

MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR



When Colorado voters approved limited gaming in 1990, it prompted a flurry of activity as businesses sprang up, historic buildings were retrofitted, slot machines ordered, and casino staff were licensed and trained.

State regulators began to define the new industry, and the 1991 Colorado Gaming Commission -- who met more than 20 times between July and December that year -- developed rules and regulations to protect patrons and businesses by insuring honesty and integrity in the Colorado Gaming industry.

The voters' original intent to preserve the history and character of the towns where limited gaming is permitted has not been forgotten. During the first 20 years of gaming, nearly **\$1.5 billion** has been distributed back to Colorado to fund state historical restoration projects, as well as the impacts to state and local governments caused by gaming and expenses for the on-going regulation of the gaming industry. This figure includes additional funds directed by Amendment 50 (which was implemented in July, 2009) to be distributed to the State's public community colleges, junior colleges, and local district colleges to supplement existing State funding for student financial aid and programs and classroom instruction programs, expanding the impact of gaming revenues to new institutions.

In two decades, the industry has seen many changes. The ornate "one-armed bandit" with a jingle of coins has been superseded by sleek video slot machines operating on computer chips and circuitry. New games and regulations have been added. The Division of Gaming has stayed diligent and alert, keeping up with the rapidly changing technology, responding to both consumers and the industry we regulate. May the next 20 years of Gaming in Colorado be as exciting and successful as the first 20 years have been!



—Ron

Commission Action

At its Nov. 17 meeting in Central City, the Colorado Gaming Commission:

- Renewed the retail licenses of Riviera Black Hawk Casino and Red Dolly Casino; renewed the operator license of Luna Gaming— Red Dolly, LLC

- Approved a change of ownership Luna Gaming Central City, LLC d/b/a Fortune Valley Hotel and Casino

Dates to Remember

- ✓ December 15 • November gaming tax returns due
- ✓ December 15 • Gaming Commission meeting, Golden
- ✓ December 26 • Holiday, Division offices closed

OCTOBER AGP BY DEVICE

STATEWIDE

Device	Number	AGP	Avg. Daily AGP/Device	Number	AGP	Avg. Daily AGP/Device
Slots	14,563	\$55,770,084	\$123.63	3,874	\$9,810,924	\$81.88
Tables	318	\$6,624,716	\$672.56	76	\$882,102	\$375.27
TOTAL	14,881	\$62,394,801	\$135.36	3,950	\$10,693,026	\$87.53

CRIPPLE CREEK

BLACK HAWK

Device	Number	AGP	Avg. Daily AGP/Device	Number	AGP	Avg. Daily AGP/Device
Slots	8,334	\$40,324,550	\$156.08	2,355	\$5,634,611	\$77.18
Tables	196	\$5,308,912	\$873.75	46	\$433,702	\$304.14
TOTAL	8,530	\$45,633,462	\$172.57	2,401	\$6,068,313	\$81.53

CENTRAL CITY

Average Daily AGP Per Device is calculated by dividing the total AGP by the number of devices, further divided by the average number of days open for all establishments open during the month.

STATEWIDE GAMING STATISTICS					CRIPPLE CREEK GAMING STATISTICS				
	OCT 2011	SEP 2011	OCT 2010	TAX YTD		OCT 2011	SEP 2011	OCT 2010	TAX YTD
1¢ SLOTS	8,140	8,203	7,944	32,505	1¢ SLOTS	1,981	2,007	2,036	7,994
COINS IN	333,714,890.52	338,767,406.49	344,664,840.21	1,387,795,386.10	COINS IN	66,194,791.97	70,196,995.21	67,221,146.62	290,234,941.95
AGP	31,543,746.12	32,863,193.76	31,768,366.76	132,917,718.06	AGP	5,445,941.72	5,995,336.49	5,488,956.75	24,535,806.34
AVG DAILY AGP	125.11	133.54	129.00	135.55	AVG DAILY AGP	88.89	99.57	86.97	100.16
HOLD %	9.45%	9.70%	9.22%	9.58%	HOLD %	8.23%	8.54%	8.17%	8.45%
25¢ SLOTS	1,541	1,538	1,642	6,149	25¢ SLOTS	465	466	606	1,894
COINS IN	72,414,532.70	76,327,042.34	80,876,713.84	306,004,713.26	COINS IN	20,818,187.00	21,398,771.00	25,118,826.59	89,010,485.22
AGP	4,014,384.20	4,323,938.20	4,604,838.39	17,475,390.16	AGP	891,482.85	1,084,063.65	1,154,441.70	4,263,973.02
AVG DAILY AGP	84.10	93.71	90.46	94.21	AVG DAILY AGP	61.99	77.54	61.45	73.47
HOLD %	5.54%	5.67%	5.69%	5.71%	HOLD %	4.28%	5.07%	4.60%	4.79%
\$1 SLOTS	1,573	1,579	1,757	6,283	\$1 SLOTS	585	585	659	2,332
COINS IN	133,059,481.73	136,704,686.18	146,907,440.95	558,339,783.07	COINS IN	31,475,901.31	34,212,110.00	35,995,091.34	141,007,635.31
AGP	7,097,011.84	7,499,259.82	7,649,843.24	29,820,427.59	AGP	1,488,679.88	1,647,671.93	1,705,296.46	6,929,603.40
AVG DAILY AGP	145.66	158.31	140.45	157.33	AVG DAILY AGP	82.28	93.88	83.47	96.97
HOLD %	5.33%	5.49%	5.21%	5.34%	HOLD %	4.73%	4.82%	4.74%	4.91%
MULTI-DENOM	2,092	2,114	2,211	8,449	MULTI-DENOM	500	508	510	2,024
COINS IN	188,361,183.73	193,802,255.10	198,282,469.18	808,848,422.62	COINS IN	26,907,455.90	27,567,345.48	25,613,824.80	119,980,966.98
AGP	8,768,389.24	9,206,417.55	9,075,788.76	37,450,612.57	AGP	1,256,454.43	1,491,635.24	1,197,005.37	5,710,227.96
AVG DAILY AGP	135.32	145.17	132.41	146.94	AVG DAILY AGP	81.25	97.88	75.71	92.07
HOLD %	4.66%	4.75%	4.58%	4.63%	HOLD %	4.67%	5.41%	4.67%	4.76%
OTHER SLOTS	1,217	1,234	1,513	4,908	OTHER SLOTS	343	348	425	1,393
COINS IN	80,248,712.38	77,832,966.49	88,282,540.84	322,317,214.12	COINS IN	13,448,438.10	13,460,071.90	15,862,055.88	58,191,205.30
AGP	4,346,552.93	4,351,187.60	5,108,631.76	18,692,837.05	AGP	728,364.78	763,930.97	956,875.03	3,251,893.75
AVG DAILY AGP	115.30	117.54	108.92	126.25	AVG DAILY AGP	68.66	73.17	72.63	76.18
HOLD %	5.42%	5.59%	5.79%	5.80%	HOLD %	5.42%	5.68%	6.03%	5.59%
BJ TABLES	144	144	125	580	BJ TABLES	35	36	29	143
BJ DROP	14,188,691.20	15,398,269.05	14,811,966.02	61,152,778.62	BJ DROP	2,325,194.75	2,342,925.30	2,163,933.25	9,633,491.80
AGP	2,349,008.45	2,581,967.80	2,227,486.02	9,843,317.12	AGP	386,062.50	332,485.30	291,393.75	1,478,770.55
AVG DAILY AGP	526.64	597.68	574.84	562.59	AVG DAILY AGP	356.64	307.86	324.13	337.47
HOLD %	16.56%	16.77%	15.04%	16.10%	HOLD %	16.60%	14.19%	13.47%	15.35%
CRAPS TABLES	25	25	28	101	CRAPS TABLES	7	7	8	28
CRAPS DROP	5,650,150.69	5,956,023.70	6,075,326.61	24,791,360.00	CRAPS DROP	715,299.50	919,701.25	762,161.75	3,735,144.11
AGP	1,249,927.94	1,237,957.70	1,272,612.11	5,071,820.75	AGP	185,146.25	145,215.75	188,607.00	756,578.36
AVG DAILY AGP	1,614.11	1,650.61	1,466.14	1,664.63	AVG DAILY AGP	855.18	691.50	760.51	881.79
HOLD %	22.12%	20.78%	20.95%	20.46%	HOLD %	25.88%	15.79%	24.75%	20.26%
POKER TABLES	125	128	121	509	POKER TABLES	28	28	32	111
POKER DROP	3,263,225.50	3,536,640.80	3,890,992.80	14,288,172.05	POKER DROP	361,624.75	412,558.50	406,069.75	1,792,341.00
AGP	2,372,604.76	2,327,001.94	2,528,600.39	9,490,454.60	AGP	227,621.93	250,126.99	285,478.47	1,164,046.90
AVG DAILY AGP	612.78	605.99	674.11	618.08	AVG DAILY AGP	262.84	297.77	287.78	342.23
HOLD %	25.89%	22.79%	24.10%	24.24%	HOLD %	23.20%	20.56%	30.22%	25.26%
ROULETTE TABLES	24	24	24	97	ROULETTE TABLES	6	6	8	25
ROULETTE DROP	2,404,029.00	2,401,512.01	2,507,086.55	9,983,217.63	ROULETTE DROP	313,831.00	289,699.50	246,975.00	1,314,564.50
AGP	653,175.25	592,730.51	524,235.55	2,511,161.88	AGP	83,271.25	83,709.00	67,001.50	366,237.75
AVG DAILY AGP	878.63	823.24	704.62	858.18	AVG DAILY AGP	448.73	465.05	270.17	478.07
HOLD %	27.17%	24.68%	20.91%	25.15%	HOLD %	26.53%	28.90%	27.13%	27.86%
TOTAL AGP	62,394,800.73	64,983,654.88	64,760,402.98	263,273,739.78	TOTAL AGP	10,693,025.59	11,794,175.32	11,335,056.03	48,457,138.03
GAMING TAXES	7,915,060.39	7,289,415.83	8,661,398.73	22,851,387.72	GAMING TAXES	477,649.92	283,500.79	480,380.57	923,055.21
# OF CASINOS	40	40	40	40	# OF CASINOS	14	14	15	14

BLACK HAWK GAMING STATISTICS					CENTRAL CITY GAMING STATISTICS				
	OCT 2011	SEP 2011	OCT 2010	TAX YTD		OCT 2011	SEP 2011	OCT 2010	TAX YTD
1¢ SLOTS	4,849	4,873	4,760	19,490	1¢ SLOTS	1,310	1,323	1,148	5,021
COINS IN	226,728,017.30	229,034,614.31	233,802,307.96	938,318,737.61	COINS IN	40,792,081.25	39,535,796.97	43,641,385.63	159,241,706.54
AGP	22,265,423.63	23,272,224.84	22,835,753.07	93,620,592.59	AGP	3,832,380.77	3,595,632.43	3,443,656.94	14,761,319.13
AVG DAILY AGP	148.12	159.19	154.76	159.10	AVG DAILY AGP	94.37	90.59	96.76	100.52
HOLD %	9.82%	10.16%	9.77%	9.98%	HOLD %	9.39%	9.09%	7.89%	9.27%
25¢ SLOTS	758	753	762	3,013	25¢ SLOTS	318	319	274	1,242
COINS IN	44,494,853.70	47,162,134.73	47,873,134.00	186,257,866.18	COINS IN	7,101,492.00	7,766,136.61	7,884,753.25	30,736,361.86
AGP	2,643,362.87	2,763,247.81	2,990,836.29	11,275,005.27	AGP	479,538.48	476,626.74	459,560.40	1,936,411.87
AVG DAILY AGP	112.49	122.32	126.61	123.95	AVG DAILY AGP	48.64	49.80	54.10	53.31
HOLD %	5.94%	5.86%	6.25%	6.05%	HOLD %	6.75%	6.14%	5.83%	6.30%
\$1 SLOTS	774	783	869	3,115	\$1 SLOTS	214	211	229	836
COINS IN	92,213,136.42	93,655,340.18	98,158,261.61	381,365,172.76	COINS IN	9,370,444.00	8,837,236.00	12,754,088.00	35,966,975.00
AGP	5,286,701.43	5,500,564.60	5,413,675.98	21,280,474.24	AGP	321,630.53	351,023.29	530,870.80	1,610,349.95
AVG DAILY AGP	220.33	234.17	200.96	226.28	AVG DAILY AGP	48.48	55.45	74.78	65.86
HOLD %	5.73%	5.87%	5.52%	5.58%	HOLD %	3.43%	3.97%	4.16%	4.48%
MULTI-DENOM	1,295	1,294	1,404	5,214	MULTI-DENOM	297	312	297	1,211
COINS IN	143,010,031.61	148,305,700.14	153,337,003.01	609,283,603.66	COINS IN	18,443,696.22	17,929,209.48	19,331,641.37	79,583,851.98
AGP	6,784,284.81	7,034,921.82	7,106,817.76	28,663,010.41	AGP	727,650.00	679,860.49	771,965.63	3,077,374.20
AVG DAILY AGP	168.99	181.22	163.29	182.08	AVG DAILY AGP	79.03	72.63	83.85	86.88
HOLD %	4.74%	4.74%	4.63%	4.70%	HOLD %	3.95%	3.79%	3.99%	3.87%
OTHER SLOTS	658	672	865	2,687	OTHER SLOTS	216	214	223	828
COINS IN	62,432,146.25	60,360,969.09	66,929,438.91	245,928,454.24	COINS IN	4,368,128.03	4,011,925.50	5,491,046.05	18,197,554.58
AGP	3,344,777.06	3,331,823.08	3,838,922.03	14,319,592.71	AGP	273,411.09	255,433.55	312,834.70	1,121,350.59
AVG DAILY AGP	163.98	165.27	143.16	176.51	AVG DAILY AGP	40.83	39.79	45.25	46.30
HOLD %	5.36%	5.52%	5.74%	5.82%	HOLD %	6.26%	6.37%	5.70%	6.16%
BJ TABLES	83	83	80	337	BJ TABLES	26	25	16	100
BJ DROP	10,791,874.20	11,930,523.25	11,777,153.02	47,024,600.81	BJ DROP	1,071,622.25	1,124,820.50	870,879.75	4,494,686.01
AGP	1,786,407.20	2,095,741.25	1,810,576.27	7,697,346.56	AGP	176,538.75	153,741.25	125,516.00	667,200.01
AVG DAILY AGP	694.29	841.66	730.07	756.53	AVG DAILY AGP	219.03	204.99	253.06	228.12
HOLD %	16.55%	17.57%	15.37%	16.37%	HOLD %	16.47%	13.67%	14.41%	14.84%
CRAPS TABLES	15	15	17	61	CRAPS TABLES	3	3	3	12
CRAPS DROP	4,331,908.69	4,534,916.45	4,700,653.86	18,730,343.89	CRAPS DROP	602,942.50	501,406.00	612,511.00	2,325,872.00
AGP	948,577.19	1,003,372.95	986,735.11	3,886,725.39	AGP	116,204.50	89,369.00	97,270.00	428,517.00
AVG DAILY AGP	2,039.95	2,229.72	1,872.36	2,110.43	AVG DAILY AGP	1,249.51	992.99	1,045.91	1,220.94
HOLD %	21.90%	22.13%	20.99%	20.75%	HOLD %	19.27%	17.82%	15.88%	18.42%
POKER TABLES	84	87	75	346	POKER TABLES	13	13	14	52
POKER DROP	2,713,918.75	2,942,569.30	3,030,926.55	11,688,921.80	POKER DROP	187,682.00	181,513.00	453,996.50	806,909.25
AGP	2,050,523.33	1,971,619.45	2,074,154.42	7,921,444.95	AGP	94,459.50	105,255.50	168,967.50	404,962.75
AVG DAILY AGP	787.45	755.41	892.11	758.31	AVG DAILY AGP	234.39	269.89	389.33	266.27
HOLD %	26.02%	22.82%	23.83%	24.03%	HOLD %	29.13%	27.44%	20.42%	25.05%
ROULETTE TABLES	14	14	13	56	ROULETTE TABLES	4	4	3	16
ROULETTE DROP	1,939,660.50	1,983,773.01	2,112,221.80	8,111,358.88	ROULETTE DROP	150,537.50	128,039.50	147,889.75	557,294.25
AGP	523,404.50	483,847.01	432,386.80	2,010,667.88	AGP	46,499.50	25,174.50	24,847.25	134,256.25
AVG DAILY AGP	1,206.00	1,152.02	1,072.92	1,189.24	AVG DAILY AGP	375.00	209.79	267.17	286.89
HOLD %	26.98%	24.39%	20.47%	24.79%	HOLD %	30.89%	19.66%	16.80%	24.09%
TOTAL AGP	45,633,462.02	47,457,362.81	47,489,857.73	190,674,860.00	TOTAL AGP	6,068,313.12	5,732,116.75	5,935,489.22	24,141,741.75
GAMING TAXES	7,081,557.19	6,819,207.31	7,704,290.27	21,285,765.07	GAMING TAXES	355,853.28	186,707.73	476,727.89	642,567.44
# OF CASINOS	18	18	18	18	# OF CASINOS	8	8	7	8