

Don't be Misled – Know the Facts

Oppose SB 756 - Fairfax Casino Bill

Fairfax County Local Government Opposes the Bill Does Not Plan to Act on the Authority

- County has not asked for and has not been involved in the formulation of this bill.
- Fairfax County Board of Supervisors clearly stated opposition - 2026 General Assembly Legislative Program and in a letter dated December 9, 2025, to General Assembly leadership (included in this packet).
- County's representative reiterated opposition - January 23, 2026, Senate Gaming Subcommittee.

Referendum, if Called Would Fail Supermajority of County Voters Oppose a Casino (Global Strategy Group Poll Results – September 2025)

- 75% of Fairfax County Voters oppose the casino.
- 70% of voters remain in opposition to the casino after they are presented with an argument that a casino in Tysons would stop their taxes from being raised.
- 66% of union voters reject the casino.
- Voters in every Senate District in the county oppose the casino by wide margins.
- People with income <\$150K reject the casino at about the same level as those >\$150K.
- People aged 18-44 reject the casino at the same level as folks 45+.
- Non-white voters reject the casino at about the same level as White voters.

Setting the Record Straight Fairfax County - Important Revenue and Job Generator for Virginia

- Although a substitute bill had been reported out of committee, Tysons remains in the crosshairs of casino promoters despite its reputation as a high-value economic hub that generates 7% of county revenue, employs 92,000 people, hosts Fortune 500 companies and contains two major shopping malls.
- In FY 2024, Fairfax contributed about 20% of state General Fund revenues—more than any other locality. Sustaining this level of contribution relies on the County's ongoing efforts to cultivate a diverse and global business sector that embraces emerging technologies.
- The Patron of the bill has made some statements that were inaccurate and/or misleading. Please see the Fact-Checking Senator Surovell on SB756 document in this packet.
- The Patron's claim at a recent Town Hall that a Tysons casino could lower county residents' real estate taxes by 10% is preposterous; it would need to generate \$4.5 billion each year—over four times the annual revenue of MGM Grand National Harbor.
- Fairfax County and the Commonwealth of Virginia need accurate data to judge the merits of this bill.

About No Fairfax Casino Coalition: [No Fairfax Casino Coalition](#) is a grassroots group of Fairfax citizens. Visit the [No Fairfax Casino website](#) to see a list of NFCC Partners in Opposition representing well over 200,000 Fairfax residents.

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