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## 2011 Convention & Expo Update

The yellow insert in this newsletter contains the revised 2011 Convention & Expo General Information and Registration Form for The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo being held November 17-18-19, 2011 at the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN. ***Please note ACM Members & Associate Members receive a significant discount on registration fees for this big event.*** If the mailing label on the back page says EXPIRED MEMBER or NON-MEMBER your Organization/Company is not currently an ACM Member or Associate Member as of 10/16/11.

**A SPECIAL THANKS** to those that have already registered for the 2011 Convention & Expo as this helps allow us to better plan this event. Confirmation packets for registered attendees will be mailed out on Wednesday, November 9, 2011.

The white insert in this newsletter contains the St. Cloud Housing Bureau Reservation Form updated as of 10/14/11 for The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo. **Plenty of rooms are still available.** Remember shuttle service will be provided throughout the show between the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center and most ACM Convention Hotels/Motels.

The Proposed Seminar & Workshop Schedule can be found on pages 10 & 11. On pages 12, 13, & 15 you will find the Proposed Seminar & Workshop Topics (and topic descriptions) being offered at this years Convention & Expo. ***Note the many Continuing Education classes.***

**If you have any questions about the 2011 Convention & Expo please feel free to contact us at 651-224-4533.**

## 2012 ACM Legislative Platform

In 2012 ACM intends to continue work on **SF 702/HF 1485, Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill**, which made great progress during the 2011 legislative session but did not pass. **SF 702/HF 1485 remain alive and are well positioned for passage in 2012.** A summary of **SF 702/HF 1485** which significantly reduces charitable gambling taxes and modernizes our current games within our current

structure to allow charitable gambling organizations to survive and thrive in the years ahead can be found on pages 6 & 7.

If you have any ideas, comments, or suggestions for 2012 charitable gambling legislative changes please fill out the form below and return by Saturday, November 12, 2011.

### Ideas, Comments, Or Suggestions For 2012 Charitable Gambling Legislative Changes

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- 2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_

Send to: **Allied Charities Of Minnesota (ACM)**, 225 9th St E Unit 309, Saint Paul, MN 55101-2514.  
***Please Return As Soon As Possible (no later then Saturday, November 12, 2011)***

# 2011 ACM Membership Information

## Your \$250.00\* Membership Dues Provide Your Organization With:

1. A subscription to the ACM Newsletter to keep you better informed.
2. Legislative Updates & Alerts during Minnesota Legislative Session.
3. Regular information updates and technical assistance.
4. A voice to the Minnesota Legislature, the Minnesota Lawful Gambling Control Board, and the United States Congress.
5. Periodic surveys for the purpose of collecting information to be forwarded to the legislature and Gambling Control Board with results reported in the ACM Newsletter.
6. A 2011 ACM Membership Certificate.
7. Significant membership discount for The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo in St. Cloud, Minnesota (November 17-18-19, 2011).

8. Newsletter and information is sent to the Gambling Manager at the address you give us on the Allied Charities Of Minnesota Membership Form.

*To ensure proper credit you must completely fill out the 2011 ACM Membership Registration Form below and mail to:*

**Allied Charities Of Minnesota (ACM)  
Attn: King Wilson  
225 9th St E Unit 309  
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2514**

Your 2011 Membership Certificate will be sent to you along with a paid receipt when we receive your Membership Registration Form and payment.

***If you have any questions about joining ACM please feel free to contact us at 651-224-4533.***

**\*2011 ACM Membership Dues are payable from gambling funds as an allowable expense.**

## 2011 Allied Charities Of Minnesota Membership Form

\$250.00 Check enclosed     New     Renewal

Gambling License #:      (example 02011)

Gambling Manager:

Organization Name:

Mailing Address:

City:  State:  Zip:  -

Gambling Manager Phone: ()  Organization Phone: ()

E-mail Contact:  @

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**New - 12 months starting** with postmark month on return envelope with form & dues.

## ACM Directors & Officers Elected

During the 2010 Allied Charities Of Minnesota (ACM) Annual Meeting in Rochester in November and the ACM Board of Director Meeting in January elections were held pursuant to the ACM Articles of Incorporation and ACM By-Laws to fill the open ACM director positions and elect officers for 2011.

First, on Friday, November 19, 2010 during the 2010 ACM Annual Meeting held in conjunction with The 20th Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo member organizations had the opportunity to vote on Directors for Regions 1, 7, 8, & 9. Elected to 3-year terms as Region Directors were:

Region 1 - **Thomas Bureau**, Fergus Falls American Legion Post 30 - Fergus Falls

Region 7 - **Sandy Johnson**, Baxter Lions Club - Baxter

Region 8 - **Steve Nelson**, Chaska American Legion Post 57 - Chaska

Region 9 - **Gene Lindahl**, Morristown American Legion Post 149 - Morristown

Second, on Tuesday, January 18, 2011 at the January ACM Board of Directors Meeting the Region Directors elected the following as At-Large Directors for 2011:

**Laurie Gluesing**, CLIMB Theatre Inc - Shoreview

**Allen Lund**, St Michael American Legion Post 567 - St. Michael

**John Vaydich**, Duluth Softball Players Association - Duluth

**Anna Vogt**, Land Of Lakes Choirboys Of Minnesota - Big Lake

**Douglas Wendlandt**, Red Wing American Legion Post 54 - Red Wing

And finally, the 2011 ACM Directors elected the following as Officers for 2011:

**President - Richard Horn**, Melrose American Legion Post 101 - Melrose

**Vice-President - Chuck Kruger**, Rochester Voiture #327 40 & 8 - Byron

**Secretary - Laurie Gluesing**, CLIMB Theatre Inc - Shoreview

**Treasurer - Bob Matson**, North Suburban Youth Foundation - Roseville

**The 2011 ACM Board of Directors & Officers look forward to working for you & with you in 2011 & beyond.** Phone numbers for ACM's 2011 Board of Directors can be found on page 18. *Please feel free to get a hold of us with your questions, comments, and/or concerns.*

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2011 ACM Convention &amp; Expo Exhibitors as of 10/16/11

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# SF 702/HF 1485 Legislative Summary

Here is a summary of **SF 702/HF 1485** which were drafted based on **ACM's 2011 Legislative Platform** (see page 9) which shall be continued in 2012. As you can see great progress was made in 2011 and as **SF 702/HF 1485** are still alive if Minnesota's charitable gambling industry will rally around **SF 702/HF 1485** we will be well positioned for the 2012 Legislative Session. Let's work together and see **SF 702/HF 1885** passed into law.

On Thursday, March 10, 2011 *Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill* was introduced in the Minnesota Senate (**SF 702**). **SF 702** was referred to the Senate State Government Innovation and Veterans Committee. **SF 702, as introduced**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=S0702.0.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=S0702.0.html&session=ls87)

On Thursday, April 14, 2011 *Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill* was introduced in the Minnesota House Of Representatives (**HF 1485**). **HF 1485** was referred to the House Commerce and Regulatory Reform Committee. **HF 1485, as introduced**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.0.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.0.html&session=ls87)

**SF 702/HF 1485, *Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill*** as introduced primarily does 2 things:

**1. SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCES CHARITABLE GAMBLING TAXES (a minimum of 41%).** Bingo, Raffle, & Paddlewheel Tax rate changed from 8.5% to 5%; Pull-Tab & Tipboard Tax rate changed from 1.7% to 1%; Combined Receipts Tax rates changed from 1.7%, 3.4%, 5.1% to 1%, 2%, & 3% & brackets changed from \$500,000-\$700,000, \$700,000-\$900,000, & \$900,000+ to \$600,000-\$800,000, \$800,000-\$1,000,000, & \$1,000,000+; & Combined Receipts Tax changed to individual site-by-site basis.

**2. MODERNIZES OUR CURRENT GAMES WITHIN OUR CURRENT STRUCTURE TO ALLOW CHARITABLE GAMBLING ORGANIZATIONS TO SURVIVE & THRIVE IN THE YEARS AHEAD.** Electronic linked bingo and electronic pull-tabs are authorized.

On Tuesday, April 26, 2011 the House Commerce & Regulatory Reform Committee heard and passed **HF 1485, *Allied Charities Of Minnesota 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill***. A delete all amendment which put the bill in the shape we desired was adopted. The bill was recommended to pass as amended and re-referred to the House State Government Finance Committee. **HF 1485, as amended (1st Engrossment)**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.1.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.1.html&session=ls87)

On Wednesday, May 4, 2011 the Senate State Government Innovations & Veterans Committee heard and passed **SF 702, *Allied Charities Of Minnesota 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill***. A delete all amendment which put the bill in the shape we desired was adopted. The bill was recommended to pass as amended and re-referred to the Senate Taxes Committee. **SF 702, as amended (1st Engrossment)**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=S0702.1.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=S0702.1.html&session=ls87)

On Thursday, May 5, 2011 the House State Government Finance Committee heard and passed **HF 1485, *Allied Charities Of Minnesota 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill***. An amendment clarifying that electronic game devices may not be slot machines and an amendment to provide the necessary and needed GCB staffing that would be required if **HF 1485** becomes law were adopted. The bill was recommended to pass as amended and re-referred to the House Taxes Committee. **HF 1485, as amended (2nd Engrossment)**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.2.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.2.html&session=ls87)

On Saturday, May 21, 2011 the House Taxes Committee heard and passed out **HF 1485, *Allied Charities Of Minnesota 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill***. The Committee adopted 3 amendments which put the bill in the shape we desired. The bill was passed out as amended with no recommendation and was re-referred to the House Ways & Means Committee. **HF 1485, as amended (3rd Engrossment)**, may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.3.html&session=ls87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/bin/bldbill.php?bill=H1485.3.html&session=ls87)

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On Monday, July 18, 2011 the day before the 2011 Special Legislative Session **SF 702/HF 1485, Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill**, was put on the table by House Leadership for possible inclusion in the Omnibus Tax Bill and the Governor and his staff were OK with our bill.

Unfortunately as the final budget solution didn't really end up as an overall bipartisan agreement, and their being few (if any) democrat votes for most of the budget bills, gambling was unfortunately considered to be a bit too controversial on the republican side (particularly in the Senate) and votes apparently weren't there for inclusion during the Special Session on 7/19/11.

**SF 702 Senate Status Page** may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/revisor/pages/search\\_status/status\\_detail.php?b=Senate&f=SF0702&cssn=0&y=2011](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/revisor/pages/search_status/status_detail.php?b=Senate&f=SF0702&cssn=0&y=2011)

**HF 1485 House Status Page** may be viewed at:

[www.revisor.mn.gov/revisor/pages/search\\_status/status\\_detail.php?b=House&f=HF1485&cssn=0&y=2011&cls=87](http://www.revisor.mn.gov/revisor/pages/search_status/status_detail.php?b=House&f=HF1485&cssn=0&y=2011&cls=87)

## ACM Region & At-Large Director Positions

**At the 2011 Allied Charities Of Minnesota Annual Meeting (see page 15) Region 3, 5, 11, & 12 (3-year terms) & Region 4 (1-year term) Director positions will be up for election. If you are interested in running for Region 3, 4, 5, 11, or 12 ACM Region Director positions or 2012 ACM At-Large Director positions please complete the ACM Director Application/**

**Questionnaire & Certification Of Membership Form (see white insert) and submit to ACM Executive Director King Wilson by 11/14/11 for Region Directors and 12/19/11 for At-Large Directors. For more information about Allied Charities Of Minnesota Board Of Director positions please contact ACM Executive Director King Wilson at 651-224-4533.**

## GAMBLING MANAGER ALERT

**As of mid October it is estimated that over half of Minnesota's gambling managers have not yet met their continuing education training requirement for 2011. Remember pursuant to MN Statute 349.167 Subd. 4 (2) each gambling manager must receive continuing education training at least once during each CALENDAR YEAR.**

Please note there will be 19 continuing education training classes (10 topics) being offered at The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful

Gambling Convention & Expo being held November 17-18-19, 2011 at the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN (see pages 10, 11, 12, 13, & 15 for Seminar & Workshop details).

***If you are planning to meet your continuing education training requirement for CALENDAR YEAR 2011 at the ACM Convention & Expo it is important to check Gambling Manager on the 2011 Attendee Official Registration Form (see yellow insert).***

**SF 702** is authored by Senators **Mike Parry** of Waseca, **James Metzen** of South St. Paul, **Chuck Wiger** of Maplewood, & **Michelle Fischbach** of Paynesville. **HF 1485** is authored by Representatives **John Kriesel** of Cottage Grove, **David Dill** of Crane Lake, **Tom Tillberry** of Fridley, **Joe Hoppe** of Chaska, **Kurt Zellers** of Maple Grove, **Mark Murdock** of Ottertail, **John Ward** of Brainerd, **Ron Shimanski** of Silver Lake, **Sondra Erickson** of Princeton, & **Paul Anderson** of Starbuck. The web links to the **SF 702/HF 1485** status pages which contain complete information including bill text, authors, descriptions, and actions are printed below. *Or go to the ACM web site and click on MN Legislature then House or Senate Gambling Bills 2011-2012 to view.*



**SF0702** Status in **Senate** for Legislative Session 87

Bill Name: SF0702  
[Bill Text](#)

Companion: HF1485  
[Companion Text](#)  
[Companion Status](#)  
[House Search](#)

Revisor Number: 11-1427

**Senate Authors** [Parry](#); [Metzen](#); [Wiger](#); [Fischbach](#)

**Short Description** Lawful gambling tax rates modification; linked bingo and electronic pull-tabs authorization

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03/10/2011	Introduction and first reading		<a href="#">Intro</a>	<a href="#">479</a>	
03/10/2011	Referred to	<a href="#">State Government Innovation and Veterans</a>			
05/02/2011	Author added	Fischbach		<a href="#">1609</a>	
05/09/2011	Comm report: To pass as amended and re-refer to	<a href="#">Taxes</a>	<a href="#">1</a>	<a href="#">1778a</a>	

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None.



**HF1485** Status in **House** for Legislative Session 87

Bill Name: HF1485  
[Bill Text](#)

Companion: SF0702  
[Companion Text](#)  
[Companion Status](#)  
[Senate Search](#)

Revisor Number: 11-1427

**House Authors** [Kriesel](#); [Dill](#); [Tillberry](#); [Hoppe](#); [Zellers](#); [Murdock](#); [Ward](#); [Shimanski](#); [Erickson](#); [Anderson, P.](#)

**Short Description** Lawful gambling tax rates modified; linked bingo and electronic pull-tabs provided for; clarifying, conforming, and technical changes made; and money appropriated.

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04/14/2011	Introduction and first reading, referred to	<a href="#">Commerce and Regulatory Reform</a>	<a href="#">Intro</a>	<a href="#">2368</a>	
04/27/2011	Committee report, to pass as amended and re-refer to	<a href="#">State Government Finance</a>		<a href="#">2609a</a>	
05/10/2011	Committee report, to pass as amended and re-refer to	<a href="#">Taxes</a>		<a href="#">3488a</a>	
05/18/2011	Author added	Anderson, P.		<a href="#">4643</a>	
05/22/2011	Committee report, without further rec to amend, re-refer to	<a href="#">Ways and Means</a>		<a href="#">4951a</a>	

**SENATE Actions**

[HOUSE Actions](#) [Top](#)

None.

# ACM 2011 Legislative Platform

Printed below are the legislative proposals approved by ACM membership at the 2010 Allied Charities Of Minnesota Annual Meeting in Rochester, MN on November, 19, 2010.

## Effective July 1, 2011

- Allow for Electronic Linked Bingo within current Charitable Gambling structure
- Allow for Electronic Pull-Tabs within current Charitable Gambling structure
- Change Lawful Gambling Tax rate from 8.5% to 5%
- Change Pull-Tab & Tipboard Tax rate from 1.7% to 1%
- Shift Pull-Tab & Tipboard Tax from being paid up front to distributor to being paid monthly after a game is closed
- Change Combined Receipts Tax rates from 1.7%, 3.4%, 5.1% to 1%, 2%, & 3%
- Change Combined Receipts Tax to individual site-by-site basis
- Adjust Combined Receipts Tax brackets from \$500,000-\$700,000, \$700,000-\$900,000, & \$900,000+ to \$600,000-\$800,000, \$800,000-\$1,000,000, & \$1,000,000+

## 2011 Convention & Expo Exhibitors

As of Sunday, October 16, 2011 we have 36 exhibitors registered for The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo being held November 17-18-19, 2011 at the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN.

**Booth space is still available so if you are interested in exhibiting at the largest Charitable Gambling Convention & Expo in the nation please call King Wilson at 651-224-4533. Exhibitors registered as of 10/16/11 are:**

3 Diamond Corporation

American Games Inc

Brainerd Games

Central Gaming Services

Charitable Gambling Made Easy

Cornell Kahler Shidell & Mair PLLP

Gambling Manager's Assistant

Gaming Studio Inc

Gleason's Software & Services

H & H Sales

Internal Revenue Service

International Gamco

John Trudeau & Co PA

Johnson Bruns & Company

Chartered

Karla Havemeier Ltd

Kennedy Scale Inc

LarsonAllen

M. Peters Enterprises Inc

Midwest IDentity Scan

Minnesota Department of Public

Safety - Alcohol & Gambling

Enforcement Division

Minnesota Department of

Revenue - Lawful Gambling

Tax Unit

Minnesota Gambling Control Board

Minnesota's Bookstore

Northstar Problem Gambling

Alliance

Planet Bingo

Project Turnabout

Pulltabs Plus Inc

Randall R Vogt CPA

Schlenner Wenner & Co

Shred Right/Document

Destruction Services

Shred-it MN

St. Cloud Area Convention &

Visitors Bureau

Surething Software

Triple Crown Gaming

Video King Gaming &

Entertainment

Visit Duluth

***For Exhibitor information go to the ACM web site ([www.alliedcharitiesmn.org](http://www.alliedcharitiesmn.org)) and click on Convention/Expo, then click on Exhibitor Information & Registration Form or call 651-224-4533.***

# Proposed 2011 Convention & Expo

<b>Thursday</b> <b>11/17/11</b> <b>2:00 pm</b> - <b>3:15 pm</b>	(GCB) <b>Advertising &amp; Marketing...Are You In The Game?</b>	(GCB) <b>Bar Bingo</b>	(GCB) <b>Spending Your Gambling Profits</b>	(GD) Electronic Linked Bingo & Electronic Pull-Tabs
<b>Thursday</b> <b>11/17/11</b> <b>3:45 pm</b> - <b>5:00 pm</b>	(GCB) <b>Board Requests</b>	(GCB) <b>Fraud &amp; Illegal Gambling - Learn From Mistakes Of Others</b>	(IS) Resolving Profit Carryover Variances	(GD) Bar Bingo

<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b> <b>8:15 am</b> - <b>9:30 am</b>	(GCB) <b>Advertising &amp; Marketing...Are You In The Game?</b>	(GCB) <b>Bar Bingo</b>	(GD) <i>Allied Charities Of Minnesota</i>	(GD) <i>Pull-Tab Dispensing Devices</i>
<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b> <b>9:45 am</b> - <b>10:15 am</b>	ACM <i>Region Meetings</i>	ACM <i>Region Meetings</i>	ACM <i>Region Meetings</i>	ACM <i>Region Meetings</i>
<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b> <b>1:30 pm</b> - <b>2:45 pm</b>	(GCB) <b>Advertising &amp; Marketing...Are You In The Game?</b>	(GCB) <b>Conducting A Successful Raffle</b>	(GCB) <b>Fraud &amp; Illegal Gambling - Learn From Mistakes Of Others</b>	(GD) <i>Fund Losses</i>
<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b> <b>3:15 pm</b> - <b>4:30 pm</b>	(GCB) <b>Real Life Problems In The Conduct Of Pull-Tabs</b>	(IS) <i>Electronic Linked Bingo/ Electronic Pull-Tabs - Adding To Your Bottom Line</i>	(IS) Resolving Profit Carryover Variances	(GD) Compliance Reviews

<b>Saturday</b> <b>11/19/11</b> <b>9:00 am</b> - <b>10:15 am</b>	(GCB) <b>Real Life Problems In The Conduct Of Pull-Tabs</b>	(IS) <i>CEO's &amp; Officers</i>	(GD) Bar Bingo
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Seminar tickets are available on a first-come, first serve basis.

*Italicized courses only offered once.*

**Bold qualifies for Gambling Manager Continuing Education requirement.**

(GCB) - Gambling Control Board

(IS) - Industry Seminar

(IRS) - Internal Revenue Service

(GD) Group Discussion

(MDOR) - Minnesota Department Of Revenue

Revenue can issue CPE credit to CPA's attending their classes.

# Seminar & Workshop Schedule

(GD) Raffles	(IRS) Non 501(c)(3) Issues	(MDOR) Minnesota Department of Revenue Forms & Policy Changes (2 hours)	<b>Thursday</b> <b>11/17/11</b>
(GD) Compliance Reviews	(IRS) 501(c)(3) Issues		<b>2:00 pm</b> - <b>3:15 pm</b>

<i>10:30 am</i> <i>Gambling Control Board Meeting</i>		(MDOR) Minnesota Department of Revenue Forms & Policy Changes (2 hours)	<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b>
<i>11:30 am</i> <i>Allied Charities Of Minnesota Annual Meeting</i>			
(GD) Veterans & Fraternal Organizations	(IRS) 501(c)(3) Issues	(MDOR) Minnesota Department of Revenue Forms & Policy Changes (2 hours)	<b>Friday</b> <b>11/18/11</b>
(GD) Raffles	(IRS) Non 501(c)(3) Issues		

(GD) Electronic Linked Bingo & Electronic Pull-Tabs	(GD) Veterans & Fraternal Organizations	<b>Saturday</b> <b>11/19/11</b>
		<b>9:00 am</b> - <b>10:15 am</b>

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(GD) Group Discussion      (MDOR) - Minnesota Department Of Revenue

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# Proposed 2011 Seminar & Workshop Topics

Listed below are the proposed 2011 Convention & Expo Seminar and Workshop Topics (and topic descriptions) being offered at The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo being held November 17-18-19, 2011 at the River's Edge Convention Center in St. Cloud, MN. [The 2011 Proposed Seminar & Workshop Schedule can be found on pages 10 & 11.](#)

## Continuing Education Seminars

*(you now need only 1 course to meet annual requirement)*

### Minnesota Gambling Control Board

#### **SPENDING YOUR GAMBLING PROFITS**

(1) - This is a general overview class intended for organization members and for those wanting a little refresher of the basics. Allowable expenses and lawful purpose expenditures will be covered along with some of the more common "illegal" expenditures that organizations sometimes make with their lawful gambling proceeds.

**BAR BINGO** (2) - Bar bingo is still growing in popularity throughout the state. This is a "how to" class for organizations considering bar bingo or who are currently conducting it and would like a refresher. The class covers what you need to know to get started - equipment required, programs, calling numbers, prizes, inventory, reporting, staffing, etc. Also included is information on how you can legally seek advertising income for your bingo program to increase your profits.

**FRAUD & ILLEGAL GAMBLING - LEARN FROM MISTAKES OF OTHERS** (2) - This highly popular class is one you won't want to miss. You'll hear firsthand knowledge of recent experiences in investigating lawful gambling fraud from the Alcohol and Gambling Enforcement Division (Department of Public Safety) and from a Board investigator. Learn what type of cases have been discovered and how you can prevent your organization from being the next victim. Also included is information on illegal gambling, card tournaments,

sports bookmaking, and Texas Hold'em tournaments.

**BOARD REQUESTS** (1) - Looking to buy capital assets, repair your organization's building, or donate to other nonprofits using your gambling funds? Does your organization need to receive a write-off because your group experienced a burglary or questionable loss? These actions can be easily done with prior GCB approval. Find out what types of projects and requests qualify and how to obtain GCB authorization.

#### **CONDUCTING A SUCCESSFUL RAFFLE**

(1) - This class explains how to conduct a successful raffle, and how you can legally seek advertising income as part of a raffle to increase your profits. Also included will be information on conducting the more popular alternative forms of raffles, such as calendar raffles, button raffles, "cow bingo," and duck race raffles. Frequently asked questions will also be addressed.

**ADVERTISING & MARKETING ... ARE YOU IN THE GAME?** (3) - Are you using the latest in technology to help promote your games? Have you reviewed your signage to determine if they are effective? Are your sites attracting new customers? Can customers find your pull-tab dispenser? Successful organizations have a website - do you? Do you know what a QR code is and how to use it? Don't be intimidated by technology! Join us for a fun and informative class with suggestions that can help improve your advertising and marketing efforts ... many of them with minimal or little cost.

**REAL LIFE PROBLEMS IN THE CONDUCT OF PULL-TABS** (2) - Instead of the common problems that **we** find when doing site inspections, this class focuses on the problems **you** encounter with the conduct of pull-tabs. Do you have trouble enforcing your house rules? Do customers complain about your sellers? Have difficult customers? Do the lessor's bartenders fail to do the paperwork that's required? These and other common problems you've reported to Board staff will be discussed with tips provided on how to deal with each problem.

**(Seminar Topics continued on page 13)**

(Seminar Topics continued from page 12)

## **Minnesota Department Of Revenue** **Lawful Gambling Tax Unit**

**MINNESOTA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE FORMS & POLICY CHANGES (3)** - A change in the way Revenue does business - the result is significant changes to the lawful gambling tax forms and schedules (effective with the January 2012 tax filing). The presentation will:

- 1) explain changes to Forms G1 and G7430 (unsold ticket refund) and Schedules B2, ER (exempt raffle), A, and F, and present the Schedule NRL (net receipts loss);
- 2) discuss policy changes regarding:
  - a) the handling of defective and destroyed games;
  - b) the receipt and application of payments
- 3) discuss the future of electronic filing.

### **Internal Revenue Service**

**501(C)(3) ISSUES (2)** - This workshop covers recent developments and issues pertaining to 501(c)(3) charitable gambling organizations. Presenters will give direct feedback on areas of concern from a field agent's standpoint. The session will include the changes made to the Form 990 and filing requirements. A portion of the class will be devoted to answering questions from those attending the session.

**NON 501(C)(3) ISSUES (2)** - This workshop covers recent developments and issues pertaining to non 501(c)(3) charitable gambling organizations. Presenters will give direct feedback on areas of concern from a field agent's standpoint. The session will include the changes made to the Form 990 and filing requirements. A portion of the class will be devoted to answering questions from those attending the session.

## **Industry Seminars (IS)**

**CEO'S & OFFICERS (1)** - A seminar for CEO's & Officers of licensed charitable gambling organizations. Items for discussion include: internal controls, CEO

responsibility, membership duties, lawful purpose expenditures, getting involved with your gaming operation, legislative issues, Allied Charities membership (what it means), employee issues, changing CEO's and how it effects your gaming operation.

**ELECTRONIC LINKED BINGO/ ELECTRONIC PULL-TABS - ADDING TO YOUR BOTTOM LINE (1)** - See an electronic linked bingo and electronic pull-tab demonstration and find out how they can revitalize our industry and help reform and reduce charitable gambling taxes in the process! ACM representatives will wrap-up by discussing how to work with your elected officials to garner support for electronic linked bingo/electronic pull-tabs and charitable gambling tax reform and relief in the 2012 Legislative Session. ***If you are interested in charitable gambling tax reform and relief you will want to attend this session!***

**RESOLVING PROFIT CARRYOVER VARIANCES (2)** - Now is the time to resolve profit carryover variances before the new forms from MN Revenue are put in place. During this time we will take an in depth look at common problems that cause a variance and how to correct the variances.

## **Group Discussions**

*(Please note group discussions are intended to be open discussions by those attending on issues relating to the topic, not a lecture or seminar by the moderator(s). The moderator(s) will have a number of possible items to discuss to keep things moving along.)*

**ALLIED CHARITIES OF MINNESOTA (1)** - What have we done for you in the past? What can we do for you now and in the future?

**BAR BINGO (2)** - An exchange of ideas that work or do not work.

**COMPLIANCE REVIEWS (2)** - Here is an opportunity to ask questions on what to expect in an upcoming compliance review or to tell others what you just went through. Share with others and help each other.

(Seminar Topics continued on page 15)

# 2011 ACM Membership Report (as of 10/16/11)

## Members

2010 Members - 673

Expires	Total	Renewed	
December 10	53	50	94%
January 11	65	60	92%
February 11	24	23	96%
March 11	33	29	88%
April 11	34	32	94%
May 11	39	36	92%
June 11	37	33	89%
July 11	41	36	88%
August 11	74	68	92%
September 11	96	81	84%
October 11	123	80	65%
November 11	54	19	35%
<b>673</b>		<b>547</b>	<b>81%</b>

Expired from 2010 - 48

New 2011 Members - 11

**Current Members - 636**

## Associate Members

2010 Associate Members - 76

Expires	Total	Renewed	
December 10	4	3	75%
January 11	2	1	50%
February 11	10	10	100%
March 11	7	7	100%
April 11	8	7	88%
May 11	3	2	67%
June 11	7	5	71%
July 11	8	7	88%
August 11	7	7	100%
September 11	8	6	75%
October 11	10	6	60%
November 11	2	0	0%
<b>76</b>		<b>61</b>	<b>80%</b>

Expired from 2010 - 9

New 2011 Associate Members - 3

**Current Associate Members - 70**

*A Special Thanks To All Our Current Members & Associate Members*

**YOUR SUPPORT IS GREATLY APPRECIATED!**

## ACM Newsletter Advertising

Issue	Deadline	Width x Height	Single Issue	4 Issues+
November - December 2011 ..	Monday, December 12	7-1/2" x 2-1/4"	\$ 75	\$ 50
January - March 2012 .....	Monday, March 19	7-1/2" x 4-1/2"	\$120	\$ 80
April - June 2012 .....	Monday, June 18	7-1/2" x 9-5/8"	\$180	\$120

**Ads must be prepaid. 33.3% discount for 4 or more issues. To receive discount for 4 issues+ must receive payment in full for desired # of issues.**

Prices based on camera-ready (black-on-white) artwork or EPS, JPG, PDF, or TIF files. Must receive artwork and payment by deadline for next issue.

(Seminar Topics continued from page 13)

**ELECTRONIC LINKED BINGO & ELECTRONIC PULL-TABS (2)** - Here's an opportunity to ask questions on HF 1485/SF 702, Allied Charities Of Minnesota's 2011 Charitable Gambling Bill. Find out how it effects you, the games, the taxes and how it all works. Here is a chance to find out what you can do to help get this bill passed in 2012.

**FUND LOSES (1)** - Discuss problems with fund losses. What is a fund loss? How to prevent fund losses. Theft Insurance?

**PULL-TAB DISPENSING DEVICES (1)** - An open discussion by and for licensed charitable gambling organizations on issues relating to pull-tab dispensing devices.

**RAFFLES (2)** - Discuss newly approved raffles. See who's done the new raffles and share what has worked and what has not worked. Here's a chance to tell others what problems you found.

**VETERANS & FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS (2)** - Round table discussion on anything & everything pertaining to veterans and fraternal organizations.

*(Please note we are trying to offer more group discussions for more people this year. We are hoping more attendees take these classes. We will evaluate the results for future years classes.)*

*The number after the seminar title is the number of times topic will be offered. Seminar tickets are only available on-site and are available on a first-come, first serve basis.*

## Allied Charities Of Minnesota 2011 ACM Annual Meeting

Friday, November 18, 2011

(11:30 am or immediately following Gambling Control Board Meeting - whichever is later)

**Stockinger Suite - St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center**

10 4th Ave S, St. Cloud, MN 56301-3614

1. Welcome & Call to Order
2. Officer Reports
3. Committee Reports
4. Director Reports
5. Executive Director Report
6. Election of Region Directors\* - (Regions 3, 4, 5, 11, & 12)
7. Old Business
8. Establish 2012 Legislative Platform
9. New Business
10. Adjournment

**\*If you are interested in running for ACM Region Director positions - Region 3, 5, 11, or 12 (3-year terms) or Region 4 (1-year term), or becoming an ACM At-Large Director for 2012, please contact King Wilson at 651-224-4533.**

*(see white insert for ACM Director Application/Questionnaire & Certification Form)*

# Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance Inc.

The Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance, Inc., a non-profit organization, came into being as a result of a concern that there was neither an independent entity, representing *at the same table*, the concerns of all the stakeholders and gatekeepers in the arena of problem gambling in the State of Minnesota and this Region, nor was there a State Affiliate of the National Council on Problem Gambling.

**Stakeholders** are defined as those who have a vested interest in gambling, including all of the gambling venues such as The Minnesota State Lottery, The Minnesota Indian Gaming Association, the independent tribal communities, Canterbury Park, and Allied Charities Of Minnesota, as well as the recovering compulsive gambler, and those affected by problem gambling, such as families and friends, retail finance and banking, the judicial system, and information transfer systems.

**Gatekeepers** are defined as those who provide a door to recovery or other appropriate help, such as researchers who help to provide reality regarding the issue of problem gambling, school counselors, clergy, physicians and nurses, county social workers, and residential and out patient treatment providers.

Despite our sometimes conflicting missions we all share one commonality, the belief that problem gambling is a serious public health issue, and that it is both treatable and preventable. There is help and there is hope.

The Northstar Alliance **mission** is to:

- Increase public awareness
- Promote the widespread availability of treatment for problem gamblers and their families, and
- Encourage education, research, and prevention

We are emphatically *neutral* on gambling policy, though we will advocate in public forums for programs that benefit problem gamblers and those affected by problem gambling. Our mission can be summarized that we serve the problem gambler and those affected by problem gambling.

The Northstar Alliance is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation (Federal tax ID number: 920185978) and Contributions are tax-deductible to the extent allowable by law. The Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance Inc. is currently the Minnesota State Affiliate of the National Council on Problem Gambling.

Please ask your organization to consider a contribution to this program. For your donation, your organization will receive a membership kit and a certificate of appreciation. *This is a lawful purpose contribution [Chapter 349.12 Subp. 25 (a) (1)]. Please join ACM in supporting the Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance.*

Enclosed is our donation of:    \_\_\_ \$50    \_\_\_ \$100    \_\_\_ \$250    \_\_\_ \$500

Organization/Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Make Checks Payable to:** *Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance*

**Mail to:** *Northstar Problem Gambling Alliance, 2233 North Hamline Avenue Suite 630, Roseville, MN 55113*

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTION!!!**

# Minnesota's 12 Licensed Distributors (from GCB as of 10/16/11)

ACM Associate Member as of 10/16/11

2011 ACM Convention &amp; Expo Exhibitors as of 10/16/11

**Brainerd Games**  
5494 State Highway 25 South  
Brainerd, MN 56401  
218-829-3252

Gopher Broke  
3775 Cranbrook Drive  
White Bear Lake, MN 55110  
651-426-7897

**Pulltabs Plus Incorporated**  
7155 Commerce Circle West Suite 1  
Fridley, MN 55432  
763-572-2130

**Central Gaming Service**  
3421 21st Avenue South  
Saint Cloud, MN 56301  
320-202-1865

**H and H Sales Incorporated**  
15476 170th Avenue Northeast  
Thief River Falls, MN 56701  
218-681-1788

**Three Diamond Corporation**  
619 West County Road E  
Shoreview, MN 55126  
651-486-0055

Centre Jobbing  
223 South Main Street  
Sauk Centre, MN 56378  
320-352-2009

**M Peters Enterprises**  
112 5th Avenue Southeast  
Waseca, MN 56093  
507-835-5624

**Triple Crown Gaming**  
2769 Clearwater Road  
Saint Cloud, MN 56301  
320-251-5373

Drew Naseth Company  
3050 East 197th Street  
Faribault, MN 55021  
507-332-8062

**Mr. Ed's Bingo & Casino**  
1802 27th Street South Suite B  
Moorhead, MN 56560  
218-236-0837

Twin Cities Gaming  
1385 Mendota Heights Rd #500  
Mendota Heights, MN 55120  
651-452-6659

Please Support The DISTRIBUTORS Who Support Allied Charities Of Minnesota!

# Minnesota's 9 Licensed Manufacturers (from GCB as of 10/16/11)

ACM Associate Member as of 10/16/11

2011 ACM Convention &amp; Expo Exhibitors as of 10/16/11

**Arrow International Incorporated**  
9900 Clinton Road  
Brooklyn, OH 44144  
216-961-3500

**GameTech International Incorporated**  
900 Sandhill Road  
Reno, NV 89521  
775-850-6000

Technik Manufacturing  
1005 17th Street  
Columbus, NE 68601  
402-564-3191

Douglas Press Incorporated  
2810 Madison Street  
Bellwood, IL 60104  
708-547-8400

**International Gamco Incorporated**  
9335 North 48th Street  
Omaha, NE 68152  
402-571-2449

**Universal Manufacturing**  
5450 Deramus  
Kansas City, MO 64120  
816-231-2771

Fortunet Incorporated  
2950 South Highland Drive Suite C  
Las Vegas, NV 89109  
702-796-9090

**Pollard Games Incorporated dba  
American Games Incorporated**  
504 34th Avenue  
Council Bluffs, IA 51501  
712-366-9553

**Video King  
(Contrarian Capital  
Management LLC dba)**  
2717 North 118th Circle Suite 210  
Omaha NE 68164  
402-951-2970

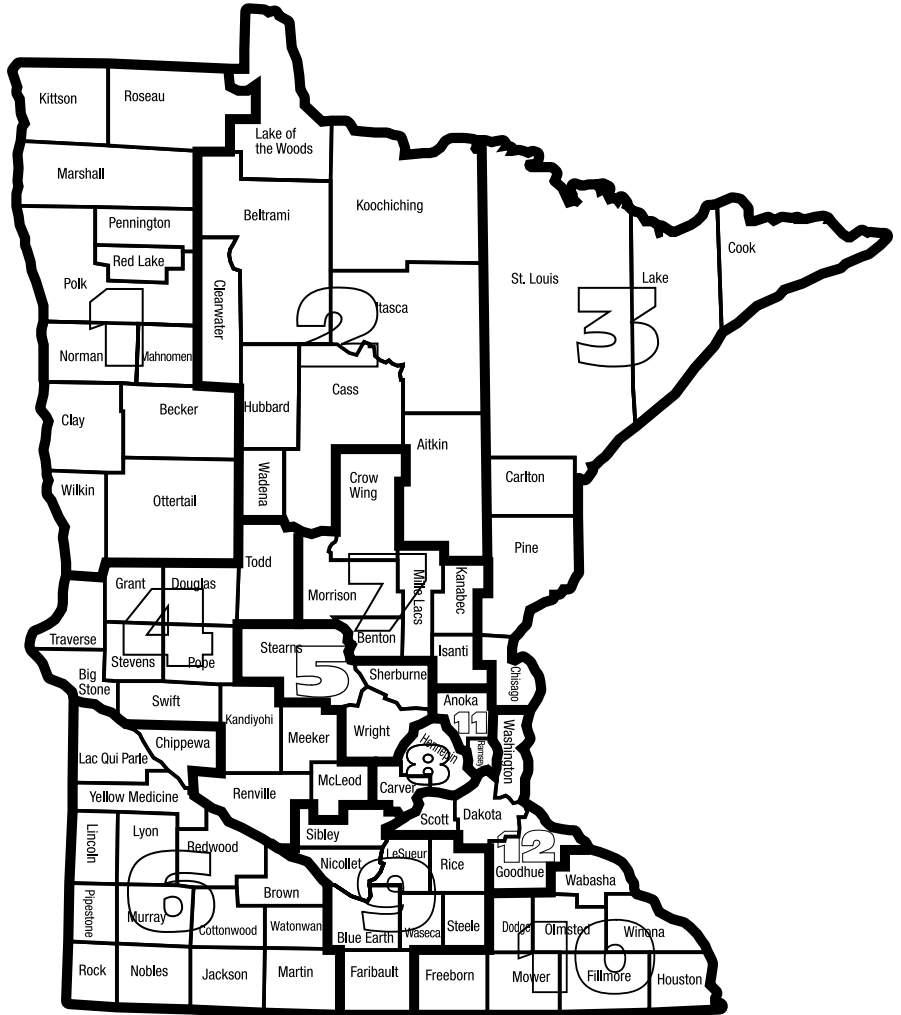
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# 2011 ACM Information - Regions & Directors

## Region Directors

(3-year staggered terms)

- Region 1 - **Thomas Burau**  
218-736-6147
- Region 2 - **Rich Jaranson**  
218-280-8307
- Region 3 - Genny Hinnenkamp**  
218-590-2544
- Region 4 - Open**
- Region 5 - Richard Horn**  
320-256-3917
- Region 6 - **Marv Wassenaar**  
507-283-8080
- Region 7 - **Sandy Johnson**  
218-829-8685
- Region 8 - **Steve Nelson**  
952-448-7792
- Region 9 - **Gene Lindahl**  
612-968-2177
- Region 10 - **Chuck Kruger**  
507-259-8003
- Region 11 - Bob Matson**  
651-638-4638
- Region 12 - Mary Perren**  
651-459-9278



## At-Large Directors

(1 year term)

- At Large - **Laurie Gluesing** (11)  
651-453-9275 ext. 11
- At Large - **Alan Lund** (5)  
763-497-9306
- At Large - **John Vaydich** (3)  
218-722-5569
- At Large - **Ann Vogt** (5)  
612-369-1585
- At Large - **Douglas Wendlandt** (12)  
320-583-5991

***Bold Italic*** indicates Region Director spot up for election at ACM Annual Meeting on 11/18/11 in St. Cloud. If you are interested in running for ACM Region Director, or becoming an ACM At-Large Director in 2012, please call 651-224-4533. See white insert for ACM Director Application/Questionnaire & Certification Form.

## ACM Office

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ACM Executive Director - King Wilson

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## Fax #

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866-240-6060

# ACM Keeping Charity In Minnesota Gambling

## Working Together For Minnesota Charities

ACM ensures that charitable gambling groups are heard with a strong and unified voice at the state and national capitols, and before the Gambling Control Board.

We actively work with Minnesota and Federal lawmakers, as well as the Gambling Control Board, on lawful gambling issues.

ACM works for the best interest of our industry on a daily basis and keeps members informed on the latest government actions.

As a unified group we are able to better affect rules and statutes governing our industry and curtail unfair, bureaucratic and burdensome mandates and taxes.

Legislative updates, Fall regional meetings and the ACM Newsletter all help to keep our members up-to-date on statute and rule changes, meeting notices, organizational changes and other important information.

## Providing Information, Education, & Training

A better educated and trained membership will promote a smoother functioning organization and make it easier to raise funds through lawful gambling.

The annual ACM Convention & Expo provides education and training seminars and disseminates the latest information from charitable gaming experts. ACM delegates see the latest in games and services available to their organizations.

Allied Charities Of Minnesota also has initiated a Legislative Update, a special mailing during the legislative session for members only. This mailing informs the hundreds of ACM member organizations of legislative issues that could endanger the health and viability of our industry. In addition, ACM provides member organizations with the latest in rules updates and special notices on issues of broad industry interest.

ACM also provides up-to-date information on lawful gambling through the ACM website ([www.alliedcharitiesmn.org](http://www.alliedcharitiesmn.org)).

## Please Join Or Renew Now

Mail your \$250 annual membership dues payable to:

**Allied Charities Of Minnesota (ACM)**  
Attn: King Wilson  
225 9th St E Unit 309  
Saint Paul, MN 55101-2514

*Remember -  
2011 ACM Membership Dues  
Are An Allowable Expense!*

## 2011 Allied Charities Of Minnesota Membership Form

\$250.00 Check enclosed     New     Renewal

Gambling License #:      (example 02011)

Gambling Manager:

Organization Name:

Mailing Address:

City:  State:  Zip:  -

Gambling Manager Phone: ()  Organization Phone: ()

E-mail Contact:  @

Membership Year: **Renewals - 12 months** from expiration date of 2010 membership.

**New - 12 months starting** with postmark month on return envelope with form & dues.



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## 2011 ACM Board Of Directors

### *ACM President*

**Richard Horn** - Melrose  
Melrose American Legion

**Thomas Burau** - Fergus Falls  
Fergus Falls American Legion

**Steve Nelson** - Chaska  
Chaska American Legion

### *ACM Vice-President*

**Chuck Kruger** - Byron  
Rochester Voiture 40/8

**Genny Hinnenkamp** - Duluth  
Irving Community Association

**Mary Perren** - Cottage Grove  
Cottage Grove Athletic Assn

**Rich Jaranson** - Bemidji  
North Country Snowmobile Club

**John Vaydich** - Duluth  
Duluth Softball Players Assn

### *ACM Secretary*

**Laurie Gluesing** - Shoreview  
CLIMB Theatre Inc

**Sandy Johnson** - Baxter  
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Land Of Lakes Choirboys of MN

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Morristown American Legion

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Luverne Eagles

**Allen Lund** - St Michael  
St Michael American Legion

**Douglas Wendlandt** - Red Wing  
Red Wing American Legion

*ACM Executive Director* - King Wilson

## ACM Board Of Directors Meetings

ACM Board of Director meetings begin 20 minutes following the monthly Gambling Control Board (GCB) meeting at the Country Inn & Suites in Roseville except as noted below.

**Meetings are open to ACM Members and Associate Members, and we encourage you to attend.**

*Upcoming meetings: Thursday, November 17 (St. Cloud) • Tuesday, January 17 • Tuesday, February 21*



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# The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo

November 17-18-19, 2011

**St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center**

10 4th Ave S, St. Cloud, MN 56301-3614

## *Proposed Schedule Of Events (as of 10/14/11)*

### **Thursday, November 17, 2011**

- 8:00 am - 12:30 pm Exhibitor Set-Up
- 11:30 am - 2:00 pm St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center Concession Stand is Open
- 12:00 pm - 7:00 pm Registration and Information Desk is Open
- 12:30 pm - 6:00 pm Exhibit Hall Open
- 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm Informational & Training Seminars and Workshops
- 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm Welcome Party - Hors d'oeuvres, Beer, & Pop (cash bar available)
- 7:00 pm - ??? *Enjoy St. Cloud*

### **Friday, November 18, 2011**

- 7:30 am - 10:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 7:30 am - 6:00 pm Registration and Information Desk is Open
- 8:15 am - 9:30 am Informational & Training Seminars and Workshops
- 9:00 am - 1:30 pm Exhibit Hall Open
- 9:45 am - 10:15 am ACM Regional Meetings**
- 10:30 am Gambling Control Board Meeting (Public Meeting)**
- 11:00 am - 1:30 pm St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center Concession Stand is Open
- 11:30 am Allied Charities of Minnesota 2011 Annual Meeting**
- 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm Informational & Training Seminars and Workshops
- 5:00 pm - 6:00 pm Social Hour (2 drink tickets per attendee, cash bar available)
- 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm Dinner Banquet with Keynote Speakers & **Entertainment by "Divas Through the Decades"**
- 8:00 pm - ??? Exhibitor Hospitality Rooms
- 8:00 pm - ??? *Enjoy St. Cloud*

### **Saturday, November 19, 2011**

- 8:00 am - 9:00 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00 am - 9:30 am Registration and Information Desk is Open
- 9:00 am - 10:15 am Informational & Training Seminars and Workshops
- 10:15 am - ??? *Enjoy St. Cloud*

# 10 Reasons Why YOU Should Come To The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo

1. It's the **state's (and nation's) largest** charitable gambling business event - attracting approximately 1,030 gaming delegates last year and expected to grow in 2011.

2. You'll see the **latest products and technologies** the lawful gambling world has to offer. Virtually every charitable gambling supplier in the state will be there - approximately 35 companies and 60 exhibit spaces displaying every lawful gambling product imaginable (and then some).

3. Get **new ideas** that will help you and your organization and/or company. Whatever your charitable gambling interest, whatever your place in the industry, there are seminars and workshops that will help you on the job.

4. **Great opportunities.** The Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo is where all the pieces of the gaming world - and a lot of its deals - come together.

5. It's in downtown **St. Cloud** at the beautiful **St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center**.

6. **Network** with delegates from every gaming market and every gaming niche. You'll meet the state's best and brightest charitable gaming professionals in seminars, between seminars, and on the trade show floor.

7. There's just **one low fee** - no add-ons, no restricted events.

8. It's **statewide**. You'll learn from hundreds of delegates from all across the great state of Minnesota.

9. **Experience.** The Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo, now in its twenty-first year, features some of the state's (and nation's) most experienced gaming professionals.

10. **Professional development.** You'll leave better informed, better connected, and better prepared than ever to thrive in Minnesota's lawful gambling industry.

## A Quick-Reference Guide

### What To Expect

Many exciting exhibits, scores of seminars and workshops to choose from, plus Thursday Welcome Party, Friday Continental Breakfast, Friday Dinner Banquet, Saturday Continental Breakfast, great entertainment, keynote speakers, special events, and hundreds of opportunities to meet and greet fellow charitable gambling professionals from all across the great state of Minnesota.

### Who Should Attend

There are seminars and workshops for everyone involved in charitable gaming, including:

Gambling managers and assistants; CEOs; organization board of directors; organization members; gaming employees; manufacturers; distributors; accountants; gaming suppliers and vendors; executive directors; government regulators; law enforcement officials; legislators; state, county, and city officials; news media; gaming fund beneficiaries; and members of the public who are interested in lawful gambling.

### World Class Facilities

All seminars, workshops, and meals - and the Minnesota Lawful Gambling Expo - will be held at the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center .

The St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center is centrally located in downtown St. Cloud overlooking the mighty Mississippi River. Shuttle service will be provided between the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center and ACM Convention Hotels/Motels except for the Best Western Kelly Inn & Le St-Germain Suite Hotel (formerly Radisson Suite Hotel).

### One Low Fee

One registration fee gains you complete access to all seminars and workshops, the Expo, Thursday Welcome Party, Friday Continental Breakfast, Friday Dinner Banquet, & Saturday Continental Breakfast. **Sign up early and enjoy our Early Bird discount.** *Check the Official Registration Form for complete details (see back page).*

# The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo

## Registration

Just complete the official registration form and return with your payment as soon as possible. **To receive the Early Bird discount your response must be postmarked by Saturday, November 5, 2011.** After this date you must register on-site. See back page for complete details.

## Lodging

This year we will again be using a Housing Bureau to process room reservations. The St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitor's Bureau will be providing the ACM Housing Bureau. A St. Cloud Housing Bureau Reservation Form is enclosed for your convenience. ***This includes a St. Cloud Area Accommodations update as of 10.14.11.*** A St. Cloud Area Map may be viewed online at the ACM website. Go to [alliedcharitiesmn.org](http://alliedcharitiesmn.org) then click on 2011 Convention/Expo.

Reservations will be made on a first-come, first-served basis based on the postmark or fax date of the Housing request. Additional hotels will be added if needed. Priority for reservations with same postmark or fax date will be based on a random drawing. **Please do not overbook - only make reservations for rooms that you intend to use.**

To be assured of housing, please return the St. Cloud Housing Bureau Reservation Form as soon as possible. **All reservations at ACM preferred rate hotels must be made through the St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitor's Bureau - delegates are required to send the St. Cloud Housing Bureau Reservation Form to the St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitor's Bureau to make reservations for their sleeping rooms** (telephone reservations and those sent directly to the hotel/motel for ACM blocked rooms will not be accepted until after the cut-off of Thursday, October 27, 2011).

**For additional St. Cloud Area Hotel/Motel information or questions contact Nikki at the St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitors Bureau at 1-800-264-2940 ext. 100.**

***Again, in fairness to others please do not overbook - only make hotels reservations for rooms that you intend to use.***

## Shuttle Service

Ground transportation will be provided throughout the show between the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center and ACM Convention Hotels/Motels except for the Best Western Kelly Inn & Le St-Germain Suite Hotel (formerly Radisson Suite Hotel). We are working with the St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitor's Bureau and local transportation experts to develop the exact shuttle plan. *Shuttle schedule will be in the ACM Pre-Convention Confirmation Packet to be mailed out on Wednesday, November 9, 2011 to all registered attendees.*

## Seminars & Workshops

Approximately 21 different topics will be offered at the Convention & Expo. Presenters will be experts from the Lawful Gambling industry, including the Gambling Control Board, Department of Revenue, and Internal Revenue Service. You will find the greatest collection of gambling related topics and personalities available. Many topics will be presented twice so that you can take in as much as possible. Many topics will qualify for a gambling managers continuing education requirement. **Proposed topics, descriptions, & schedule appear in the January - October 2011 ACM Newsletter and online at the ACM website. Go to [alliedcharitiesmn.org](http://alliedcharitiesmn.org) then click on 2011 Convention/Expo.**

## Exhibitors

Approximately 35 gaming suppliers and vendors from around the state and across the country will display their latest products and services at the Convention & Expo. See the January - October 2011 ACM Newsletter for current exhibitor list.

## About The Sponsor

The Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo, the state's (and nation's) largest event of it's kind, is sponsored by the largest trade association of licensed lawful gambling organizations in Minnesota (and the USA), Allied Charities of Minnesota.

Each year, they use their expertise to bring gaming professionals from every facet of Minnesota's lawful gaming industry together for this extraordinary show.

## Information

***Call King Wilson, Executive Director of ACM, at 651-224-4533 for additional information.***

# The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo

## Early Bird Official Registration Form

Please photocopy for additional registrations

**Please fill out form completely.**

**Exhibitors do not use this form.** Use exhibitor registration form only (available in early October).

### General Information

Gambling License # \_\_\_\_\_ (example 02011)

Organization/Company \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

Will your organization/company be an ACM Member or Associate Member as of November 2011? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

### Register Early and Save

Registration includes admission to all scheduled seminars (based on ticket availability) and to the exhibit hall each day. There is no limit to the number of seminars you may attend. Admission to seminars requires a ticket which can be picked up at the registration desk on a first-come, first-serve basis. Registration also includes: Welcome Party; Friday Continental Breakfast; refreshment breaks; 2 drink tickets for the Friday Social; the Friday Dinner Banquet; and the Saturday Continental Breakfast. *Registration fees do not include accommodations.*

### Early Bird Registration (postmark by 11/5/11)

Current ACM Members or Associate Members as of 11/2011  
(includes employees and/or organization members)

\_\_\_\_\_ Attendee(s) @ \$160 = \$\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Spouse(s) @ \$50 = \$\_\_\_\_\_

#### Non-Members

\_\_\_\_\_ Attendee(s) @ \$600 = \$\_\_\_\_\_

*Enclosed is our check for \$\_\_\_\_\_*

**Do not send Official Registration Form after Saturday, November 5, 2011. After this date you must register on-site.**

### On-Site Registrations

Current ACM Members and Associate Members

Attendee(s) @ \$210 and Spouse(s) @ \$50

#### Non-Members

Attendee(s) @ \$650

### Attendees

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Check if: \_\_\_\_\_ Gambling Manager \_\_\_\_\_ CEO

Spouse's name (only if attending) \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Check if: \_\_\_\_\_ Gambling Manager \_\_\_\_\_ CEO

Spouse's name (only if attending) \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Check if: \_\_\_\_\_ Gambling Manager \_\_\_\_\_ CEO

Spouse's name (only if attending) \_\_\_\_\_

### Cancellations

*Will only be accepted until Monday, November 7, 2011. There is a \$50 per attendee & \$25 per spouse cancellation fee. No refunds after Monday, November 7, 2011. Substitutions can be made at no charge at any time.*

### Payment

Make checks payable to: **ACM Convention & Expo**

Mail to: **Allied Charities of Minnesota,  
225 9th St E Unit 309, Saint Paul, MN 55101-2514**

*Convention & Expo Expenses Are Allowable Expenses.*

**\*\*\*\*\* LAST CALL - Revised 10.14.11 - LAST CALL \*\*\*\*\***

**St. Cloud Housing Bureau Reservation Form For Allied Charities of Minnesota  
The 21st Annual Minnesota Lawful Gambling Convention & Expo  
November 17-18-19, 2011 St. Cloud, Minnesota**

Mail to: St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitors Bureau      or      Fax to: 320-656-0401 (please do not call for fax confirmation)  
*ACM Convention Housing - Attn: Nikki Fisher*  
 525 Highway 10 S Ste 1      St. Cloud Housing Bureau Information Number  
 Saint Cloud, MN 56304-4694      **Do Not Send To ACM**      1-800-264-2940 ext. 100  
**Reservations Must Be Received By: Thursday, October 27, 2011**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

- 1) ALL reservations must be made on this form only and submitted to the St. Cloud Area Convention & Visitors Bureau (*not ACM*).
- 2) NO TELEPHONE RESERVATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.
- 3) Reservations will be made on a first-come, first-served basis based on the postmark or fax date of the Housing request. Reservations postmarked or faxed prior to this date will be treated as if postmarked or faxed on 8/24/11. Priority for reservations with same postmark or fax date will be based on a random drawing. Please note mailing Housing Form is recommended over faxing (no advantage to faxing).
- 4) ALL CHANGES or CANCELLATIONS up until 10/27/11 must be made through the Housing Bureau at 1-800-264-2940.
- 5) Reservations, changes, & cancellations after Thursday, October 27, 2011 should be made directly to the hotel/motel of your choice.
- 6) *An acknowledgement will be sent to the individual requesting rooms - confirmation will follow from the hotel/motel.*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Organization/Company \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Fax (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_

Would you like your acknowledgement sent to you by **MAIL FAX or E-MAIL** (Please circle one)

**Hotel Preferences:**      **Total Number of Rooms Needed** \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

***You MUST indicate 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, & 6th choice of hotel (see back).***  
 If all 6 choices have been filled another hotel/motel will be selected for you.

Room Type Desired	Name(s) of Person(s) Staying in Room(s)	Arrival Date	Departure Date	Rate	Smoking	
					Yes	No
					Yes	No
					Yes	No
					Yes	No
					Yes	No

**ROOM TYPES   A. 1 bed/1 person   B. 1 bed/2 people   C. 2 beds/2 people   D. 2 beds/3 people   E. 2 beds/4 people**

*(not all room types available at all hotels/motels - smoking & non-smoking rooms are not guaranteed)*

Indicate a Handicapped Accessible Room by noting **HC** in the Room Type Desired box. SPECIAL Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

Reservations MUST be guaranteed by providing a deposit of one night's rental by major credit card or the hotel/motel will contact you for a deposit. I understand that I will be liable for the first night's rental which will be billed to my credit card or deducted from my deposit if I fail to show up for my assigned housing on the confirmed date unless I have cancelled my reservations with the hotel prior to **3 pm** on the scheduled day of arrival. **DO NOT SEND CHECKS FOR DEPOSIT TO THE ST. CLOUD AREA CONVENTION & VISITORS BUREAU.**

Credit Card Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name As It Appears On Credit Card: \_\_\_\_\_ Cardholder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*\* LAST CALL - Revised 10.14.11 - LAST CALL \*\*\*\*\*

# 2011 ACM St. Cloud Area Accommodations

***Not all room types available at all hotels/motels each night.***

<i>Rooms Remaining as of 10/14/11</i>		ACM Housing Block	Hotel/Motel (Address) - <i>Map Key</i>
<i>Thurs</i>	<i>Fri</i>		
<i>11/17</i>	<i>11/18</i>		
9	7	37 rooms	<b>Americanna Inn Best Western</b> - 520 Hwy 10 S - <b>T5</b> Single: 1-2 \$79.95 Double: 1-4 \$79.95 Suite: \$79.95 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Limited Smoking Rooms.</i>
11	29	200 rooms	<b>Best Western Kelly Inn</b> - 100 4th Ave S - <b>Q5</b> Single: 1-2 \$89.00 Double: 1-4 \$89.00 <i>Connected to St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center. Green Mill Restaurant located at facility. Non Smoking Facility.</i>
3	10	46 rooms	<b>Country Inn &amp; Suites St. Cloud East</b> - 120 7th Ave SE - <b>S5</b> Single: 1-2 \$105.00 Double: 1-4 \$105.00 Studio: 1-2 \$125.00 Large Suite: 1-2 \$135.00 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Limited Smoking Rooms.</i>
45	44	60 rooms	<b>Days Inn &amp; Waterslide</b> - 70 37th Ave S - <b>H7</b> Single: 1-2 \$57.95 King Single: 1-2 \$67.95 Double: 1-4 \$77.95 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Limited Smoking Rooms.</i>
0	0	30 rooms	<b>Grandstay Residential Suites</b> - 213 6th Ave S - <b>P5</b> Single Studio: 1-2 \$95.00 Double Studio: 1-4 \$95.00 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Limited Smoking Rooms.</i>
9	9	40 rooms	<b>Hampton Inn &amp; Suites</b> - 145 37th Ave N - <b>I6</b> Double: 1-4 99.00 King Studio/Study: 1-2 \$119.00 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Non Smoking Facility.</i>
86	93	150 rooms	<b>Holiday Inn &amp; Suites</b> - 75 37th Ave S - <b>H7</b> Single: 1-2 \$104.95 Double: 1-4 \$104.95 Two-Room Suite: \$169.95 <i>Café Santa Fe and Legends Bar and Grill located at facility. Limited Smoking Rooms.</i>
15	15	20 rooms	<b>Homewood Suites by Hilton</b> - 115 37th Ave N St - <b>I6</b> Single: 1-2 \$109.00 Double: 1-3 \$129.00 <i>Complimentary Continental Breakfast. Non Smoking Facility.</i>
1	11	90 rooms	<b>Le St-Germain Suite Hotel (formerly Radisson Suite Hotel)</b> - 404 Saint Germain St W - <b>P5</b> Single: 1-2 \$109.00 Double: 1-4 \$109.00 Whirlpool King: \$109.00 <i>Connected to St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center. 5th Avenue Grille located at facility. Non Smoking Facility.</i>
<u>179</u>	<u>218</u>	<u>673 Total</u>	

Above rates do not include 12.375% state/local/lodging taxes.

Single indicates 1 bed. Double indicates 2 beds.

Shuttle Service will be provided between the St. Cloud River's Edge Convention Center and all hotels/motels except for the Best Western Kelly Inn & Le St-Germain Suite Hotel.

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# ACM Director Application/Questionnaire

PLEASE CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX BELOW

REGION DIRECTOR - Region \_\_\_\_\_

2012 AT-LARGE DIRECTOR

1. Complete Information Below. (Please print)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone # (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Work Telephone # (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsoring Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Organization License Number \_\_\_\_\_

2. Have Organization Officer Complete Certificate Of Membership On Back.

3. What Is Your Gambling Experience? (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Is Your Organization Aware Of Your Interest As A Director? YES or NO If Yes, Are They Supportive?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Please Tell Us A Little About Yourself. \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

6. REGION DIRECTOR Candidates Please Complete Application/Questionnaire & Certificate Of Membership And Submit To ACM Executive Director King Wilson **By Monday, November 14, 2011.**

2012 AT-LARGE DIRECTOR Candidates Please Complete Application/Questionnaire & Certificate Of Membership And Submit To ACM Executive Director King Wilson **By Monday, December 19, 2011.**

# Certificate Of Membership

This is to certify that on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2011,

\_\_\_\_\_ is a member in good standing of  
(ACM Board Member Candidate)

\_\_\_\_\_, having all the privileges of  
(Organization)

membership, none having been revoked, suspended, or denied.

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature Of Officer)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pursuant to Article IV Board Of Directors 4.02 Number, Qualifications, and Tenure (A) of the RESTATED BYLAWS OF ALLIED CHARITIES OF MINNESOTA, INC. which states:

(A) Each director shall be a member in good standing of an organization which is a member in this corporation with its principal place of business or registered office in that region which he or she is to represent.