

DEAR CHAIRMAN DECKER,

I LIVE AND PAY TAXES HERE IN LIMERICK TOWNSHIP AS WELL AS THE GREAT STATE PENNSYLVANIA. I WOULD LIKE YOU AND THE ENTIRE GAME CONTROL BOARD THAT I FULLY SUPPORT THE PROPOSED CASINO, HOTEL, AND CONFERENCE CENTER IN LIMERICK TOWNSHIP.

THIS PROJECT WILL CREATE JOBS AND GENERATE MILLIONS IN ADDITIONAL TAX REVENUES FOR OUR TOWNSHIP, THIS COUNTY AND OUR SCHOOL DISTRICT.

RIISING TAXES ARE A TOP CONCERN FOR MANY RESIDENTS IN LIMERICK AND WE ALL KNOW THAT WE NEED MORE COMMERCIAL PROPERTIES IN OUR COMMUNITY. IN ADDITION, DESPITE WHAT SOME CRITICS ARE SAYING, I DO NOT BELIEVE THAT THIS PROJECT WILL CREATE THE TRAFFIC HEADACHES THEY ANTICIPATE.

BOYO GAMING HAS SAID THEY WILL MAKE A MAJOR INVESTMENT IN IMPROVING THE ROAD INFRASTRUCTURE WHICH I BELIEVE WILL ALLEVIATE ANY TRAFFIC PROBLEM THE CRITICS CAN COME UP WITH.

IT IS TIME WE ALL STOOD BEHIND THIS PROPOSAL. IT IS GOOD FOR LIMERICK, GOOD FOR OUR STATE, GOOD FOR THE REGION, AND GOOD FOR TAXPAYER'S POCKETBOOKS.

PLEASE SUPPORT BOYO GAMING,

SINCERELY.

EUGENE T. GNIAS JR. - A LONG TIME LIMERICK RESIDENT

P.S. - BOYO GAMING KNOWS HOW TO RUN THE GAMING BUSINESS AND I THINK IS THE BEST CHOICE, NOT ONLY FOR LIMERICK, BUT FOR OUR GREAT STATE PENNSYLVANIA.

Richard J. & Florence M. Hendrickson

April 21, 2006

*Mr. Tad Decker, Chairman
Pa. Gaming Control Board
P.O. Box 69060
Harrisburg, PA 17106-9060*

RE: Proposed Casino - Limerick, Pa.

Dear Mr. Decker:

My husband and myself reside on Evergreen Rd. (Lower Pottsgrove Township), directly across the street from where the proposed casino would be located on Evergreen Rd., Limerick Township, Pa. Although we have concerns about exiting our driveway, my husband and I are not opposed to Boyd Gaming Corporation being granted a license to build the proposed casino. My husband and I are of the opinion that even if the casino license is not granted, we are going to have more traffic and possibly more crime with the outlet mall coming in. This would also be true if another housing development were to be built. I am sure that Boyd's would take the necessary steps to make sure the security/policing issues would be of high importance and administered accordingly. Again, we are not opposed to Boyd Gaming Corporation being granted a license for the casino to be located in Limerick Township, Pa.

Very truly yours,

Flo Hendrickson
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Thank you for allowing me to share my opinion.

Respectfully,

Michael J Smith Jr



Michael E. Fisher

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March 18, 2006

Tom Decker, Chairman
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Dear Chairman Decker;

Recently I received a pamphlet from a group against casino gambling, particularly in Limerick Township, Montgomery County. As a resident of Limerick Township living very close to the proposed site I am writing you in *support of a casino*. There are several reasons I see this as a positive impact to the community, township and region. I am in commercial real estate development and have seen how such a seed can mature over the years to benefit all.

First, the group that published the pamphlet does not state who they are or where their financial support is coming from. By hiding their identity it makes me believe that someone with vested interest not to have gambling in Pennsylvania or in Limerick is against this improvement. That interest could be a few people in the township who do not want to see change or casinos from Atlantic City, operators interesting in developing casinos in Philadelphia or even the Cherokee Nation which has spread far beyond their reservation operations in North Carolina. Considering the revenue impact to any of those gambling operators a few dollars spent here or there to stop such development is a wise investment.

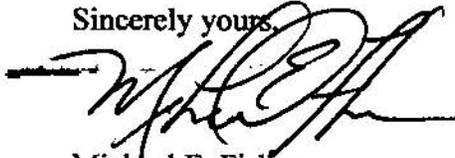
I also believe that the development of the casino in Limerick if done properly will spur commercial development and job growth. I agree with the opposition that a large percentage of the initial jobs would be low or average wages; however as development grows and the industry matures the jobs will become much more substantial. I also see the local tax base improving due to commercial development. Not only will Limerick benefit from a percentage of the revenues collected from the casino the new growth spur by the casino will generate additional revenue for the region.

In the pamphlet it states that the site is not zoned for gambling; does any zoning code in Pennsylvania single out gambling as a permitted use? I've never seen any and I have reviewed many; however I did see a code once permitting brothels in mid-state. Yes, as the code for the brothel has been corrected the same with the local codes will need corrections to address gambling. I would also think a good land use attorney would argue that gaming is covered under entertainment in the code. Another argument is a height variance is needed for the hotel; a height variance had to be given for the Limerick nuclear power plant which is far more dangerous to the community than a hotel ever will be.

You, as the chairman, must also help correct the problems that a casino will cause in the region, especially the infrastructure. If a casino is approve for Limerick, even if it's not, US Rt. 422 must be improved from King of Prussia to Pottstown. A third lane must be added in each direction including the bridge over the Schuylkill River at Valley Forge. I see Pottstown and the surrounding area as the next Conshocken along the Schuylkill due to the intersection of US Route 422 and PA Route 100. Pottstown reaches out with these highways into the Southeastern area of Pennsylvania below Reading within an easy reach of King of Prussia and Philadelphia. There are other issues which must be addressed by the state and the casino operator and corrected.

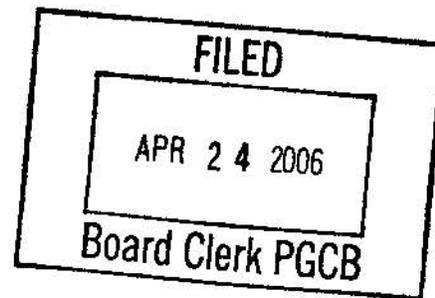
With all that said, *I will state again I'm in support of a Casino in the western Montgomery County.* My only interest is how it will improve and the opportunities it will give the community and region. Feel free to contact me to discuss my views.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael E. Fisher", written over a horizontal line.

Michael E. Fisher

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Dear Members of the PGCB:

I feel compelled to write to you regarding the proposed Casino in Limerick. I have listened to those who favor the Limerick Casino and also to those who oppose it. I have perused available information in an effort to form an educated opinion on the subject.

It would appear to me that the benefits seem to be tangible while the detriments seem to be theoretical.

For example, some of the primary benefits are listed below:

- Increased local employment (construction/maintenance)
- Increased revenue to School District
- Increased tax revenue to Limerick Township
- Increased spending in Limerick Township

If the Casino is built, these are things that **WILL** occur; people WILL spend money in Limerick (not only at the Casino but at the gas stations, convenience stores, etc.), tax revenue WILL be paid, money WILL go to Limerick and to the School District. All tangible benefits.

However, those opposed to the Casino espouse arguments that seem to be more theoretical. For example:

- Increased crime
- Lower property values

No one knows if these things will occur or not. These arguments are purely suppositional and I believe are based in fear.

I know the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board will take all the issues into consideration, but I urge you to separate "fact" from "fear".

I would like to go on record in support of the Casino being built in Limerick Township.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully,

Kathleen C. Ruoss

GENE R. VERDIER

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Board Clerk PGCB

March 28, 2006

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re: Letter in Lieu of hearing testimony
In SUPPORT of Boyd Partners
Limerick, PA. Casino Proposal

Dear Commissioners:

I live within 10 miles of the Limerick site proposed for a Casino by Boyd Partners. I have no financial, family, or other connection/relationship with any interested parties. I have read the controlling Act, and Boyd's proposal (avail. "on line"). I am a retired high school teacher/tractor trailer driver, and have been a local resident for 24 years. I am an occasional recreational gambler.

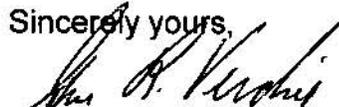
I believe the Boyd proposal superbly meets the purposes expressed in the Act, and would be a major asset to Pa. and this local area. Because Limerick is not currently a "destination location", and lies about 20 miles from the Valley Forge/King of Prussia HUB area, it doesn't normally experience any major congestion now, and could sustain the normally off-peak traffic increases associated with casino operations. Yet the site is close enough to both the Valley Forge Hub, and major population areas to obtain good supporting regular attendance. It is also not far from many of the SE Pa. horse farms which would benefit through the Slots/Casino Act.

The addition of this casino will provide local economic benefits in jobs, increased commerce, and the increase of collateral "tourist" and non-resident spending. It will add a recreation and entertainment venue for local and regional residents that will keep PA. dollars at home, instead of being spent in nearby states. Moreover, because of its location, the site is ideally suited to attract individuals from a wide heavily populated area who are reluctant to travel to, or through, congested hubs and urban areas.

This stand alone casino at Limerick would not be anti-competitive to other recreation-entertainment and business ventures, and casino slot locations in other regions of the state, making this site an excellent choice for the Commission to meet the objectives of the Act.

I firmly and enthusiastically support the Boyd Partners proposal.

Sincerely yours,



Gene R. Verdier

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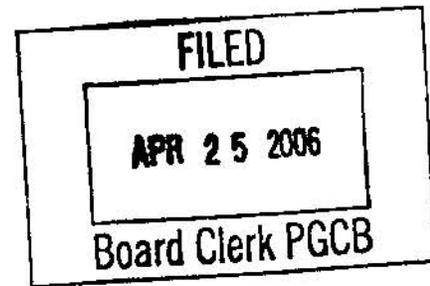
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Respectfully,

Linda & Steve Bandura

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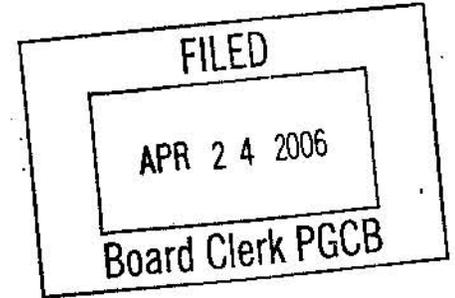
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Respectfully,

Andy Zercher

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Dear Members of the PGCB:

I know that the Pennsylvania Gaming Control Board will be hearing many differing opinions about the Limerick Casino. I wanted to take a moment to let you know how I feel about this project.

~~I could list the perceived pros and cons of the Limerick-Casino, but as a resident of the~~ Limerick area, I simply feel that it would be nice to have the option to go do something entertaining that is close to home. I am not talking strictly about the slots parlor but also the venue for concerts or perhaps comedians, shows that I would go see. In addition there would be the stores and restaurants. As it stands now, I have to travel far outside of the Limerick area to enjoy anything of an entertaining nature.

So when the PGCB is presented with all the charts and statistic, numbers and calculations, please just remember this; those that are opposed to the Casino simply DO NOT have to go to it, but they should NOT have the right to take that option away from those of us who would like the availability of such a complex.

I support having the Casino built in Limerick Township!

Thank you.

Respectfully,

Brett A Davis