



BINGO

Definition

A game of chance in which prizes are awarded on the basis of designated numbers or symbols on a card which conform to numbers or symbols selected at random.

Qualification

- An organization exempt from the payment of the bank and corporation tax by Sections 23701a, 23701b, 23701d, 23701e, 23701f, 23701g, or 230711 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, which has and for more than 5 (five) years has had a local lodge, club, post, church, or unit situated entirely within the City of El Monte, and which agrees to expend the profits from bingo games conducted by it solely for charitable and educational purposes and principally within the City of El Monte.
- A mobile home park association or senior citizen organization and operating exclusively within the City of El Monte and which agrees to expend the profits derived from bingo games conducted by it solely for charitable and educational purposes and principally within the City of El Monte.
- No minors shall be allowed to participate.
- All bingo games shall be open to the public.
- Prizes are not to exceed \$250.00 per game.

Requirements

- Required to show that the applicant meets all the requirements of Section 326.5 of the California Penal Code.
- No application shall be granted unless there is on file with the City of accompanied by a report of all funds received by applicant during the preceding permit period from the conduct of any bingo game in the City. The disposition of such funds shall include the amount used for prizes and the amount, if any, used for rental, overhead and administrative expenses.

Procedure

Require supplemental Financial Statement to be filed every year with renewal.

PERMIT & LICENSE FEES

Permit Fees

New \$135.00

License Fees

Business License Tax Schedule (32)

Processing Fee \$40.00
SB-1186 \$4.00



City of El Monte
Permit Committee
BINGO
Standard Conditions

POLICE DEPARTMENT

33. Hours of operation are from 9:00a.m. to 12 midnight.
34. No alcoholic beverages shall be sold or consumed in or on any portion of the premises where bingo games are played or conducted.
37. Receipts from the sale of "Pull Tab" games must be included as part of "Gross Bingo Receipts" and reported as is required by City Ordinance.
38. Gross Receipts from bingo and pull-tab games must be reported to the Treasurers office on a monthly basis as may be required.
39. Vendors used to purchase bingo equipment including cards, hardware and pull-tab games must be reported to the Police Department only to include the name, address and telephone number of the vendor.
40. Sale of and playing pull-tab games must be done only in conjunction with bingo and can be played by bingo participants/customers only.

LICENSE DEPARTMENT

35. Must comply with all State of California and City of El Monte rules and regulations regarding the playing of bingo. The bingo permit and a copy of the rules and conditions must be posted in the area where bingo is played.
563. No application for renewal of any bingo permit shall be granted unless there on file with the City or such application is accompanied by a report reflecting the receipts and expenditures from the conduct of any bingo game in the City during the preceding permit period of the organization applying for such permit.
51. Pursuant to **EMMC Section 5.12.260**, all other City fees and taxes must be paid in full as a prerequisite to the issuance of this permit. Should the permit holder default on the payment of any fee or tax due the City by any provision of law or of this Code, this permit shall become invalid.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

532. All exit doors to remain unlocked and unblocked during business hours.
89. Maintain all driveways and aisles clear of storage at all times.

CODE ENFORCEMENT

20. Smoking is not permitted inside the facility, pursuant to Labor Code Section 6404.5.

PLANNING DEPARTMENT

222. Graffiti must be removed from any exterior surfaces of the structures and improvements on the property within seventy-two (72) hours following the application of the graffiti.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT

560. All building electrical plumbing & mechanical elements must be maintained to an acceptable level of code compliance.
561. All exits and exit pathways must be maintained as required by the building codes.