# Gambling Control Division 

Quarterly Information Summary
FY22 3rd Quarter Ending March 31st, 2022

## Video Gambling Tax Collections

Video Gambling Machine (VGM) tax collections for the third quarter of fiscal year 2022 (January, February, March) were approximately $\$ 19.1$ million. This is the same as second quarter FY22 and is a $2.6 \%$ decrease in total collections from third quarter of fiscal year 2021. All VGM tax collections are deposited into the State General Fund.

VGM Tax Collection by Quarter


## Liquor and Gambling License Applications

In the third quarter of fiscal year 2022, the Division received 124 gambling, liquor, and combined liquor/gambling applications (including amended applications). This is 5 more than the number of applications received during third quarter of fiscal year 2021 ( $4 \%$ increase), and 33 more than the number of applications received second quarter FY22 ( $36 \%$ increase). Currently, there are approximately 1,362 active gambling operators in Montana.

License Applications (including amended) Combined Liquor Gambling, Liquor Only, and Gambling Only


## Video Gambling Machine Permits

Effective July $1^{\text {st }}$, 2013, an individual video gambling machine permit fee was increased to $\$ 240$ for the full fiscal year and is reduced by a prorated amount each subsequent quarter of the fiscal year. A portion of the fee goes to the local government where the machine is located, and the balance goes to the Gambling Special Revenue Fund.

During the third quarter of fiscal year 2022, 526 video gambling machine permits were issued. This is an $80 \%$ decrease from third quarter of FY21.

VGM permits by Fiscal Year

-Total number of VGM permits issued during the fiscal year

## Live Bingo/Keno

- The total number of bingo and keno permits issued through fiscal year 2022 is 181(117 Commercial, 64
Exempt), which is a $9 \%$ increase from this time last fiscal year.


## Special Event Permits

- 24 Casino Night permits were issued through the 3rd quarter of FY22. This is 18 more permits processed than through $3^{\text {rd }}$ quarter of FY21.
- The division processed 149 Calcutta permits through third quarter of fiscal year 2022. This is $64 \%$ more than the number of permits processed through this time last fiscal year.

Bingo/Keno Permits


## Live Card Games

- The number of card tables permitted through fiscal year 2022 is 166 . This is $19 \%$ more than the number processed this time last fiscal year.
- The number of card dealers licensed through fiscal year 2022 is 252. This is a $38 \%$ increase from this time last fiscal year.
- Through third quarter of fiscal year 2022, 53 large-stakes tournament permits were issued. 17 permits were processed through this time during fiscal

NUMBER OF PERMITTED CARD TABLES year 2021.

- Through third quarter of fiscal year 2022, 18 small-stakes tournament permits were issued. This is 1 more than the number processed through this time during fiscal year 2021.

Live Card Tables


Licensed Card Dealers


Quarter / Fiscal Year

| Fiscal Year Comparison of Video Gambling Machine Tax Collections |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Quarter / Tax Collections |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Percent Change |
| Fiscal Year |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 3 |  | 4 |  | Total |  |
| 2006 | \$ | 13,993,833 | \$ | 13,982,777 | \$ | 14,630,273 | \$ | 14,305,508 | \$ | 56,912,391 | 6.63\% |
| 2007 | \$ | 14,989,052 | \$ | 15,051,170 | \$ | 15,376,547 | \$ | 15,344,153 | \$ | 60,760,922 | 6.76\% |
| 2008 | \$ | 15,799,620 | \$ | 16,025,235 | \$ | 15,577,485 | \$ | 16,022,028 | \$ | 63,424,368 | 4.38\% |
| 2009 | S | 15,867,286 | \$ | 15,223,976 | \$ | 15,636,167 | \$ | 15,338,235 | \$ | 62,065,664 | -2.14\% |
| 2010 | \$ | 15,029,686 | \$ | 12,438,476 | \$ | 12,282,222 | \$ | 12,638,549 | \$ | 52,388,933 | -15.59\% |
| 2011 | \$ | 12,343,515 | \$ | 12,143,873 | \$ | 12,184,742 | \$ | 12,761,792 | \$ | 49,433,921 | -5.64\% |
| 2012 | \$ | 12,472,719 | \$ | 12,625,582 | \$ | 14,337,379 | \$ | 14,297,112 | \$ | 53,732,792 | 8.70\% |
| 2013 | \$ | 14,041,750 | \$ | 14,044,882 | \$ | 14,525,457 | \$ | 14,437,390 | \$ | 57,049,479 | 6.17\% |
| 2014 | \$ | 14,027,623 | \$ | 13,888,256 | \$ | 14,296,706 | \$ | 14,727,465 | \$ | 56,940,050 | -0.19\% |
| 2015 | \$ | 14,766,913 | \$ | 14,803,392 | \$ | 15,129,328 | \$ | 15,034,432 | \$ | 59,734,065 | 4.91\% |
| 2016 | \$ | 15,244,859 | \$ | 14,743,220 | \$ | 15,205,462 | \$ | 15,198,563 | \$ | 60,392,104 | 1.10\% |
| 2017 | \$ | 14,879,310 | \$ | 14,527,299 | \$ | 15,165,588 | \$ | 15,246,843 | \$ | 59,819,040 | -0.95\% |
| 2018 | \$ | 14,915,309 | \$ | 14,696,447 | \$ | 14,977,218 | \$ | 15,564,899 | \$ | 60,153,873 | 0.56\% |
| 2019 | \$ | 15,762,583 | \$ | 15,584,975 | \$ | 15,491,611 | \$ | 16,154,506 | \$ | 62,993,675 | 4.72\% |
| 2020 | \$ | 16,233,398 | \$ | 15,916,703 | \$ | 14,538,598 | \$ | 10,643,000 | \$ | 57,331,699 | -4.69\% |
| 2021 | \$ | 17,964,848 | \$ | 16,186,695 | \$ | 19,654,350 | \$ | 21,106,385 | \$ | 74,912,278 | 30.66\% |
| 2022 | \$ | 19,780,055 | \$ | 19,145,826 | \$ | 19,148,791 |  |  |  |  |  |
| FY 21/22 Variance | \$ | 1,815,207 | \$ | 2,959,131 | \$ | $(505,559)$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| FY 21/22 Variance |  | 10.10\% |  | 18.28\% |  | -2.57\% |  |  |  |  |  |



| Department of Justice - Gambling Co VGM Tax Comparison |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| COUNTY |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Quarter } \\ & 2021 \end{aligned}$ |  | rd Quarter $2022$ | \% <br> Change |  | 2nd Quarter $2022$ |  | rd Quarter 2022 | \% Change |
| BEAVERHEAD | \$ | 133,283 | \$ | 119,355 | -10\% |  | 143,739 | \$ | 119,355 | -17\% |
| BIG HORN | \$ | 170,191 | \$ | 155,859 | -8\% | \$ | 171,764 | \$ | 155,859 | -9\% |
| BLAINE | \$ | 74,812 | \$ | 52,704 | -30\% | \$ | 61,052 | \$ | 52,704 | -14\% |
| BROADWATER | \$ | 91,174 | \$ | 143,811 | 58\% | \$ | 156,790 | \$ | 143,811 | -8\% |
| CARBON | \$ | 179,361 | \$ | 163,011 | -9\% | \$ | 164,890 | \$ | 163,011 | -1\% |
| CARTER | \$ | 4,006 | \$ | 5,270 | 32\% | \$ | 6,557 | \$ | 5,270 | -20\% |
| CASCADE | \$ | 2,072,754 | \$ | 1,912,913 | -8\% | \$ | 1,881,623 | \$ | 1,912,913 | 2\% |
| CHOUTEAU | \$ | 33,829 | \$ | 39,251 | 16\% | \$ | 39,853 | \$ | 39,251 | -2\% |
| CUSTER | \$ | 299,673 | \$ | 282,314 | -6\% | \$ | 286,862 | \$ | 282,314 | -2\% |
| DANIELS | \$ | 20,997 | \$ | 18,443 | -12\% | \$ | 23,365 | \$ | 18,443 | -21\% |
| DAWSON | \$ | 237,165 | \$ | 224,229 | -5\% | \$ | 249,165 | \$ | 224,229 | -10\% |
| DEER LODGE | \$ | 226,068 | \$ | 214,999 | -5\% | \$ | 208,655 | \$ | 214,999 | 3\% |
| FALLON | \$ | 47,131 | \$ | 46,167 | -2\% | \$ | 48,005 | \$ | 46,167 | -4\% |
| FERGUS | \$ | 172,502 | \$ | 175,943 | 2\% | \$ | 181,452 | \$ | 175,943 | -3\% |
| FLATHEAD | \$ | 1,965,865 | \$ | 1,918,354 | -2\% | \$ | 1,910,546 | \$ | 1,918,354 | 0\% |
| GALLATIN | \$ | 1,293,082 | \$ | 1,304,797 | 1\% | \$ | 1,247,890 | \$ | 1,304,797 | 5\% |
| GLACIER | \$ | 210,363 | \$ | 145,839 | -31\% | \$ | 129,560 | \$ | 145,839 | 13\% |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | \$ | 13,961 | \$ | 8,940 | -36\% | \$ | 10,523 | \$ | 8,940 | -15\% |
| GRANITE | \$ | 14,921 | \$ | 16,595 | 11\% | \$ | 20,897 | \$ | 16,595 | -21\% |
| HILL | \$ | 360,371 | \$ | 318,034 | -12\% | \$ | 335,037 | \$ | 318,034 | -5\% |
| JEFFERSON | \$ | 137,238 | \$ | 131,300 | -4\% | \$ | 131,330 | \$ | 131,300 | 0\% |
| JUDITH BASIN | \$ | 25,770 | \$ | 26,164 | 2\% | \$ | 23,273 | \$ | 26,164 | 12\% |
| LAKE | \$ | 16,083 | \$ | 17,358 | 8\% | \$ | 20,086 | \$ | 17,358 | -14\% |
| LEWIS AND CLARK | \$ | 1,435,729 | \$ | 1,458,116 | 2\% | \$ | 1,388,414 | \$ | 1,458,116 | 5\% |
| LIBERTY | \$ | 4,894 | \$ | 6,683 | 37\% | \$ | 6,490 | \$ | 6,683 | 3\% |
| LINCOLN | \$ | 324,576 | \$ | 335,557 | 3\% | \$ | 324,189 | \$ | 335,557 | 4\% |
| MADISON | \$ | 58,701 | \$ | 73,939 | 26\% | \$ | 86,323 | \$ | 73,939 | -14\% |
| MCCONE | \$ | 19,562 | \$ | 15,957 | -18\% | \$ | 17,580 | \$ | 15,957 | -9\% |
| MEAGHER | \$ | 30,217 | \$ | 26,145 | -13\% | \$ | 30,043 | \$ | 26,145 | -13\% |
| MINERAL | \$ | 124,045 | \$ | 119,647 | -4\% | \$ | 123,115 | \$ | 119,647 | -3\% |
| MISSOULA | \$ | 1,798,602 | \$ | 1,921,248 | 7\% | \$ | 1,891,791 | \$ | 1,921,248 | 2\% |
| MUSSELSHELL | \$ | 61,781 | \$ | 56,409 | -9\% | \$ | 68,484 | \$ | 56,409 | -18\% |
| PARK | \$ | 302,729 | \$ | 307,697 | 2\% | \$ | 350,372 | \$ | 307,697 | -12\% |
| PHILLIPS | \$ | 74,123 | \$ | 76,280 | 3\% | \$ | 79,429 | \$ | 76,280 | -4\% |
| PONDERA | \$ | 76,829 | \$ | 66,726 | -13\% | \$ | 62,818 | \$ | 66,726 | 6\% |
| POWDER RIVER | \$ | 22,120 | \$ | 25,061 | 13\% | \$ | 28,370 | \$ | 25,061 | -12\% |
| POWELL | \$ | 112,368 | \$ | 121,916 | 8\% | \$ | 124,411 | \$ | 121,916 | -2\% |
| PRAIRIE | \$ | 7,316 | \$ | 6,194 | -15\% | \$ | 7,712 | \$ | 6,194 | -20\% |
| RAVALLI | \$ | 487,619 | \$ | 466,613 | -4\% | \$ | 476,037 | \$ | 466,613 | -2\% |
| RICHLAND | \$ | 358,103 | \$ | 358,245 | 0\% | \$ | 333,157 | \$ | 358,245 | 8\% |
| ROOSEVELT | \$ | 355,676 | \$ | 284,197 | -20\% | \$ | 272,230 | \$ | 284,197 | 4\% |
| ROSEBUD | \$ | 135,404 | \$ | 134,554 | -1\% | \$ | 147,641 | \$ | 134,554 | -9\% |
| SANDERS | \$ | 169,271 | \$ | 175,965 | 4\% | \$ | 172,817 | \$ | 175,965 | 2\% |
| SHERIDAN | \$ | 117,285 | \$ | 99,944 | -15\% | \$ | 98,049 | \$ | 99,944 | 2\% |
| SILVER BOW | \$ | 1,118,428 | \$ | 1,083,996 | -3\% | \$ | 1,084,691 | \$ | 1,083,996 | 0\% |
| STILLWATER | \$ | 141,046 | \$ | 136,289 | -3\% | \$ | 137,208 | \$ | 136,289 | -1\% |
| SWEET GRASS | \$ | 37,314 | \$ | 42,917 | 15\% | \$ | 44,902 | \$ | 42,917 | -4\% |
| TETON | \$ | 47,367 | \$ | 43,534 | -8\% | \$ | 40,537 | \$ | 43,534 | 7\% |
| TOOLE | \$ | 94,973 | \$ | 83,997 | -12\% | \$ | 89,720 | \$ | 83,997 | -6\% |
| VALLEY | \$ | 122,020 | \$ | 135,121 | 11\% | \$ | 135,956 | \$ | 135,121 | -1\% |
| WHEATLAND | \$ | 30,106 | \$ | 24,447 | -19\% | \$ | 29,681 | \$ | 24,447 | -18\% |
| WIBAUX | \$ | 48,031 | \$ | 55,602 | 16\% | \$ | 39,966 | \$ | 55,602 | 39\% |
| YELLOWSTONE | \$ | 4,137,515 | \$ | 3,938,584 | -5\% | \$ | 3,962,873 | \$ | 3,938,584 | -1\% |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$ | 19,654,350 | \$ | 19,123,230 | -3\% | \$ | 19,107,920 | \$ | 19,123,230 | 0\% |

Garfield, Petroleum, and Treasure County removed when there were two or less licensed establishments

## Department of Justice - Gambling Control Division VGM Tax Comparison

| CITY | 3rd Quarter 2021 |  | 3rd Quarter 2022 |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { \% } \\ \text { Change } \end{gathered}$ | 2nd Quarter 2022 |  | 3rd Quarter 2022 |  | \% Change |
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| Belgrade <br> Billings <br> Bozeman <br> Columbia Falls <br> Deer Lodge <br> Dillon <br> Glendive <br> Great Falls <br> Hamilton <br> Havre <br> Helena <br> Kalispell <br> Laurel <br> Lewistown <br> Livingston <br> Miles City <br> Missoula <br> Sidney <br> Whitefish | \$ | 302,347 | \$ | 283,996 | -6\% | \$ | 155,102 | \$ | 283,996 | 83\% |
|  | \$ | 3,751,325 | \$ | 3,539,729 | -6\% | \$ | 2,743,712 | \$ | 3,539,729 | 29\% |
|  | \$ | 781,985 | \$ | 785,541 | 0\% | \$ | 531,376 | \$ | 785,541 | 48\% |
|  | \$ | 248,835 | \$ | 242,641 | -2\% | \$ | 120,011 | \$ | 242,641 | 102\% |
|  | \$ | 107,392 | \$ | 116,082 | 8\% | \$ | 64,681 | \$ | 116,082 | 79\% |
|  | \$ | 121,790 | \$ | 109,133 | -10\% | \$ | 40,108 | \$ | 109,133 | 172\% |
|  | \$ | 233,911 | \$ | 221,207 | -5\% | \$ | 166,555 | \$ | 221,207 | 33\% |
|  | \$ | 1,804,973 | \$ | 1,555,043 | -14\% | \$ | 1,148,015 | \$ | 1,555,043 | 35\% |
|  | \$ | 251,946 | \$ | 255,612 | 1\% | \$ | 149,235 | \$ | 255,612 | 71\% |
|  | \$ | 299,565 | \$ | 276,315 | -8\% | \$ | 159,848 | \$ | 276,315 | 73\% |
|  | \$ | 1,103,033 | \$ | 1,075,744 | -2\% | \$ | 622,039 | \$ | 1,075,744 | 73\% |
|  | \$ | 1,072,484 | \$ | 1,019,990 | -5\% | \$ | 605,632 | \$ | 1,019,990 | 68\% |
|  | \$ | 286,997 | \$ | 285,673 | 0\% | \$ | 214,482 | \$ | 285,673 | 33\% |
|  | \$ | 156,074 | \$ | 157,055 | 1\% | \$ | 100,024 | \$ | 157,055 | 57\% |
|  | \$ | 269,138 | \$ | 268,806 | 0\% | \$ | 203,556 | \$ | 268,806 | 32\% |
|  | \$ | 252,618 | \$ | 245,963 | -3\% | \$ | 207,722 | \$ | 245,963 | 18\% |
|  | \$ | 1,544,110 | \$ | 1,561,040 | 1\% | \$ | 1,024,073 | \$ | 1,561,040 | 52\% |
|  | \$ | 231,707 | \$ | 235,325 | 2\% | \$ | 156,769 | \$ | 235,325 | 50\% |
|  | \$ | 205,505 | \$ | 209,634 | 2\% | \$ | 156,151 | \$ | 209,634 | 34\% |

