

ORDINANCE NO. 98

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BINGO LICENSES TO QUALIFIED ORGANIZATIONS, PRESCRIBING CONDITIONS THEREFORE, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS THEREOF.

The City of Moose Lake does ordain:

Section 1. Statute Incorporated by Reference. The provisions of Minnesota Statutes, 1976, Sections 349.11 through 349.23 are incorporated by reference and made a part hereof as if fully set out herein.

Section 2. Additional Regulations. The following regulations shall apply to the conduct of bingo within the City in addition to the provisions of Minnesota Statutes, 1976, Sections 349.11 through 349.23:

Subd. 1. License Required. The unlicensed conduct of bingo within the City is prohibited. Any organization authorized by law to conduct bingo occasions may do so only after applying for and receiving a license from the City Council as hereafter provided.

Subd. 2. Application. Application for a bingo license shall be made to the City Council upon forms prepared by the City Clerk for that purpose. The application shall state where the games will be played and the dates and the hours for which permission to play the game is requested. The organization shall not conduct bingo at any place, date or time other than those specified in the application. The application shall be verified by a duly authorized officer at the organization and by the designated bingo manager. No application shall be accepted by the City unless accompanied by the full annual license fee.

Subd. 3. License Fees and License Year. The annual license fee shall be in the amount set by the City Council. Licenses shall expire on September 30 next after the date of issue. \$5.00

Subd. 4. Fidelity Bond. No bingo license shall be issued until the bingo manager gives a fidelity bond in the sum of \$10,000.00 in favor of the organization. Such bond shall be conditioned on the

not be cancellable except upon 30 days written notice to the City. The City Council may, by unanimous vote, agree to waive the fidelity bond requirement, if such waiver is granted, the license must be endorsed to indicate such action.

Subd. 5. Revocation. No licensee shall have a vested right in any license issued hereunder, and licenses issued hereunder may be revoked by the Council at any time. The license shall be revoked upon a showing that the licensee violated or caused to be violated any provisions of this section, or of state law regulating the licensing or conduct of bingo. The license shall also be revoked in the event of any misrepresentation in the license application or any reports required of the licensee to be made.

Adopted by the City of Moose Lake, Minnesota, May 8, 1979.

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk