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## Springfield Casino -October 28, 2022



### **PLEASE JOIN WITH US TO OPPOSE A CASINO IN SPRINGFIELD!**

#### **Springfield casino license resolution shelved. Is a casino without video gaming possible?**

The Springfield Committee of the Whole Tuesday tabled a resolution that the city be included for consideration of receiving a casino license, but it may at least have the ear of a local membership group of bars and restaurants.

The unique look of a proposed downtown casino — with table games like blackjack and craps and roulette and sports betting, but minus video gaming — could be an appeasement to Springfield businesses where video gaming is prolific.

According to the **Commission on Government Forecasting and Accountability**, Springfield operates 757 terminals that brought in nearly \$50 million this past fiscal year.

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Rockford has the second most terminals at 537.

The **Central Illinois Licensed Beverage Association (CILBA)** voted unanimously to oppose the casino ordinance and also oppose any future resolutions requesting consideration for

casino licenses in Springfield. It also opposes any casino in coming to Springfield and or the surrounding area. [READ](#)

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