

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-0727-03

A RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE CITY OF MAPLE PLAIN POLICY FOR THE USE OF LAWFUL GAMBLING CONTRIBUTION FUNDS

WHEREAS, the City of Maple Plain receives lawful gambling contribution funds pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Chapter 349; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that public safety services are among the highest priorities for protecting the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Maple Plain; and

WHEREAS, at a City Council workshop, the City Council reviewed the potential use of lawful gambling contribution funds and determined that such funds should be dedicated exclusively to eligible public safety purposes; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to formally establish a policy governing the use of lawful gambling contribution funds received by the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Maple Plain, Minnesota, as follows:

Section 1. Purpose.

The purpose of this Resolution is to establish the City's policy regarding the expenditure of lawful gambling contribution funds received by the City.

Section 2. Exclusive Use for Public Safety.

All lawful gambling contribution funds received by the City of Maple Plain shall be used exclusively for eligible public safety purposes as authorized by Minnesota law. Such purposes may include, but are not limited to:

- Police vehicles, equipment, technology, and facilities;
- Fire apparatus, vehicles, equipment, training, and facilities;
- Emergency medical services equipment and training;
- Emergency communications systems;
- Emergency preparedness and emergency management activities;
- Public safety capital improvements; and
- Other public safety expenditures permitted by law.

Section 3. Council Authority.

The City Council retains sole discretion regarding the appropriation and expenditure of lawful gambling contribution funds and may determine the timing and specific public safety purposes for which such funds are used.

Section 4. Effective Date.

This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption and shall remain in effect until amended or rescinded by the City Council.

Adopted by the City Council of the City of Maple Plain, Minnesota, this 27th day of July, 2026.

CITY OF MAPLE PLAIN

Julie M. Maas-Kusske, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jacob W. Schillander
City Administrator