

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS



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of the
Racing Division
of the
MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION

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Gayle Cameron, Commissioner
James McHugh, Commissioner
Bruce Stebbins, Commissioner
Enrique Zuniga, Commissioner

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Introduction / Mission Statement

The Mission Statement of the Massachusetts Gaming Commission is to create a fair, transparent and participatory process for implementing the expanded gaming law passed in November 2011. In creating that process, the Commission will strive to ensure that its decision-making and regulatory systems engender the confidence of the public and participants, and that they provide the greatest possible economic development benefits and revenues to the people of the Commonwealth, reduce to the maximum extent possible the potentially negative or unintended consequences of the new legislation, and allow an appropriate return on investment for gaming providers that assures the operation of casino-resorts of the highest quality.

The Massachusetts State Racing Commission (“SRC”) was a predecessor agency created by an act of the General Court in 1934. The State Racing Commission, pursuant to Chapter 4 of the Acts of 2009, was transferred to the Division of Professional Licensure (“DPL”), on January 1, 2010. Effective May 20, 2012, all State Racing Commission functions were further transferred to the Massachusetts Gaming Commission, pursuant to Section 89 of Chapter 194 of the Acts of 2011. DPL continued to manage all racing operations through an inter-agency service agreement through the end of calendar year 2012. The Racing Division of the Massachusetts Gaming Commission assumed control of the fiscal and operational activities of the old State Racing Commission on January 1, 2013.

The Commissioners

Stephen Crosby

Massachusetts Gaming Commission Chair



Prior to serving as Chair of the Massachusetts Gaming Commission, Mr. Crosby served as Founding Dean of the John W. McCormack Graduate School of Policy and Global Studies at UMass Boston. He has 45 years of experience in policy making, entrepreneurship, non-profits and academics.

In his position as Dean, Mr. Crosby oversaw three academic departments (Public Policy and Public Affairs; Gerontology; and Conflict Resolution, Human Security and Global Governance), along with thirteen research centers and institutes. During his nearly 6 year tenure, he founded the Commonwealth Compact; the Edward J. Collins Center for Public

Management; the Collaborative Institute on Oceans, Climate & Security; the Center for Civil Discourse; and has overseen the development of new Centers on Governance and Sustainability; Community Democracy and Democratic Literacy; and Peace, Democracy and Development.

As Secretary of Administration and Finance to Governors Paul Cellucci and Jane M. Swift from 2000-2002, Mr. Crosby was responsible for development, legislative approval and implementation of the governor's \$23 billion annual operating budget and a \$2 to \$3 billion capital budget. He supervised 22 agencies with 3,000 employees. In 2002, he served as chief of staff to Governor Swift. Working with the community on non-profit boards, Mr. Crosby presently serves as chair of the Center for Applied Special Technologies (CAST), and as a board member of the Economic Progress Institute, in Providence, R.I.

In other public service, he co-chaired Governor Patrick's Transition Task Force on Budget and Finance; served as Chair of the Commission to Review Compensation Packages of Senior "Quasi Public" Employees; and served as a member of the Supreme Judicial Court Task Force on Hiring and Promotion in the Judiciary.

In 25 years of work in the private sector, Mr. Crosby was founder and publisher of CCI/Crosby Publishing in Boston. In other business endeavors, he has served as chairman and CEO of technology and publishing companies, including Interactive Radio Corp., Inc., SmartRoute Systems, Inc., Crosby Vandenburg Group, and MetroGuide, Inc. His career also includes work as a campaign manager and senior advisor for local and national candidates and elected representatives, and as a frequent commentator in local and national media.

Mr. Crosby received his B.A. from Harvard College and his J.D. from Boston University.

Gayle Cameron

Massachusetts Gaming Commissioner



Prior to her appointment to the Massachusetts Gaming Commission, Gayle Cameron worked as a public safety consultant after a distinguished career with the New Jersey State Police. She retired as a Deputy Superintendent, the second highest rank.

Prior to her retirement, Lieutenant Colonel Cameron commanded the Investigations Branch which had authority over the areas of: casino regulation, specialized investigations, intelligence gathering and analysis, and forensic sciences. In this position she held the agency's top security clearance and interacted on a regular basis with the US Attorney from the District of NJ, the State's Governor, the NJ Attorney General and was the

primary liaison with all federal law enforcement agencies.

The purview of this position included managing more than 900 detectives, analysts and scientists assigned to 57 different units with an annual budget of over seventy five million dollars. Incorporated within these entities were subordinate bureaus and offices responsible for casino gaming, counter terrorism, narcotics, organized crime, cyber technology, intelligence management, electronic surveillance, street gang investigations, homicide and violent crimes.

Cameron's gaming experience began as an undercover operative while conducting casino criminal and organized crime investigations. She also gained valuable expertise as a detective vetting individuals and companies during the application process for licensure to Atlantic City's casinos.

Prior to serving as the Deputy Superintendent, she held leadership positions as the Commanding Officer of the following sections: Administration, where she was responsible for the formulation and management of the Division's annual budget; Human Resources and Identification and Information Technology. Other positions held include: Bureau Chief of Command Operations, Station Commander, EEO/AA Investigations Unit leader, Executive Protection Squad Leader and road duty Trooper.

Lt. Colonel Cameron has been called upon to sit on numerous promotional boards both in the United States and abroad. Toward the end of her service she was appointed to serve as a Commissioner for the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) which evaluates police agencies' best practices both nationally and internationally. She is a founding member of New Jersey Women in Law Enforcement and frequently serves as a panelist for the international association of Chiefs of Police and the National Center for Women and Policing.

Lt. Colonel Cameron holds an M.A. from Seton Hall University, a B.S. from Bridgewater State College, and is a graduate of the FBI Leadership Development School, the Northwestern University School of Staff and Command, and the International Chiefs of Police Leadership in Police Organizations certification.

James F. McHugh

Massachusetts Gaming Commissioner



James F. McHugh comes to the Gaming Commission from the Massachusetts Appeals Court, where he served as the special advisor to the Trial Court Chief Justice for Administration and Management on the Trial Court's automated case management project from July 2004 through July 2008. The National Center for State Courts named Justice McHugh as the 2011 recipient of the William H. Rehnquist Award for Judicial Excellence in recognition of his many achievements over his 26-year judicial career, including his tireless efforts and success in achieving improvements in the Massachusetts court system – for the public and for those who work in the courts – on issues ranging from information technology and caseflow management to judicial ethics. He retired from the Appeals Court on February 29, 2012.

James F. McHugh was born in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, on February 11, 1944. He received a B.A. from Brown University in 1965. After serving on active duty in the United States Navy, he attended Boston University School of Law, where he was Editor-in-Chief of the Law review and from which he graduated, magna cum laude, in 1970. From 1970 to 1971 he was a law clerk to Judge George MacKinnon of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit. In 1971, he returned to Boston, joining the law firm of Bingham, Dana & Gould (now Bingham McCutchen) as an associate, and later became a partner. His practice emphasized admiralty and First Amendment law. In 1985, Governor Michael Dukakis appointed him to the Superior Court, where he served for a period as a Regional Administrative Justice and as Chair of the Rules Committee. He served on the Superior Court until March 5, 2001, when Governor Paul Cellucci appointed him to the Appeals Court. Justice McHugh taught a course on the law of the First Amendment at Boston College Law School for ten years and a course on advanced torts at Northeastern University School of Law for two years.

Bruce Stebbins

Massachusetts Gaming Commissioner



A native of Western Massachusetts, Bruce most recently served as Business Development Administrator for the city of Springfield. He also served two terms on the Springfield City Council from 2006 through the end of 2009. Prior to joining the city Economic Development office, Bruce served as Senior Regional Manager for the National Association of Manufacturers in the New England region from 1999 through 2010.

Earlier in his career, Bruce served in the administrations of Governors William Weld and Paul Cellucci eventually being promoted to head the Massachusetts Office of Business Development after serving as deputy director and regional director. His government experience included

working in the Office of Political Affairs at the White House for President George H.W. Bush.

His commitment to his community has also included serving on the elected school committee in East Longmeadow for seven years and chairmanship of the Board of Trustees of Springfield Technical Community College as well as other non-profit community organizations. He is a graduate of George Washington University in Washington, D.C. where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science.

Enrique Zuniga

Massachusetts Gaming Commissioner



Enrique recently served as the Executive Director of the Massachusetts Water Pollution Abatement Trust. The Trust is a \$5.2 billion state infrastructure bank that provides subsidized loans to Cities and Towns for clean water and drinking water projects. The Trust is a “State Revolving Fund” that accepts federal grants and issues municipal debt to fund the loans it provides to municipalities. Under his tenure the Trust re-procured all its advisors and service providers, issued a competitive short term financing of \$100 million, and prepared for the permanent financing of \$450 million of loans.

Prior to joining the Trust, Enrique was the director of Quality Assurance at the Massachusetts School Building Authority. Enrique’s duties cut across different areas of the Authority including the initial drafting of regulations, reimbursements to cities and towns during the design and construction project (progress payments), design and implementation of information systems, executive reporting, training and other special projects.

Prior to the MSBA, Enrique was a manager at Ernst & Young in the Real Estate and Construction Advisory Services Group, where he conducted a number of advisory, audits and risk assessments for corporate clients with large capital programs. Enrique came to New England 17 years ago to obtain an MBA from the Yale School of Management, and prior to that he was a co-owner and director of a residential development and construction company in Monterrey Mexico. Enrique obtained a Civil Engineering degree in Mexico.

In 1997 Enrique relocated to Massachusetts and since 2001 has resided in Jamaica Plain with his wife Ellen and two children.

Executive Staff

Rick Day

Executive Director

As MGC's Executive Director, Mr. Day is the executive and administrative head of the Commission responsible for administering and enforcing the provisions of the Expanded Gaming Act. Mr. Day is responsible for planning, directing and coordinating all administrative activities and assisting the Commission in developing the policy and procedures related to the regulation of gaming in Massachusetts.

Mr. Day has more than 30 years in the criminal justice system with more than two decades dedicated to state law enforcement and regulatory work involving gambling investigations and compliance. From 2001 to 2013, Mr. Day was the Executive Director of the Washington State Gambling Commission where he led over 150 gaming employees including special agents, auditors and licensing units. He also negotiated Tribal-State Gaming compacts on behalf of the state. In addition, Mr. Day was responsible for successfully executing and completing statewide criminal and regulatory gambling investigations including felony cheating, bookmaking and employee theft. During his tenure as executive director, Mr. Day created an international task force with federal, state, and Canadian law enforcement agencies to investigate illegal internet gambling by actively investigating high-profile cases.

Prior to his role as Washington's gaming control board executive director, Mr. Day was the first Director of Montana's then newly-created Department of Corrections from 1995-2000. As director, Day's responsibilities included organizing the first Department of Corrections in Montana's history, providing leadership and management for more than 1,000 positions, 25 field offices, eight secure facilities, probation and parole, and a 40,000 acre correctional ranch.

As Bureau Chief of the Gambling Control Division at the Department of Justice in Montana in 1989 from 1991, Mr. Day is also credited with establishing and managing Montana's first criminal and regulatory gambling investigations bureau for the Montana Attorney General's office.

Mr. Day began his career as a police officer in Montana. He graduated from Montana State University with a degree in Sociology/Criminal Justice. He also holds a Master's Degree from the University of Washington in Public Administration.

Catherine Blue

General Counsel

As MGC's General Counsel, Ms. Blue leads the Commission's legal team responsible for managing the legal issues arising out of the Commission's implementation and administration of the Expanded Gaming Act.

Ms. Blue has more than 30 years experience practicing law in the private and public sectors. From 2010 to 2013, Ms. Blue was the head of the MassDevelopment legal department, working with a team of attorneys to assist one of the Commonwealth's primary economic development agencies in restoring blighted properties and funding emerging businesses. From 2008 to 2010, Ms. Blue was an attorney with the Metropolitan Transportation Authority in New York City, working on corporate governance, funding and contract matters. Prior to that Ms. Blue spent ten years with AT&T Wireless Services managing a team of legal professionals responsible for supporting the construction of wireless technology networks across the United States.

Ms. Blue began her career as an attorney in the Alcoa legal department. She graduated from Stonehill College with a degree in political science. She holds a Juris Doctor degree from the College of William and Mary in Virginia.

Elaine Driscoll

Director of Communications

Elaine Driscoll is a media relations professional with more than a decade of experience in public relations, strategic communications and community outreach. Prior to joining the Massachusetts Gaming Commission, Driscoll served as the Director of Communication and Media Relations for the Boston Police Department (BPD). In this role, Driscoll developed and implemented policies and strategies related to all Boston Police internal and external communications, public relations, marketing, community relations and public information. During her tenure at BPD, Driscoll and the BPD Media Relations staff were recognized as the 'In-house PR Team of the Year' at the 2011 PR Week Awards. Driscoll functioned as the primary Boston Police spokesperson and was responsible for developing key messaging and media strategy for numerous high-profile crisis situations, promoting positive news stories, and maintaining effective relationships with all media outlets.

Prior to joining the BPD, Driscoll worked as Vice President of Corporate Communications at SBE Entertainment Group in Los Angeles, CA. Driscoll began her career at Regan Communications Group in Boston, MA. Driscoll is a graduate of Arizona State University and holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Communication.

Jennifer Durenberger

Director of Racing

Dr. Durenberger first began working on the racetrack in 1991 as a veterinary assistant at what was then Canterbury Downs in Shakopee, MN. She received her veterinary degree from Cornell University in 2002. Following an internship at Rood and Riddle Equine Hospital in Lexington, KY and a short time in private practice, Dr. Durenberger went back to the racetrack. She was employed as a track veterinarian for the New York Racing Association from 2003-2008, at Aqueduct, Belmont Park, and Saratoga. She left New York for California in 2008, working for the California Horse Racing Board from 2008-2010 at Hollywood Park, Santa Anita, Fairplex and Los Alamitos while completing a law degree. Following a term as an association steward at Delta Downs in Louisiana, Dr. Durenberger accepted her current position as Director of Racing for the Massachusetts Gaming Commission.

John R. Glennon

Chief Information Officer

As the Chief Information Officer (CIO) for the Commission, John Glennon has over 30 years of information technology leadership in the public and private sectors. Mr. Glennon is responsible for overseeing the use and deployment of technology for the Commission.

In his previous role as Deputy Chief Information Officer for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Mr. Glennon served as a member of the senior leadership team that managed the Information Technology Division (ITD), the primary internal provider of technology services to Commonwealth Executive Branch agencies. As Deputy CCIO, Mr. Glennon was responsible for major projects including the Springfield Data Center; MassNET, the build-out of broadband services in western Massachusetts and provision of managed services to Executive Office agencies; MassHR, human resources automation and consolidation efforts; IT finance reform and budget planning business re-engineering; and ITD collaboration with municipalities.

Mr. Glennon was previously the Secretariat Chief Information Officer for the Executive Office of Labor and Workforce Development (EOLWD). At EOLWD Mr. Glennon managed an IT organization supporting 1800 employees, 45 offices, and five call centers. In addition to fulfilling secretariat responsibilities, John has been a leader in the Commonwealth's IT Consolidation program and is an active participant in the Commonwealth's three enterprise IT governance boards.

Prior to joining state government in 2004, Mr. Glennon held senior IT leadership positions in the private sector at Tufts Health Plan, The Vantage Group, Fresenius Medical Care, and W.R. Grace & Co.

Jill Griffin

Director of Workforce, Supplier, and Diversity Development

As MGC's Director of Workforce, Supplier and Diversity Development, Ms. Griffin is responsible for the promotion of diversity and programs to encourage all residents of the Commonwealth to benefit from the new jobs and business opportunities created through the expansion of gaming. Ms. Griffin also develops and manages initiatives to support small business seeking business opportunities with casino and slots-parlor gaming licensees. Ms. Griffin works with unions, employers, training entities and other workforce development partners and agencies across the state to recommend policy and engage in existing or new initiatives that address casino training, workplace safety and diversity.

Ms. Griffin has more than 15 years of experience in economic and workforce development and most recently served as Senior Director of Programs at The Boston Foundation. Prior to this role, Griffin held various leadership positions with a focus in economic development and strategic planning and partnerships at the Boston Redevelopment Authority and the City of Boston's Department of Neighborhood Development. Ms. Griffin began her career at City Year and Northeastern University's Cooperative Education Program. Ms. Griffin has also served on several boards throughout her professional career including presently the Massachusetts Service Alliance and previously MYTOWN (Multicultural Youth Tour of What's Now) and the National Coalition of 100 Black Women, Community Action Committee. Ms. Griffin earned a Masters of Science and a Bachelors of Arts in Communication both from the State University of New York College at Oswego, NY.

Mark Vander Linden

Director of Research and Responsible Gaming

As MGC's Director of Research and Responsible Gaming, Mr. Vander Linden oversees the MGC research agenda which includes a baseline study to understand the social and economic effects of expanded gambling, levels of problem gambling and prevention and treatment services currently available. Additionally, he will oversee numerous ongoing studies to gain information relative to gambling disorders and advance the treatment and prevention field. Mr. Vander Linden will work closely with stakeholders throughout the Commonwealth to support effective and innovative prevention, treatment and recovery support methods.

Mr. Vander Linden most recently served as the Executive Officer in the Office of Problem Gambling Treatment and Prevention at the Iowa Department of Public Health where he directed all aspects of problem gambling services for the state including treatment, prevention, marketing, research and workforce development. He serves on numerous Boards including the Association of Problem Gambling Service Administrators and National Center for Problem Gambling. Mr. Vander Linden frequently provides training and consultation on problem gambling policy, research and practices.

Mr. Vander Linden has more than 15 years of experience in the social work field specializing in addictions, community health and mental health. Vander Linden earned a Masters of Social Welfare from the University of California at Berkeley and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Social Work from the University of Iowa.

Karen Wells

Director of Investigations and Enforcement Bureau

As the Director of the IEB, Ms. Wells is focused on protecting the public interest and ensuring the integrity of legal gaming in Massachusetts by leading the regulatory and criminal enforcement of the Expanded Gaming Act. She is the operational and administrative head of the Bureau responsible for executing, administering and enforcing the provisions of the law relative to investigations and enforcement. On behalf of the gaming commission, she is also responsible for facilitating law enforcement activity involving the Massachusetts State Police, the Alcohol Beverage Control Commission, the Massachusetts Attorney General's Office and other local, state and federal law enforcement partners.

Prior to joining MGC, Ms. Wells most recently served as the Undersecretary for Law Enforcement at the Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety. As Undersecretary, Ms. Wells directed the functions and administration of the Massachusetts State Police, the Department of Public Safety and the Municipal Police Training Committee. The Department of Public Safety is a regulatory, licensing and inspection agency, charged with the oversight of numerous activities, businesses and professions. Ms. Wells also coordinated with federal, state and local public safety officials to enhance cooperation on all policy and operational matters. During her tenure as Undersecretary, she also served as secretariat lead for gaming-related issues. In 2008, Ms. Wells functioned as the commonwealth's Senior Counsel for Law Enforcement and Fire Services and was responsible for managing policy development and implementation of programs relative to crime prevention, emergency management and public safety.

In 2007, Ms. Wells served as Deputy Chief of the Public Protection, Anti-Terrorism, Corruption and Technology Unit at the Middlesex District Attorney's Office where she prosecuted high-level narcotics and white-collar crimes. Previously, she served as Assistant Attorney General in the Criminal Bureau of the Massachusetts Attorney General's Office assigned to the Special Investigations and Narcotics Division.

In 1994, Ms. Wells began her career as an Assistant District Attorney at the Middlesex County District Attorney's Office. Wells graduated with a law degree from Boston University School of Law in 1994. In 1991, she graduated from Colgate University with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in English. Wells is also the recipient of several commendations and distinguished service awards including the Massachusetts State Police Superintendent's Commendation for her contribution to a wiretap investigation of a major state narcotics investigation.

John Ziemba

Ombudsman

Prior to joining the Massachusetts Gaming Commission, John Ziemba held positions in both the public and private sector acquiring experience which is uniquely suited to the position of Ombudsman. Most recently, Mr. Ziemba held the position of Counsel at the law firm of Bowditch & Dewey, LLP, where he was a Co-Chair of the Government Practice and helped found the Renewable Energy Practice. Prior to that, he held top legal, managerial, and policymaking positions for sixteen years in Massachusetts state government. He most recently served in the Governor's Cabinet as Cabinet Secretary / Director of the Department of Labor, the executive office responsible for the Commonwealth's labor relations, occupational safety, and workers' compensation agencies. Prior to his appointment as Director, he was Undersecretary / Acting Secretary of the Executive Office of Transportation and Acting Chairman of the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority. From 1991 until 2002, he developed a wide range of experience as Deputy Chief of Staff in the Governor's Office, at the Department of Housing and Community Development and at the Office of Consumer Affairs and Business Regulation, where he worked with the state's banking, racing and utility regulation agencies. While in the Governor's Office, John was responsible for the state's transportation, public safety, consumer affairs, and labor and workforce agencies and authorities.

Enacted Legislation

The following two horse-racing bills were chaptered in 2013:

Chapter 123 of the Acts of 2013

(approved November 1, 2013)

An act relative to simulcasting horse races in the Commonwealth

Whereas, The deferred operation of this act would tend to defeat its purpose, which is to further regulate forthwith simulcasting, therefore it is hereby declared to be an emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding section 2 of chapter 128C of the General Laws or any other general or special law to the contrary, in calendar year 2013, no racing meeting licensee located in Suffolk or Norfolk county shall simulcast live races in the racing season unless the racing meeting licensee is licensed to and actually conducts at least 720 live races over the course of not less than 80 calendar days during the 2013 racing season with not fewer than 7 races completed on any of those 80 calendar days.

SECTION 2. Section 1 is hereby repealed.

SECTION 3. Section 2 shall take effect on January 1, 2014.

Approved, November 1, 2013

Chapter 167 of the Acts of 2013

(Approved, November 26, 2013)

An act further regulating the simulcasting of horse races

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows:

Section 2 of chapter 128C of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2012 Official Edition, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 45, the figure “4” and inserting in place thereof the following field: - 6.

Approved, November 26, 2013

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Massachusetts Racetracks

Suffolk Downs

Mailing address

Sterling Suffolk Racecourse, LLC
d/b/a Suffolk Downs
525 McClellan Highway
East Boston, MA 02128
(617) 567-3900



Meet period

1 June 2013 thru 2 November 2013
80 race days

2013 Racing stats

Total number of races:	720
Total number of starters:	5,214
Average field size:	7.24
Total 2013 purses:	\$8,375,400
Average daily purse:	\$104,461

Track stats

Barn Area Stall Space: 1085

Main track

Homestretch 90 ft. wide, backstretch 70 ft. wide
Turns banked 4.5 degrees; straightaways 2.0 degrees
Distance from top of stretch to finish line: 1030 ft.
Distance from finish line to clubhouse turn: 360 ft.
Fontana safety rail

Turf course

About 7 furlong oval comprised of perennial rye grass
Homestretch is 70 ft wide; backside is 65 to 70 ft.
Distance from top of stretch to finish line is 1,030 ft.
Distance from finish line to clubhouse turn is 360 ft.
Fixed rail and hedge

Wonderland Greyhound Park

Mailing address

d/b/a/ Sterling Suffolk LLC
525 McClellan Highway
East Boston, MA 02128
(617) 567-3900



Simulcasting

7 days a week

Plainridge Racecourse

Mailing address

Ourway Realty LLC
d/b/a Plainridge Racecourse
301 Washington Street
Plainville, MA 02762
(508) 643-2500



Meet period

15 April 2013 thru 14 November 2013
92 race days

2013 Racing stats

Total number of races:	780
749 Overnights (wagering)	
31 MA Sire Stakes (non-wagering)	
Total starters in Overnights:	5253
Average field size:	7.02
Total starters in Sire Stakes:	116
Average field size: 3.74	
Overnights:	549 paces, 170 trots
Sire Stakes:	16 paces, 15 trots
Total 2013 purses:	\$1,988,055
Total Overnight purses:	\$1,734,847
Average daily purses:	\$18,857
Average per dash	\$2,316
Total Sire Stake Purses	\$253,208
Average per dash	\$8,168

Track stats

Barn Area Stall Space: 141

Race track

5/8ths mile
Pylons

Raynham Taunton Greyhound Park

Mailing address

1958 Broadway
Raynham, MA 02767
(508) 824-4071



Simulcasting

7 days a week

2013 Seasonal Wrap-Up Story: Plainridge

It began on a cool April (15th) afternoon. Ninety three race days later, on Thursday, November 14, the curtain dropped on one of the most exciting seasons of harness racing ever at Plainridge Racecourse.

Despite all the local fireworks which produced a bevy of new lifetime records along with a track record, the biggest story coming out of the 2013 sulky season was the performance of a homebred colt by the name of Royalty for Life who seized the national spotlight in winning the sport's most prestigious trotting event the \$1.2 million dollar Hambletonian at the Meadowlands on Saturday, August 3rd.

His stunning 1:52.1 win in the Hambo along with his many other successes on the racetrack earned Royalty for Life the Dan Patch Award for the best 3-year-old male trotter by the U.S. Harness Writers Association while his trainer George Ducharme, of Norfolk, Massachusetts, won USHWA's Good Guy Award.

"Words can't describe what this means to me, I never ever thought that I'd be at this spot being a little guy from Massachusetts training a bunch of statebreds and the fact it turned out to be like this is just amazing," said Ducharme .

Owners AI Ross, a resident of Dartmouth, Massachusetts, Paul Fontaine and Raymond Campbell took home the coveted Hambletonian Trophy and a lifetime worth of memories.

On the local racing front, Jim Hardy took title to the leading driver of the year with a total of 98 wins and \$282,714 in purse earnings while Steve Nason finished in second place with 96 victories (\$193,370) followed by Mike Eaton with 67 winning drives (\$156,605). Rounding out the top five leaderboard was Dan Deslandes (49 wins- \$108,694) and Shane Taggart (41wins- \$110,710) who finished fourth and fifth respectively.

On the training side of the ledger, Jim Hardy topped all conditioners with 49 wins and \$110,416 in purse winnings while Mike Eaton wound up second with 39 victories (\$86,170) to his credit and John Nason third with 38 successes (\$69,030). Finishing fourth and fifth respectively were Irwin Rosenthal (36 wins\$82,066) and Randy Bickmore (26 victories- \$55,636).

The lone track record was recorded by My Friend Charlie who lowered the track standard for 2-year-old trotting geldings with a fine 2:01winning effort for driver Chris Lems on September 9th, 2013.

On Monday,October 28 th, the finals of four Massachusetts Sire Stakes for 3-year-olds were conducted. In the \$18,240 final for 3-year-old colt and gelding pacers, Christine Catabia's Master of Puppets (Jim Hardy) scored a three length victory in 1:57.1defeating Everybody Lies with Murphy's Cyclone third.

The \$17,600 final for 3-year-old colt and gelding trotters went to Glen Harris' CBF Dart in 2:00. Trainer Ralph Andersen steered the RC Royalty-sired gelding to a 2 % length win over Race To Royalty with Welker picking up the show dough.

In the \$17,600 final for 3-year-old pacing fillies, KDK Standardbreds and Nelson Malin's Lordy Miss Scarlet strode home first in 1:56.4. Shane Taggart directed "Scarlet" to a one length score over stablemate Merrigan while Snookie wound up third.

The \$16,960 3-year-old filly trot final was captured by Peter Goldberg and Michael Seidman's Mergatroid in 2:00.4. Jim Marshall guided the sophomore lass to a 4 length triumph over Royalty Free with Eyes on Royal third.



Royalty For Life and his connections in the winner's circle at the Meadowlands Racetrack following his Hambletonian win.

Licensing

One of the Commission's foremost responsibilities is the issuance of occupational licenses to every person who participates in racing, and the issuance of licenses to associations who operate the Commonwealth's racetracks and simulcast facilities.

2,478 applications for licensure processed in 2013

The licensing process requires that every person who participates in racing complete an application, and that all questions must be answered truthfully. The application is reviewed for completeness by licensing staff who then forward the application to the Massachusetts State Police Gaming Enforcement Unit, who conduct a background check of the applicant. Once the background check is completed, the application is sent to the Board of Stewards/Judges at each track. The Board reviews the application and may interview the applicant. The Stewards/Judges determine if the applicant has the required integrity, ability, and the eligibility for the license for which the applicant has applied. The Commission also has access to the Association of Racing Commissioners' International (ARCI) files in Lexington, Kentucky and the United States Trotting Association's (USTA) database for violations. These files maintain a record of every racing related offense attributed to an applicant anywhere in the country. The Commission provides reciprocity to other jurisdictions and their licensing decisions.

If the Stewards/Judges recommend licensing an applicant, the licensing staff collects the required fee and enter the appropriate information in the Commission's computer network. The applicant is issued a license card that entitles him to a photo identification badge. No person may enter any restricted area of a racetrack without a photo identification badge. During 2013, the Division of Racing issued 2,478 occupational licenses to persons participating in horse racing in the State. Occupations licensed include jockeys, drivers, trainers, assistant trainers, owners of racing animals, blacksmiths, racing officials, vendors, stable employees and pari-mutuel clerks.

2 association licenses issued

Consistent with the Massachusetts General Laws, the Commission held public hearings in the fall of 2013 on applications for two licenses to conduct running horse and harness racing meetings during 2014. Public hearings were held in Boston and Plainville, Massachusetts.

The Gaming Commission issued a running horse racing license to Sterling Suffolk Racecourse, LLC, located in East Boston, to conduct thoroughbred racing in calendar year 2014 at a facility known as Suffolk Downs. The Commission also issued a harness horse racing license to Springfield Gaming and Redevelopment, located in Plainville, to conduct Standardbred racing in calendar year 2014 at a facility known as Plainridge Racecourse.

Licensing Staff

Jeffrey Bothwell

Licensing Coordinator, MGC at Plainridge Racecourse

Richard J. Ford

Licensing Coordinator, MGC at Suffolk Downs

Licensing Coordinators supervise the operation of the Commission's field offices located at Suffolk Downs, Raynham Park, and Plainridge Racecourse. They work closely with stewards, judges, racing officials, track security, the State Police unit and the Gaming Commission to ensure that operations at each track are efficient and effective.

Licensing Staff processed 2,478 applications for occupational licenses at the Commission's three licensed facilities in 2013, resulting in \$69,525 in license fees and \$7,810 in badge fees. Occupational licenses expire annually on December 31.

Occupational Licenses

TYPE OF LICENSE	FEE	PLAIN.	TOTAL SUFFOLK	TOTAL RAYNHAM	GRAND TOTAL
Apprentice Jockey	60			4 240	240
Assistant Trainer	30			18 540	540
Authorized Agent	30			14 420	420
Blacksmith	25	1	25	10 250	275
Driver	30	138	4140		4140
Duplicate	5	2	10		10
Exercise Rider	5			83 415	415
Jockey	60			35 2100	2100
Jockey Agent	60			13 780	780
Owner	30	394	11820	596 17880	29700
Pari-Mutuel	10	19	190	62 620	19/190 1000
Partnership per Suff.	50			varies 5000	5000
Pony Person	5			4 20	20
Racing Official	25	16	400	21 525	925
Reimbursement	varies	3	390	5 95	485
Security	10	7	0	2 20	20
Stable Employee	5	148	740	141 705	1445
Stable Name	60	34	2040	6900	
Temp owner	30	17	510	10 300	810
Trainer	30	174	5220	181 5430	10650
Valet	10			10 100	100
Vendor	10	8	80	57 570	650
Vendor Security	10			39 390	390
Vendor Track	10			17 170	170
Veterinarian	60	2	120	3 180	300
Sub Total of Licenses		963	25685	1325 43650	190 69525
Badge	5	542	2710	997 4985	7695
Courtesy Badge				23 115	115
Sub Total of Badges			2710	5100	7810
Fines		53	4875	29 4500	9375

Auditors

Douglas A. O'Donnell
Senior Financial Analyst

Paul M. Buttner
Auditor

Jeffrey Bothwell
Auditor

Pari-Mutuel Operations – Compliance ensured

Responsibilities of the Commission's auditors include assessing liabilities owed to the Commission and overseeing the calculation of take-out from handle. The handle is the total amount of money wagered at each performance and the take-out percentage of handle is determined by statute. Proceeds from the handle are distributed to numerous stakeholders, as described by statute.

Safeguards

All money wagered on a horse race goes through the equipment of one of the three Totalisator companies; namely, AmTote, Sporttech and United Tote. These are private companies who sell their services to racetracks. Both Suffolk Downs and Raynham Park use the services of AmTote whereas Plainridge is with United. All three provide the machines for wagering, those used by the tellers and the self service terminals. The "tote" system (as it is referred to) accepts wagers and based on those wagers, it calculates the odds on each betting interest, displays them, produces and configures the payouts following the race and later cashes the tickets given to the bettor. This is all accomplished through very sophisticated computerized equipment that has the ability to combine all wagers placed, no matter where they are coming from, including those placed via computer, live at the track where the race is being conducted and at all guest sites that have contracted to wager with the host track. All these wagers go into a common pool. The term "host" is the track where the race is being run and the term "guest" means any other location where wagers are made on a live race.

Before the start of a racecard, all tote companies at the sites that will take wagers on the live product, connect with the tote at the host site. At the start of each individual race, the Steward/Judge at the Host track presses a key/button that locks all the wagering machines. This stops any betting after the start of any race. At the conclusion of a race, the Stewards/Judges determine the order of finish and notify their Mutuel Department who is linked to the Tote system that the race is going "official" and the numbers of the first 4 finishers are posted along with the payouts for all the different wagers; i.e., win, place, show, daily double, exacta, trifecta, superfecta, or any wager that is offered on the race by the Host track.

Printouts from the tote system are audited by the Racing Commission Auditors for accuracy and compliance with current statutes.

Daily Audit

A summary sheet, detailing the breakdown of the statutory take-out is prepared by Commission Auditors for each individual racing performance. For live racing, the information is provided by the on-site tote system. For imported simulcast races, a report from the host track is faxed to the guest track. This report is used in conjunction with on-track reports to complete the summary sheet. This activity ensures that the public, the Commonwealth, purse accounts, and all designated trust funds are properly funded. The Commission Auditors prepare a handle reconciliation report on a daily basis. This report shows the handle broken down as to live, signal exported and signal imported. Further, the balance of all current unclaimed winning tickets and the liquidity of the mutuel department are audited on a daily basis by the Commission Auditors.

Massachusetts State Police Investigative Unit

Michael Scanlan
Sergeant

Robert Miller
Trooper

Scott Walker
Trooper

Joseph Sinkevich
Trooper

The Commission's goals of protecting racing participants and the wagering public as well as maintaining the public's confidence in pari-mutuel wagering are achieved through the Commission's licensing, revenue collection and investigative activities. The State Police Investigative Unit plays a vital role in achieving the goals of the Commission.

The Gaming Commission applies to the Department of Public Safety for an assignment of a complement of police officers. In the performance of their duties, the State Police Investigative Unit investigates violations of the rules of racing and the Massachusetts General Laws. The Investigative Unit's extensive responsibilities and activities have resulted in a major improvement in the Commission's regulatory/policing functions.

Stable Inspections

Stable inspections focus on the detection of safety violations, the presence of unlicensed persons in restricted areas and the possession of illegal medications, drugs and syringes. These inspections are conducted by officers assigned to the State Police Unit and aid in preserving the integrity of racing.

21 Ejections - 61 Investigations - 7 Arrests

In 2013, the State Police Investigative Unit conducted 61 investigations including hidden ownership of racehorses, larceny, and counterfeit money that resulted in 7 arrests and 21 ejections from Massachusetts racetracks of persons determined to be detrimental to racing.

Special Investigations

The State Police Investigative Unit conducted investigations into the background of each individual who was a party to the application for a racetrack license in Massachusetts. The State Police Unit also conducted several special investigations with other agencies and units within the State Police concerning ten per center activity, identity investigations and drug activity.

2,015 Background Investigations

The State Police Investigative Unit conducted 2,015 background investigations on Gaming Commission employees, racing officials and occupational licensees who participate at Massachusetts racetracks.

Thoroughbred – Standardbred Racing

The State Police Unit committed itself to maintain a constant presence at each racetrack, especially during live racing, working closely with the Stewards/Judges and other Commission and racing officials to help ensure that each track operated honestly and credibly.

Laboratory Services

Alexandra Lightbown, D.V.M.
Chief Commission Veterinarian

In 2013 Massachusetts changed its testing laboratory to Truesdail Laboratories in Tustin, CA. Every year, Truesdail chemists analyze 30,000 to 40,000 biological fluids for the presence and identification of drugs. They work closely with several racing commissions, fairs and expositions testing horses, sheep, hogs, cattle and dogs for the presence of drugs. Testing protects the health of the animals and the integrity of races and contests.

Truesdail is committed to improving their ability to detect new drugs of abuse. They work closely with the Association of Official Racing Chemists (AORC), Association of Racing Commissioners International, Inc. (ARCI) and Racing Medication Testing Consortium (RMTTC). As a result, Truesdail is a driving force in the application of new technology for the drug testing industry,

In addition to testing urine and blood samples for the presence of drugs, Truesdail analyzes syringes, vials, powders and a variety of materials seized as evidence. They also test for drugs in a variety of nutritional supplements. Government agencies, lawyers, doctors, and veterinarians have used their services for many years.

Integrity of samples ensured

Special precautions are taken at all Massachusetts racetracks when post-race blood and urine samples are collected to ensure that no tampering can take place. In order to assure the continuity of evidence, every winning horse and all designated horses are under the surveillance of a Gaming Commission employee from the finish of the race until the specimens are obtained.

1716 urine samples – 3023 paired urine-blood samples analyzed

Many other items confiscated in the course of investigations are also submitted for analysis. These items may include feed preparations, vitamins, liniments, antibiotics, other pharmaceuticals and medical devices such as needles and syringes.

2013 marked the first year that the Massachusetts Gaming Commission's Division of Racing participated in the Controlled Therapeutic Medication Program.

At Suffolk Downs, 16 samples returned showing overages of Phenylbutazone. 1 sample returned showing an overage of Furosemide.

At Plainridge Racecourse, 5 samples returned showing overages of Phenylbutazone. 3 samples returned showing overages of Flunixin. 1 sample returned showing an overage of Omeprazole. 1 sample returned showing an overage of Dexamethasone.

Veterinarians

Alexandra Lightbown, D.V.M.
Chief Commission Veterinarian

Robert Calley, D.V.M.
Contract Veterinarian

Kevin Lightbown, D.V.M.
Contract Veterinarian

The Commission Veterinarians play an indispensable function in ensuring that the quality and integrity of racing within the Commonwealth remains strong by protecting the health and welfare of the equine athletes in Massachusetts.

Supervise equine drug testing area

A Commission Veterinarian supervises the testing areas in order to ensure proper collection and continuity of evidence for blood and urine samples collected from the racing animals.

Testify at Commission hearings / meetings

Commission Veterinarians testify at hearings on medication use, drug violations, animal care, new policies and procedures, etc.

Stewards / Judges

Suffolk Downs Board of Stewards

Commission Stewards

Susan Walsh
Chief Commission Steward

Daniel Fick
Associate Commission Steward

Association Steward

Russell G. Derderian

Administrative Hearings

The primary responsibility of the Stewards is to interpret and enforce the rules of racing as promulgated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In carrying out this duty, the Stewards presided as judges, issuing 68 rulings in 2013 - resulting in 30 fines, 9 suspensions, 12 warnings, 16 “other” which included licenses rescinded or those restored to good standing and 1 license denial.

Plainridge Board of Judges

Commission Judges

Lawrence Rooney
Chief Commission Judge

Salvatore Panzera
Associate Commission Judge

Carol A. Malcolm
Associate Commission Judge

Association Judge

Anthony Salerno
Presiding Judge

Administrative Hearings

The primary responsibility of the Board of Judges is to interpret and enforce the rules of racing as promulgated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In carrying out this duty, the Judges issued 69 rulings in 2013 – resulting in 50 fines, 10 suspensions, 4 warnings, 4 “Other” as licenses rescinded or restored to good standing and 1 license to drive denied.

Enforcement of the rules and regulations of racing begins with the investigation of complaints and prosecution of alleged violations by the Board of three Stewards / Judges at the racetrack. One Steward / Judge is appointed by the racetrack and must be approved by the Gaming Commission and licensed as a racing official. Two Stewards / Judges are appointed by the Gaming Commission. The duties of the Stewards / Judges are the same; however, in Thoroughbred racing they are called Stewards and in Harness Racing, they are known as Judges. Same job - different title.

Enforcement of Rules and Regulations

The most significant responsibility of the Commission is the enforcement of the rules and regulations of racing. It is only as a result of conscientious, consistent and aggressive enforcement of the rules and regulations that we are able to ensure honest racing.

Responsibilities

The Stewards and Judges are responsible for reviewing all occupational license applications and recommending or not recommending the applicant for a license. The Stewards and Judges are present at the racetrack each day on which there is live racing and they oversee everything from drawing of post positions to making official the results of every race. In addition, the Stewards / Judges preside over all hearings conducted at the track and report their rulings and findings to the Gaming Commission.

Before post time of the first race, the Stewards/Judges review the daily program of races to approve any changes or report errors. Changes are reported to each department that might be affected by the change (i.e., mutuels, paddock judges, patrol judges, starters, clerk of the course, clerk of scales, program director, TV department and announcer). All changes are also reported promptly to the wagering public.

After observing every live race, both live and on television monitors, the Stewards/Judges mark the order of finish as the horses cross the finish line. They give the first four unofficial finishers to the Mutuel Department, and when necessary, they post an inquiry, review an objection and request a photo finish. If there is an apparent violation of the rules, the Stewards/Judges review the videotape and then make a decision before making the results of the race official.

137 rulings

If a violation of the rules occurs, the Stewards/Judges notify all the parties involved in the violation. Sometimes only a warning will be issued but other times the offending horseman may be fined and/or suspended from participating in racing for a certain amount of time. If any party involved contests the decision of the Stewards/Judges, then a hearing will be scheduled. After conducting the hearing, the Stewards/Judges determine if any penalty such as a fine or suspension, purse redistribution, or other sanction should be imposed. Violators are advised of their right of appeal to the Gaming Commission. 137 separate rulings were written by the Boards of Stewards/Judges at Massachusetts racetracks in 2013.

Appeals

If any licensee disagrees with a decision of the Stewards/Judges, they may appeal to the Gaming Commission, through its designated hearing officer. The Commission affords appellants adjudicatory hearings on the merits of their appeals. If appellants are dissatisfied with the decision of the Gaming Commission, they may appeal to the Superior Court of the Commonwealth in accordance with Chapter 30A of the General Laws.

<u>Hearings</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Board of Judges/Stewards	135	85	122	16
<u>Sanctions</u>				
Fines	78	60	76	82
Suspensions	44	15	44	19

Racing Division Financials

Fiscal Year 2013 – July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2013

Receipts

0131	Commission	\$ 1,455,668.00
2700	Fines and Penalties	6,775.00
3003	Association License Fees	401,100.00
3004	Licenses and Registrations	75,240.00
4800	Assessments	732,767.00
5009	Unpaid Tickets	650,224.28
6900	Miscellaneous	7,940.88
	Total Receipts	\$ 3,329,715.59

Expenditures

AA	Regular Employee Compensation	\$ 582,262.17
BB	Regular Employee Related Expenses	9,646.66
CC	Contractor Payroll	364,821.66
DD	Pension/Insurance, Related Expenses	164,494.09
EE	Administration Expenses	90,518.24
FF	Facility Operations	10,911.86
GG	Energy Costs	48,636.00
HH	Consultant Services	82,286.60
JJ	Operational Services	94,248.74
KK	Equipment Purchase	17,798.35
LL	Equipment Lease/Maintenance	6,518.82
MM	Purchased Programs Services	186,796.06
NN	Infrastructure	14,918.38
TT	Loans & Special Payments	279,882.00
UU	Information Technology	12,961.57
	Total Expenditures	\$ 1,966,701.20

Racing Revenues Calendar Year 2013

\$3,313,106.00 in revenues collected

In addition to licensing racetracks and participants, the Racing Division of the MGC has a primary responsibility to collect revenue in accordance with Chapters 128A and 128C of the General Laws. Each licensed racetrack pays a commission as determined by law in addition to license fees and other assessments. Racing Division Inspectors collect occupational license fees, badge fees and fines. The Racing Division collected \$3,313,106.00 from Massachusetts racetracks in 2013. All Commission activities are revenue driven as Commission expenditures come from Commission revenue and are made in a priority order in accordance with Section 5(h) of Chapter 128A.

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION
Racing Development and Oversight Fund
Statement of Program Revenue and Expenses
Calendar years 2013 & 2012

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
Program Revenue:		
Commissions	\$ 1,401,814	\$ 1,545,691
Occupational licenses	69,525	75,660
Assessments	750,001	752,055
Association licenses daily fee	400,200	414,900
Fines/Badges	17,185	\$ 6,750
Unclaimed tickets (“outs”)	674,381	710,590
Total revenue by source	\$ 3,313,106	\$ 3,505,646
 Program Expenses:		
Unclaimed tickets distributed to racetrack purse accounts	481,329	504,480
Unclaimed tickets transferred to Racing Stabilization Fund	192,904	206,110
Local aid (paid to cities and towns)	1,029,265	1,070,039
Sub total	1,703,646	1,780,629
Available for Racing Commission operations	\$ 1,609,460	\$ 1,725,017
Total Racing Commission operations	1,725,035	1,523,640
Available	(115,575)	201,377
Other programs costs -		
Health & welfare - stable & backstretch workers, The Eighth Pole	80,000	80,000
Economic assistance program	20,000	20,000
Compulsive gamblers - Dept. of Public Health	110,000	101,377
Total other program costs	210,000	201,377
Available for distributions to racetracks' purse accounts	0	0
Distributions to racetrack purse accounts	0	0

**MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION
2013 Racing Development and Oversight Fund
Comments**

	Live and On Track	Revenue Collected	
Handle and Revenue by track:	<u>Handle</u>	<u>Comm. & Fees</u>	<u>OUTs*</u>
Sterling Suffolk Downs	\$ 132,496,090	\$ 1,127,525	\$ 304,684
Plainridge Racetrack	38,210,033	576,435	176,645
Taunton & Massasoit Dog Tracks	32,514,421	726,175	182,598
Wonderland Greyhound Park**	4,272,965	211,617	10,452
Total revenue by track	<u>\$ 207,523,509</u>	<u>\$ 2,641,752</u>	<u>\$ 674,381</u>

* Unclaimed wagers (“OUTs”) collected from the horse tracks are distributed to the purse accounts of the licensees that generated the unclaimed wagers. At dog tracks unclaimed wagers are transferred to the Racing Stabilization Fund.

** Wonderland ceased operations August 18, 2010 and reopened on June 2, 2011 at Suffolk Downs.

Local Aid - Transfers to State:

Local aid payment for calendar year 2013 was \$1,029,265. It is paid quarterly at .35 percent times amounts wagered during the quarter ended six months prior to the payment.

Meetings and Hearings

As required by Chapter 128A of the Massachusetts General Laws, the Commission held public hearings in the fall of 2012 on applications for two licenses to conduct running horse or harness racing meetings for calendar year 2013. The hearings were held in Boston and Plainville. The Commission approved the association licenses for Sterling Suffolk Racecourse, LLC, to conduct thoroughbred racing in 2013 and for Ourway Realty, LLC, to conduct harness horse racing in 2013 at their respective facilities.

The Racing Division in 2013 did not preside over any adjudicatory hearings as a result of appeals from rulings of the Stewards and Judges at the various racetracks in the Commonwealth.

Decisions appealed to the Racing Division

The Gaming Commission, sitting as a quasi-judicial body pursuant to the Massachusetts Administrative Procedures Act, adjudicated 0 appeals. The Commission has taken extensive precautions to ensure licensees due process throughout the appeal process. The Commission initiated a Stay-of-Suspension process. This permits licensees suspended by the Stewards/Judges for a minor violation of the rules that does not compromise the integrity of racing to continue to participate in racing until the licensee has been provided a hearing by the Commission and a decision made. Procedural safeguards were adopted to prevent licensees from abusing the Stay privilege. Hearings are conducted as soon as practicable from the time of the granting of a Stay, thereby preventing a licensee from participating while on a Stay status for an extended period of time.

There were no appeals of stewards / judges rulings for 2013. There were numerous appeals of state police ejections and one stewards ruling that were referred to the Commission for further action (it was a 180 day suspension and the Hearing Officer made it a two year suspension) but that wasn't an appeal, per se, of a stewards ruling. 2 requests for a waiver to a regulation, 1 granted, 1 denied. There was one carryover license suspension case from 2012 that was referred to the Commission for further action by the stewards and actually heard in 2013 resulting in a 5 year suspension; that was then appealed to the full commission which reduced it to a two year suspension.

Due process afforded all licensees

Licensees charged with a violation of the rules that may result in the loss of a license are entitled to a hearing pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act (APA). Formal disciplinary hearings held by the Racing Division follow the requirements established in the Massachusetts APA. These requirements include issuing timely notice of hearings, providing the opportunity for an appellant to confront witnesses and to be represented by counsel.

Commission decisions appealed to Superior Court

In addition to hearing appeals, the Racing Division must prepare a complete record and legal decision for each case that is appealed to the Superior Court. When the record is completed and certified, it is forwarded to the Government Bureau of the Attorney General's Office and is assigned to an Assistant Attorney General who defends the case in court. The Commission and the Attorney General work closely together to present the best possible case in Superior Court. In calendar year 2013, there was only one case pending appellate review.

The Racing Division takes this opportunity to thank the Attorney General's Office for the diligent, professional and expert defense of Commission cases.

Notes on charts and graphs

In this 2013 Annual Report, the following terminology is used in reporting simulcast events.

“Signal Received” is categorized as “Imported” as this is the signal sent from a remote track being received locally.

“Signal Sent” is categorized as “Exported,” as this is the local signal being sent to a remote track.

Racing Terminology

Outs

Outs are the unclaimed winning wagers at each horse track. If the tickets haven't been presented for payment by 90 days after 31 December of the year following the year of the actual wager, they will be distributed to the commission. Subject to the rules and regulations established by the commission, the commission shall deposit the unclaimed live wagers into the purse accounts of the racing meeting licensees (Suffolk and Plainridge) that generated those unclaimed live wagers. When the outs come from Wonderland and Raynham they go to the Racing Stabilization Fund.

Breakage

Breakage – the difference in the rounding off of the pari-mutuel payoffs.

The difference in cents between the winning payouts and the nearest dime or nickel is called the Breakage. One half of the odd cents shall be retained by the licensee, and one half shall be paid to the commission on the day following each day of a racing meeting. The commission then dispenses the breaks as follows: The breaks from Suffolk and Plainridge go to their respective Capital Improvement Funds whereas the breaks from Wonderland and Raynham go to the Racing Stabilization Fund.

Purses

Purses are the monies that the horses earn for racing. Each race has a purse amount assigned to it before the race is run. How much each horse earns of that purse depends on where the horse finishes and the amount of the purse. The actual money wagered on the race does not have an immediate impact on the amount of the purse. However, a percentage of every dollar wagered makes its way into the purse account for races at a later date. The average daily purse is the amount of the total purses awarded during a race meet divided by the number of days of racing for that meet.

Simulcasting

Simulcasting is when a racetrack sends a closed circuit transmission via satellite of its live racing to another location, either in the same state or out of state and sometimes out of the country. The track where the racing is being contested is called the Host and the location where it is viewed is called the Guest. People at the guest site bet on these races in real time. The Guest site customers receive the same payoffs as the customers at the Host track. All the money wagered by both the Host and Guest sites are merged and the odds are computed on the total amount of money wagered into these combined wagering pools. To view their races, the Host charges the Guest a certain percentage of the guest site's handle. This percentage is based on the quality of the racing and by agreement between the Host and Guest.

Handle

Handle is the total amount of money wagered at a specific location, by individual race/ by day/by month or by year.

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Live			
Raynham	0	0	0
Wonderland	0	0	0
Plainridge	1,476,452	1,358,788	1,079,321
Suffolk	7,725,019	7,691,012	6,367,362
Total Live	\$ 9,201,471	\$ 9,049,800	\$ 7,446,683
Import Simulcast			
Raynham	37,154,037	36,197,994	32,514,421
Wonderland	2,523,747	5,144,691	4,272,965
Plainridge	46,066,114	42,444,269	37,130,712
Suffolk	128,327,170	135,427,343	126,128,728
Total Import	\$ 214,071,068	\$ 218,860,402	\$ 200,046,826
Export Simulcast			
Raynham	0	0	0
Wonderland	0	0	0
Plainridge	5,811,080	9,783,458	10,274,626
Suffolk	62,408,714	69,202,678	59,757,770
Total Export	\$ 68,219,794	\$ 78,986,136	\$ 70,032,396
TOTAL HANDLE	\$ 291,492,333	\$ 306,896,338	\$ 277,555,905

Handle Calendar Years 2012 vs. 2013 Financial Variance Report

Category	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>Variance</u>	<u>% Variance</u>
Live Performances	160	160	0	0.00%
Live Handle	9,049,800	7,446,683	(1,603,117)	(17.7%)
Simulcast Import	218,860,402	200,046,826	(18,783,576)	(8.58%)
Simulcast Export	78,986,136	70,032,396	(8,953,740)	(11.33%)
Total Simulcast	297,846,538	270,109,222	(27,737,316)	(9.31%)
Total Handle	306,896,338	277,555,905	(29,340,433)	(9.56%)
Commissions	1,545,691.35	1,401,814.48	(143,551.65)	(9.28%)
Assessments	752,354.98	750,001.67	(2,353.31)	(0.31%)
Association License Fee	414,900.00	400,200	(12,000.00)	(2.89%)
Occupational License Fee	75,660.00	69,525.00	(6,135.00)	(8.10%)
Outstanding Tickets	710,590.00	674,381.00	(36,209.00)	(5.11%)
Fines & Penalties	6,750.00	9,375.00	2,625.00	38.88%
Miscellaneous	<u>9,610.00</u>	<u>7,810.00</u>	<u>(1,800.00)</u>	<u>(18.73%)</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 3,515,556.33	\$ 3,313,106.15	(\$ 202,450.13)	(5.75%)

Analysis of Purses Paid Compared to Statutory Requirements – 2012

Purses paid:	Plainridge	Suffolk
Number of live performances 2011	79	80
Purses paid 2010	\$ 2,275,803	\$ 9,200,606
2012 average purses per performance	\$ 28,808	\$ 115,008
Number of live performances 2012	92	81
Purses paid 2012	\$ 2,331,989	\$ 9,362,966
2012 average purses per performance	\$ 25,130	\$ 115,592
Increase (decrease) in 2012 compared to 2011	\$ 36,186	\$ 162,360
Average change per performance	(\$ 3,678)	\$ 584
% change per performance	-12.8%	0.5%
Racing Commission purse distributions made in 2012	Plainridge	Suffolk
Purse 2011 distribution received	\$ 139,941	\$ 139,941
April 2012 (2011 OUTs returned)	147,715	356,764
Total Chapter 139 distributions to track purse accounts	\$ 287,656	\$ 496,705
Statutory purses	Plainridge	Suffolk
Racing Commission purse distributions applied to 2012 purse account	\$ 287,656	\$ 496,705
Purse as a percentage of handle	\$ 1,789,247	\$ 6,099,045
Premiums received	178,898	862,990
Minimum purses required for 2012	2,233,801	7,4458,740
Actual purses paid by track for 2012	2,311,988	8,974,505
Variance – over / (under) statutory amounts	\$ 78,187	\$ 1,515,765

Suffolk 2012 vs. 2013 Financial Report

Category	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Live Performances	80	80
Live Handle	\$ 7,691,012	\$ 6,367,362
Simulcast Import	135,073,348	126,128,728
Simulcast Export	69,202,678	59,757,770
Total Simulcast	204,276,026	185,886,498
Total Handle	\$ 211,967,038	\$ 192,253,860
Commissions	\$ 564,179.05	\$ 519,862.66
Assessments	453,982.74	459,211.79
Association License Fee	99,000.00	94,500
Occupational License Fee	51,125.00	43,650
Outstanding Tickets	356,764.11	304,684.28
Fines & Penalties	3,125.00	4,500
Miscellaneous	<u>5,985.00</u>	<u>5,100</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 1,534,161.07	\$ 1,431,508.70

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
 Summary of Pari-mutuel Activities at Suffolk
 January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 480

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$20,425,847	\$3,443,383.12
Exotic	38,389,006	8,530,402.88
Total	\$58,814,853	11,973,786.00

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	0.00
Breaks to CIF	288,418.09
Minus Breaks	25,903.15
Net Breakage	\$262,514.94

Premiums

Suffolk	\$0.00
Plainridge	90,871.82
Raynham	0.00
Wonderland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$90,871.82

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$84,960.86	0.00000	\$155,264.95	\$240,225.81
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	6,644.62	6,644.62
Promotional Fund	0.00000	27,851.35	0.00000	56,738.45	84,589.80
Purses	0.00000	917,292.89	0.00000	1,701,140.74	2,618,432.83
Breeders	0.00000	112,343.28	0.00000	210,342.25	322,685.52
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	2,396.57	0.00000	8,901.31	11,297.88
Premiums	0.00000	20,319.27	0.00000	71,487.00	91,806.27
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	15,128.61	15,128.61
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	714,706.64	0.00000	1,356,329.15	2,071,035.79
Total Fees	0.00000	1,679,870.06	0.00000	3,581,977.09	5,461,847.14
Retained by Track	0.00000	1,563,513.06	0.00000	4,948,425.79	6,511,938.85
Total Commission	0.00000	\$3,443,383.12	0.00000	\$8,530,402.88	11,973,786.00

State Commission	\$240,225.81	Promo Fund	\$84,589.80
Daily License Fee	94,500.00	Cap Fund	\$295,062.71
Assessment	465,575.75	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$800,301.56	Stabilization	\$0.00

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
 Summary of Pari-mutuel Activities at Express Bets
 January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 974

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$4,044,448	\$673,563.11
Exotic	7,360,406	1,605,542.54
Total	\$11,404,854	\$2,279,105.65

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	0.00
Breaks to CIF	52,682.03
Minus Breaks	267.20
Net Breakage	\$52,415.63

Premiums

Suffolk	\$0.00
Plainridge	0.00
Raynham	16,900.17
Wendland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$16,900.17

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$15,366.59	0.00000	\$28,005.53	\$43,372.11
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	2,524.20	2,524.20
Promotional Fund	0.00000	4,787.99	0.00000	11,229.33	16,016.31
Purses	0.00000	164,176.83	0.00000	300,341.61	464,518.44
Brooders	0.00000	19,820.36	0.00000	38,602.80	58,423.16
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Premiums	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	538.67	538.67
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	147,436.81	0.00000	273,199.11	420,635.92
Total Fees	0.00000	351,588.57	0.00000	654,440.24	1,006,028.81
Retained by Track	0.00000	321,974.54	0.00000	951,102.30	1,273,076.84
Total Commission	0.00000	\$673,563.11	0.00000	\$1,605,542.54	\$2,279,105.65

State Commission	\$43,372.11	Promo Fund	\$16,016.31
Daily License Fee	0.00	Cap Fund	\$55,207.03
Assessment	0.00	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$43,372.11	Stabilization	\$0.00

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
Summary of Pari-mutuel Activities at TVG
 January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 772

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$16,581,017	\$2,711,909.61
Exotic	23,314,858	5,168,746.70
Total	\$39,895,875	\$7,880,656.31

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	0.00
Breaks to CIF	186,702.27
Minus Breaks	268.71
Net Breakage	\$186,433.56

Premiums

Suffolk	\$0.00
Plainsridge	54,273.26
Raynham	0.00
Wonderland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$54,273.26

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$63,162.29	0.00000	\$88,598.27	\$151,760.56
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	8,504.35	8,504.35
Promotional Fund	0.00000	19,499.86	0.00000	35,911.01	55,410.87
Purses	0.00000	675,042.43	0.00000	949,718.35	1,624,760.78
Breeders	0.00000	81,107.91	0.00000	122,383.19	203,491.11
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Premiums	0.00000	22,858.16	0.00000	31,275.10	54,133.26
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	1,556.73	1,556.73
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	763,753.54	0.00000	1,024,045.85	1,787,799.39
Total Fees	0.00000	1,625,424.19	0.00000	2,261,992.05	3,887,417.04
Retained by Track	0.00000	1,086,485.42	0.00000	2,906,753.85	3,993,239.27
Total Commission	0.00000	\$2,711,909.61	0.00000	\$5,168,746.70	\$7,880,656.31

State Commission	\$151,760.56	Promo Fund	\$55,410.87
Daily License Fee	0.00	Cap Fund	\$195,206.62
Assessment	0.00	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$151,760.56	Stabilization	\$0.00

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
 Summary of Post-race Activities at Twin Spires
 January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 200

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$21,955,555	\$0.00
Exotic	520,733	4,470,859.72
Total	\$22,476,288	\$4,470,859.72

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	0.00
Breaks to CTF	100,327.66
Minus Breaks	521.33
Net Breakage	\$100,006.36

Premiums

Suffolk	\$0.00
Plainidge	45,249.81
Rayham	15.99
Wonderland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$45,265.80

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$82,675.60	0.00000	\$2,528.38	\$85,203.98
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	6,840.98	6,840.98
Promotional Fund	0.00000	26,365.24	0.00000	5,973.53	32,338.77
Purses	0.00000	882,222.08	0.00000	28,980.66	911,202.74
Breeders	0.00000	107,847.55	0.00000	6,791.67	114,639.21
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	2,404.93	0.00000	5,372.73	7,777.66
Premiums	0.00000	18,672.44	0.00000	26,397.43	45,069.87
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	751.83	751.83
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	705,963.16	0.00000	110,748.14	816,711.29
Total Fees	0.00000	1,826,151.00	0.00000	194,385.35	2,020,536.34
Retained by Track	0.00000	-1,826,151.00	0.00000	4,276,474.37	2,450,323.38
Total Commission	0.00000	\$0.00	0.00000	\$4,470,859.72	\$4,470,859.72

State Commission	\$85,203.98	Promo Fund	\$32,338.77
Daily License Fee	0.00	Cap Fund	\$107,768.64
Assessment	0.00	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$85,203.98	Stabilization	\$0.00

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION
Sterling Suffolk Racecourse, LLC (6000177133)
Capital Improvement Trust Fund (1005 0022)
Statement of Activities

	<u>Fiscal year to date</u>
Fund balance, Beginning of period	\$ 1,375,182.21
Program revenue & interest	662,780.98
Funds available	2,037,963.19
Less expenditures	1,625,857.76
Fund balance, end of period	412,105.43
Funds required for approved projects	2,636,048.49
Excess or (deficit) of funds available for approved projects	\$(2,223,943.06)

Status of Individual Projects

<u>Work Item</u>	<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Approved Reim. or RFR Amount</u>	<u>RFC</u>	<u>RFR</u>	<u>FY2013 Expenditures</u>	<u>Status/Funds Required</u>
Architect & engineering fees	none	n/a \$	n/a	n/a	12,150.90	n/a \$
Resurface track	SCI 2011-7	75,000.00	y	n		75,000.00
Barn rehab	SCI 201113	150,000.00	y	n		150,000.00
Bobcat Skid-Steer Loader	SCI 2012-1	36,906.25	y	y	36,906.25	-
Storm Water Management	SCI 2012-2	4,000,000.00	y	y	1,588,951.51	2,411,048.49
		\$4,261,906.25			\$ 1,625,857.76	2,636,048.49

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION
Sterling Suffolk Racecourse, LLC (6000177133)
Promotional Trust Fund (1050 0021)

Statement of Activities

FY 2013 – July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013

	<u>Fiscal year to date</u>
Fund balance, beginning of period	\$ 92,329.31
Program revenue & interest	<u>175,545.08</u>
Funds available	267,874.39
Less expenditures	<u>173,088.90</u>
Fund balance, end of period	94,785.49
Funds required for approved projects	<u>270,032.85</u>
Excess (deficit) of funds available for approved projects	<u><u>(\$ 175,247.36)</u></u>

Status of Individual Projects

<u>Work Item</u>	<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Approved Reim. or RFR Amount</u>	<u>RFR Rec'd</u>	<u>FY2013 Expenditures</u>	<u>Status/Funds Required</u>
2008 Direct mail advertising	SPT 08-1	443,121.75	Y	\$ 173,088.90	\$ 270,032.85
		<u>\$ 443,121.75</u>		<u>\$ 173,088.90</u>	<u>\$ 270,032.85</u>

Plainridge 2012 vs. 2013 Financial Report

Category	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Live Performances	80	80
Live Handle	\$ 1,358,788	\$ 1,079,321
Simulcast Import	42,444,269	37,130,712
Simulcast Export	9,783,458	10,274,626
Total Simulcast	52,227,727	47,405,338
Total Handle	\$ 53,586,515	\$ 48,484,659
Commissions	313,807.05	280,769.14
Assessments	146,637.90	153,793.64
Association License Fee	108,900.00	108,000.00
Occupational License Fee	24,535.00	25,875.00
Outstanding Tickets	147,715.23	176,645.83
Fines & Penalties	3,625.00	4,875.00
Miscellaneous	<u>2,650.00</u>	<u>2,710.00</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 747,870.78	\$ 752,668.17

- The State FRS system generates billing and rounds to the nearest dollar.

Ourway Realty (Plainridge Racecourse) calculates exact amounts in their system and pays the State fees based on their final amounts. The following are the adjusted final payments for CY 2013:

State Commission	\$ 280,769.14
Daily License Fee	\$ 108,000.00
Assessment Fee	\$ 153,793.64
Capital Trust Fund	\$ 195,161.77
Promotional Trust Fund	\$ 74,526.10

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION

Summary of Part-mutuel Activities at Plainridge
January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups

Number of Events: 1175

Pools and Commissions

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$11,120,255	\$1,872,891.03
Exotic	27,227,829	6,155,523.77
Total	\$38,348,084	\$8,028,414.80

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$11,931.56
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	0.00
Breaks to CIF	153,201.78
Minus Breaks	14,705.53
Net Breakage	\$150,427.81

Premiums

Suffolk	\$504,940.61
Plainridge	0.00
Raynham	187,953.81
Wonderland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$692,894.42

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$52,962.57	0.00000	\$226,987.81	\$279,950.38
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	1,210.66	0.00000	40,554.31	41,764.97
Promotional Fund	0.00000	12,503.92	0.00000	61,751.81	74,255.73
Purses	0.00000	451,872.32	0.00000	1,103,586.65	1,555,458.97
Breeders	0.00000	49,823.81	0.00000	124,057.24	173,881.04
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	19,220.96	0.00000	36,653.32	55,874.28
Premiums	0.00000	172,850.60	0.00000	326,021.92	497,872.52
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	833.03	833.03
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	492,319.28	0.00000	1,091,733.90	1,584,053.13
Total Fees	0.00000	1,252,764.06	0.00000	3,011,180.00	4,263,944.05
Retained by Track	0.00000	620,128.97	0.00000	8,144,349.77	8,764,470.75
Total Commission	0.00000	\$1,872,891.03	0.00000	\$6,155,523.77	\$8,028,414.80

State Commission	\$279,950.38	Promo Fund	\$74,255.73
Daily License Fee	108,000.00	Cap Fund	\$194,966.75
Assessment	146,237.25	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$534,187.63	Stabilization	\$0.00

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION

Ourway Realty, LLC - Plainridge Race Course (0000120837)

Capital Improvement Trust Fund (1050 0013)

Statement of Activities

FY 2013 – July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013

	<u>Fiscal year to date</u>
Fund balance, beginning of period	\$ 43,573.81
Program revenue & interest	<u>214,894.08</u>
Funds available	258,467.89
Less expenditures	<u>118,154.44</u>
Fund balance, end of period	140,313.45
Funds required for approved projects	<u>700,878.86</u>
Excess or (deficit) of funds available for approved projects	<u><u>\$ (560,565.41)</u></u>

Status of Individual Projects

<u>Work Item</u>	<u>Project Number</u>	<u>Balance @ 7/1/12</u>			<u>FY2013 Expenditures</u>	<u>Status/ Funds Required</u>
		<u>Approved Reim. or RFR Amount</u>	<u>RFC</u>	<u>RFR</u>		
Architect & engineering fees	none	n/a	n/a	n/a	-	n/a
Parking/Facility Renovation	PCI 10-03	819,033.30	y	Y	118,154.44	700,878.86
		<u>\$ 819,033.30</u>			<u>118,154.44</u>	<u>700,878.86</u>

MASSACHUSETTS GAMING COMMISSION

Ourway - Plainridge Race Course (0000120837)

Promotional Trust Fund (1050 0012)

Statement of Activities

FY 2013 - July 1, 2012 through June 30, 2013

	<u>Fiscal year to date</u>
Fund balance, beginning of period	\$ 101,619.39
Program revenue & interest	80,914.84
Funds available	<u>182,534.23</u>
Less expenditures	<u>110,400.00</u>
Fund balance, end of period	72,134.23
Funds required for approved projects	<u>-</u>
Excess or (deficit) of funds available for approved projects	<u>\$ 72,134.23</u>

Status of Individual Projects

	Project Number	Balance @ 7/1/12			FY2013 Expenditures	Status/ Funds Required
		Approved Reim. or RFR Amount	RFC Rec'd	RFR Rec'd		
<u>Work Item</u>						
Uplink - May 17, 2011 to Dec 16, 2011	PPT 11-01	110,400.00	y	y	110,400.00	-
						-
		<u>\$ 110,400.00</u>			<u>\$ 110,400.00</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

Status of Greyhound Racing in 2012

As a result of Chapter 388 of the Acts of 2008, the two greyhound racetracks located in the Commonwealth were precluded from conducting greyhound races effective January 1, 2010. Therefore, no live greyhound races were conducted during 2012.

Chapter 167 of the Acts of 2009, and subsequently, Chapter 203 of the Acts of 2010 allowed these facilities to continue operations as simulcasting venues without conducting the minimum of 100 live racing performances mandated by Chapter 128C of the General Laws. These facilities offered pari-mutuel wagering on greyhound races conducted outside the Commonwealth as well as both in-state and out of state thoroughbred and harness races, with conditions.

Massasoit Greyhound Association and Taunton Greyhound, Inc. continued simulcasting operations throughout 2012 at Raynham/Taunton Greyhound Park.

Wonderland Greyhound Park continued simulcasting operations, at their facility, until August 18, 2010, when it closed down its racing activities. On June 2, 2011 Wonderland reopened its simulcast operations at Suffolk Downs.

Chapter 194 of the Acts of 2011 (section 92) has extended greyhound simulcast racing through July 31, 2014.

Raynham 2012 vs 2013 Financial Report

Category	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Live Performances	0	0
Live Handle	0	0
Simulcast Import	\$ 36,198,094	\$ 32,514,421
Simulcast Export	0	0
Total Simulcast	36,198,094	32,514,421
Total Handle	\$ 36,198,094	\$ 32,514,421
Commissions	\$ 539,087.90	\$ 494,358.56
Assessments	121,288.74	124,003.58
Association License Fee	108,300.00	105,900.00
Occupational License Fee	210.00	0
Outstanding Tickets	206,109.58	182,598.88
Fines & Penalties	0.00	0
Miscellaneous?	<u>105.00</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 975,096.52	\$ 906,860.35

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
 Summary of Pari-mutuel Activities at Raynham
 January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 106

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$5,698,932	\$972,886.39
Exotic	26,814,489	6,074,472.11
Total	\$32,514,421	\$7,047,358.50

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	95,947.79
Breaks to CIF	0.00
Minus Breaks	1,612.33
Net Breakage	\$94,335.46

Premiums

Suffolk	\$391,172.01
Plainville	84,238.32
Raynham	0.00
Wendoverland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$475,410.33

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$54,893.99	0.00000	\$440,077.31	\$494,971.30
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	3,849.32	0.00000	46,179.31	50,028.63
Promotional Fund	0.00000	6,722.89	0.00000	58,166.62	64,889.51
Purses	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Breeders	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	16,068.58	0.00000	45,996.72	62,065.30
Premiums	0.00000	127,831.17	0.00000	347,360.73	475,191.90
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	821.69	821.69
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	199,863.50	0.00000	809,228.99	1,009,092.49
Total Fees	0.00000	410,429.52	0.00000	1,747,830.77	2,158,260.29
Retained by Track	0.00000	562,456.87	0.00000	4,326,641.35	4,889,108.22
Total Commission	0.00000	\$972,886.39	0.00000	\$6,074,472.11	\$7,047,358.50

State Commission	\$494,171.30	Promo Fund	\$66,889.51
Daily License Fee	105,900.00	Cap Fund	\$50,028.63
Assessment	120,957.35	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$721,028.65	Stabilization	\$95,947.79

Wonderland 2012 vs. 2013 Financial Report

Category	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>
Live Performances	0	0
Live Handle	0	0
Simulcast Import	5,144,691	4,272,965
Simulcast Export	0	0
Total Simulcast	5,144,691	4,272,965
Total Handle	5,144,691	4,272,965
Commissions	128,617	106,824.13
Assessments	17,275	12,992.58
Association License Fee	98,700	91,800
Occupational License Fee	0.00	0.00
Outstanding Tickets	0.00	10,352.10
Fines & Penalties	0.00	0.00
Miscellaneous	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 244,492.10	\$ 221,969.85

MASSACHUSETTS STATE RACING COMMISSION
Summary of Pari-mutuel Activities at Raynham
January 01, 2013 to December 31, 2013

Type: All Track Groups
 Pools and Commissions

Number of Events: 106

Menu	Pools	Commissions
Win/Place/Show	\$5,699,932	\$972,886.39
Exotic	26,814,489	6,074,472.11
Total	\$32,514,421	17,047,358.50

Distribution of Breaks

Association Breaks	\$0.00
Breaks to Stabilization Fund	95,947.79
Breaks to CIF	0.00
Minus Breaks	1,612.33
Net Breakage	\$94,335.46

Premiums

Suffolk	\$391,172.01
Plainridge	84,238.32
Raynham	0.00
Wendland	0.00
Total Premiums	\$475,410.33

Distribution of Commissions	WPS Take-Out	WPS Comm	Exotic Take-Out	Exotic Comm	Total
State Commission	0.00000	\$54,893.99	0.00000	\$440,077.31	\$494,971.30
Racing Stabilization Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Capital Improvement Fund	0.00000	3,849.32	0.00000	46,179.31	50,028.63
Promotional Fund	0.00000	8,722.89	0.00000	58,166.62	66,889.51
Purses	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Breeders	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
In-State Host Fee	0.00000	16,068.58	0.00000	45,996.72	62,065.30
Premiums	0.00000	127,831.17	0.00000	347,369.73	475,191.90
Tufts Veterinary	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Division of Fairs	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	821.69	821.69
Greyhound Adoption Fund	0.00000	0.00	0.00000	0.00	0.00
Out of State Host Fee	0.00000	199,863.58	0.00000	809,228.99	1,009,092.57
Total Fees	0.00000	410,429.52	0.00000	1,747,830.77	2,158,260.29
Retained by Track	0.00000	562,456.87	0.00000	4,326,641.35	4,889,098.21
Total Commission	0.00000	\$972,886.39	0.00000	\$6,074,472.11	17,047,358.50

State Commission	\$494,171.30	Promo Fund	\$66,889.51
Daily License Fee	105,900.00	Cap Fund	\$50,028.63
Assessment	120,957.35	Grey Adopt	\$0.00
Sub Total	\$721,028.65	Stabilization	\$95,947.79