
**THE VILLAGE OF ROBBINS
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE
No. 4-19-22_A

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE I, SECTION 3-21 OF THE CODE
OF THE VILLAGE OF ROBBINS
RELATING TO LICENSING ESTABLISHMENTS WITH VIDEO GAMING DEVICES**

DARREN E. BRYANT, MAYOR
SHARON S. DYSON, VILLAGE CLERK

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MICHAEL S. COLLIER

Board of Trustees

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE
MAYOR AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
THIS 19th DAY OF April 2022

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AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 1 SECTION 3-21 OF THE CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF ROBBINS RELATING TO FEES FOR VIDEO GAMING DEVICES

WHEREAS, the Village of Robbins is a home rule unit of government pursuant to Article VII, Section 6 of the Constitution of the State of Illinois, and as such may exercise any power and perform any function pertaining to its government and affairs; and

WHEREAS, the General Assembly of the State of Illinois passed the Video Gaming Act ("Gaming Act"), 230 ILCS 40/1, et seq., to allow certain establishments licensed by the Illinois Gaming Board to operate and allow the use of authorized video gaming terminals; and

WHEREAS, only those municipalities that allow video gaming in accordance with the Gaming Act are eligible to receive a portion of the tax imposed on video gaming terminals; and

WHEREAS, the Gaming Act provides for significantly enhanced law enforcement oversight and control of and all participants in the regulated video gaming industry will be licensed and undergo extensive background checks and investigations;

WHEREAS, the Gaming Board has begun issuing license under the Gaming Act; and

WHEREAS, Corporate Authorities have determined that it is in the best interest of the Village and its businesses to pursue all opportunities for revenue for the Village by allowing video gaming terminals in those establishments licensed by the Illinois Gaming Board.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Robbins, Cook County, Illinois. By and through its Home Rule Powers, as follows:

Section 1: That the above recitals are incorporated herein and made a part hereof, as it fully set forth in their entirety.

Section 2: Chapter 12, Article IX of the Code of the Village of Robbins is hereby added by the following:

Chapter 12, ARTICLE IX. OPERATION OF VIDEO GAMING TERMINALS

Sec.12.400. License Required.

No person, either as owner, lessee, manager, officer or agent, or in any other capacity shall operate or permit to be operated any Video Gaming Terminal as defined in the Video Gaming Act, 230 ILCS 40/1 et. Seq., at any premises within the Village of Robbins without first having obtained a license valid in that fiscal year. The license provided for in this Article shall permit a licensee to operate Video Gaming Terminals. A separate license shall be required each Video Gaming Terminal. Any person, corporation, association, or entity convicted of violating this section shall be fined not less than \$500.00 nor more than \$ 1,000.00 for each offense. Each day a violation occurs shall constitute a separate offense.

Sec. 12-401. License Fees.

The applicant for a license under this Chapter shall pay the Village of Robbins prior to filling the application, a fee of \$500.00 for the first Video Gaming Terminal and \$250.00 for each additional Video Gaming Terminal per license year, if the license is denied, the license fee shall be refunded to the applicant.

Sec.12-402. Application.

An application for a license required by this Chapter shall be made in writing to the Village of Robbins and shall set forth the following:

- (1) The name of the individual, partnership, corporation, association, or other entity applying for the license.
- (2) The residence, phone number and driver's license number of the applicant or partners; or, if a corporation, association or other entity, the residence, phone number(s) and driver's license number of the principal officers.
- (3) The location for which the license is requested.
- (4) A true and accurate photocopy of the State of Illinois license granted to the applicant under the Video Gaming Act for the applicable premises.
- (5) Whether the applicant, his or her partners, or the principal officers of the corporation, association or other entity have been convicted of a criminal offense or ordinance violation (other than traffic or parking offenses) in any jurisdiction and, if so, a list of such convictions with date and prosecuting jurisdiction.

Section 12-403. Issuance.

The Village of Robbins shall issue the license requested under this Chapter unless he or she shall find:

- (1) That the applicant is under the age of 21.
- (2) That the applicant or any principal officer therein has held a license under this Chapter or had an interest therein that was revoked for cause.
- (3) That the applicant or any principal officer therein has furnished false or misleading information on the application.

Section 12- 404. Posting.

Every license issued under this Article shall, at all times during the period for which it is effective, be posted in a conspicuous place at or near the principal entrance to the premises for which the license is issued.

Section 12-405. Revocation, suspension, and fines.

- A. Any license issued pursuant to this division may be revoked, suspended for a period not to exceed 30 days and/or imposed a fine not more than \$1,000.00 by the _____ or his/her designee if the _____ or his/her designee shall find after a hearing:
 - (1) That the license has violated any of the provisions of this chapter, the laws of the state, or ordinances of the Village at the licensed location.
 - (2) That the licensee has knowingly furnished false or misleading information or withheld relevant information on any application for a license required by this division or any investigation into any such application.
- B. The licensee shall be responsible for the acts of his agents, servants, and employees in the operation of any licensed establishment. Prior to holding a hearing concerning the question of whether a license issued pursuant to this Chapter shall be revoked or suspended, the _____ or his or her designee shall give at least ten days' written notice to the licensee setting forth the alleged violations specifically. The licensee shall be given a reasonable change to present evidence of such hearing and cross-examine witness.

Section 12-406. Transfer prohibited.

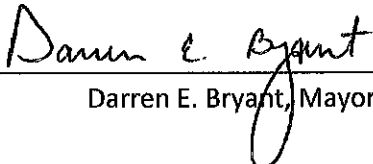
A license issued pursuant to this Chapter may not be transferred, sold or assigned to any other person, corporation, association or other entity; nor shall such license be transferred to any location other than that listed on the application.

Section 3. The ordinance shall be in full force and effect on __April 19th__, 2022 after its publication in pamphlet form.

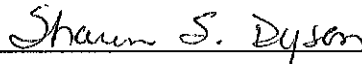
ADOPTED this _19th_ day of _April_, 2022 pursuant to a roll call vote as follows:

	AYES	NAYS	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
DYSON			X	
MAXEY	X			
BREWTON	X			
ROBINSON	X			
JACKSON	X			
COLLIER			X	
MAYOR				
TOTAL	4		2	

PASSED AND APPROVED on this _19th_ day of _April_, 2022.


Darren E. Bryant, Mayor

ATTEST:


Sharon S. Dyson, Village Clerk

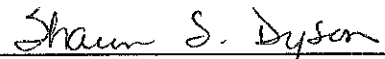
STATE OF ILLINOIS)

COUNTY OF COOK) SS
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CERTIFICATION

I, Sharon S. Dyson, hereby certify that I am the duly qualified and elected Clerk of the Village of Robbins, Cook County, Illinois, and that as such Clerk, I do have charge of and custody of the books and record of the Village of Robbins, Cook County, Illinois.

I do hereby further certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Ordinance No. 4-19-22 A. "AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE I, SECTION 3-21 OF THE CODE OF THE VILLAGE OF ROBBINS RELATING TO LICENSING ESTABLISHMENTS WITH VIDEO GAMING DEVICES" adopted and approved by the Mayor and Board of Trustees of the Village of Robbins, Illinois on the 19th day of April, 2022. IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto affixed my hand and the Corporate Seal of the Village of Robbins, Cook County, Illinois this 19th day of April, 2022.



Sharon S. Dyson, Village Clerk
Village of Robbins
Cook County, Illinois