



ORLAND PARK

Town Hall Meeting
Video Gaming

January 8, 2018



Village Ordinance Highlights

Allowed (Required)

- No more than five (5) video gaming terminals for any one establishment
- Only 'Class A' establishments with full service restaurants
- In business for eighteen(18) consecutive months
- Have to be licensed by State
- Probationary periods for transfer/sale businesses(not transfer of Liquor or Gaming license)
- Physical barriers for gaming areas inside establishments
- Requires constant video surveillance
- Decal must be posted
- Capped at 25 establishments
- Criminal background check
- Must comply with Village Sign ordinance

Not Allowed

- Gaming Cafes
- Drug stores
- Convenience stores
- Liquor stores
- No digital signage
- Off-premises signs
- Noise and lights from gaming machines
- Not Transferable Gaming License



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- Permission
 - Video gaming terminals, may be located, possessed, maintained, and otherwise operated on premises within the Village by establishments licensed by the Illinois Gaming Board and by the Village [7-18-1: AUTHORIZATION]

- Corrective Action
 - The owner and/or operator of the licensed video gaming establishment shall be subject to imposition of fines, suspension, revocation or restriction of license, or other disciplinary action for any act or failure to act by him/her or by his/her agents or employees that violates any provision [7-18-9: GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS.]



Potential Village Restrictions Include:

- Limited to established Class A liquor license holders (full service restaurants that have kitchens and full food menus).
 - Provided such licensed retail establishments have been lawfully conducting business on the premises for at least eighteen (18) consecutive months immediately prior to applying for a Village video gaming terminal license. [7-18-4: ESTABLISHMENTS ELIGIBLE FOR LICENSE]
- Waiting periods for new businesses
 - For the first ninety (90) days following enactment, the number of available video gaming terminal licenses to be issued shall be capped at twenty-five (25) licenses. Issuance of video gaming terminal licenses beyond that number shall be considered on a case-by-case basis, following the expiration of ninety (90) days after the enactment of this Chapter. [7-18-5: MAXIMUM VIDEO GAMING TERMINAL LICENSES AND TERMINALS]
- Waiting periods for a business sale and/or transfer
 - If a video gaming establishment is sold or transferred and the new owner is issued a Class A Village liquor license for such establishment, the said new owner will be eligible to apply for an available six (6) month probationary video gaming terminal license while their application for a regular video gaming terminal license is processed. [7-18-4: ESTABLISHMENTS ELIGIBLE FOR LICENSE]
- Limiting signage
 - It shall be unlawful and a violation to advertise any licensed video gaming establishment in any street, alley, right-of-way or public place within the Village. [7-18-12: ADVERTISING.]
 - The owner and/or operator of a licensed video gaming establishment shall post a conspicuous official decal or sign, provided by the Village, at each public entrance to the establishment advising patrons that the establishment is a licensed video gaming establishment. [7-18-11: SIGNAGE.]



Potential Village Restrictions Include:

- Establishing physical barriers for gaming areas inside establishments
 - All video gaming terminals shall be located in a segregated area of the licensed video gaming establishment which shall not be accessible to minors. [7-18-6: OPERATION OF TERMINALS.]
- Limiting noise and lights from gaming machines
 - Lighting and sounds produced by the video gaming terminals must be limited so as not to be seen or heard outside of the video gaming area. [7-18-6: OPERATION OF TERMINALS.]
- Requiring alarms and video surveillance of areas
 - All licensed video gaming establishments shall be equipped with a burglar alarm system, which will notify the Village Police Department in instances of unpermitted entry into the licensed video gaming establishment. [7-18-7: ALARMS]
 - The licensee shall install and maintain in good working order video recording and monitoring equipment pursuant to specifications as determined from time to time by the Chief of Police and shall maintain video recordings for a period of at least thirty (30) days. [7-18-8: VIDEO CAMERA SURVEILLANCE.]



Questions

