nayes:** Commissioners Arroyo, Boykin, Butler, Goslin, Moody, Moore, Morrison, Schneider and Tobolski (9)

**Present:** Vice Chairman Sims, Commissioners Silvestri and Suffredin (3)

**Absent:** Chairman Daley, Commissioners Deer, Fritchey and García (4)

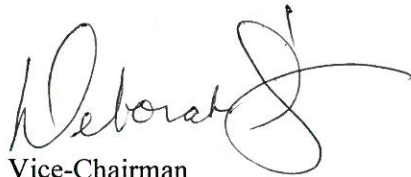
#### ADJOURNMENT

**A motion was made by Commissioner Silvestri seconded by Commissioner Gainer, to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** Vice Chairman Sims, Commissioners Arroyo, Boykin, Butler, Deer, Gainer, Goslin, Moody, Moore, Morrison, Schneider, Silvestri, Suffredin and Tobolski (14)

**Absent** Chairman Daley, Commissioners Fritchey and García (3)

Respectfully submitted,



Vice-Chairman



Secretary

A video recording of this meeting is available at <https://cook-county.legistar.com>.