

HOUSE BILL No. 4883

June 5, 1997, Introduced by Reps. Parks, Wallace, Scott, Leland, Murphy, Quarles, Rison, Hanley and Schermesser and referred to the Committee on House Oversight and Ethics.

A bill to amend the Initiated Law of 1996, entitled "Michigan gaming control and revenue act," by amending section 13 (MCL 432.213).

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:

1 SEC. 13. ~~Section 13. Municipal Services Fee.~~ In addition
2 to payment of the wagering tax as set forth in this act, each
3 licensee shall pay to the city a municipal services fee of the
4 greater of ~~one and one-quarter (1.25%) percent~~ of gross
5 revenue or ~~Four Million and 00/100 (\$4,000,000.00) Dollars~~
6 in order to assist the city in defraying the cost of hosting
7 casinos. No other cost for police, fire, or EMS protection may
8 be imposed in a ~~Development Agreement~~ DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT.
9 ~~Such~~ A MUNICIPAL SERVICES fee OF \$4,000,000.00 shall be paid
10 ~~annually commencing on the first anniversary of the casino~~
11 ~~opening~~ ON THE FIRST DAY THAT THE CASINO IS OPEN for

1 operations. AFTER THE FIRST YEAR OF OPERATION, THE MUNICIPAL
2 SERVICES FEE SHALL BE PAID QUARTERLY. IF, AT THE END OF ANY
3 YEAR, THE CITY DETERMINES THAT THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES FEE COL-
4 LECTED FOR THAT YEAR WAS INSUFFICIENT TO DEFRAY THE COST OF HOST-
5 ING THE CASINO, THE CITY MAY ASSESS A LICENSEE AN ADDITIONAL
6 AMOUNT WHICH THE LICENSEE SHALL PAY WITHIN 20 DAYS AFTER THE
7 ANNIVERSARY OF THE DATE ON WHICH THE CASINO OPENED FOR
8 OPERATIONS. The municipal services fee shall be deposited by the
9 city in its general fund for disbursement as it ~~sees fit~~
10 CONSIDERS APPROPRIATE in accordance with applicable municipal
11 ordinances.