



# City of Grand Forks Staff Report

Committee of the Whole – July 28, 2025  
City Council – August 4, 2025

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**Agenda Item: Application from Grand Forks Children’s Museum Inc for site authorization at Rhombus Guys**

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**Submitted by:** Sherie Lundmark, City Clerk  
Maureen Storstad, Finance Director

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**Staff Recommended Action:** Review and take action on request

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**Committee Recommended Action:** Motion by Osowski, second by Berg to move item to City Council with a recommendation to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

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**Council Action:**

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## **BACKGROUND:**

Grand Forks Children’s Museum, Inc. has submitted an application for a site authorization at Rhombus Guys, 312 Kittson Ave . Rhombus Guys Holdings, Inc holds a Class 4 (Food Beverage) Alcoholic Beverage License. Matt Winjum, on behalf of Rhombus Guys Holdings, Inc., has requested to add gaming in a designated 21+ bar area on their second floor at the end of the bar. City Council approval is required for new site authorizations.

## **ANALYSIS AND FINDINGS OF FACT:**

- Grand Forks Children’s Museum, Inc. has submitted application for a site authorization at Rhombus Guys. Grand Forks Children’s Museum currently has been approved for three general gaming sites within Grand Forks: Las Delicias De La Abuela, Sledster’s and Kasper’s Bar.
- ND Century Code allows gaming within businesses that have on-sale alcoholic beverage licenses. No minors are allowed within areas that gaming is allowed.
- Rhombus Guys Holdings, Inc hold a Class 4 alcoholic beverage license, which includes on-sale service of alcohol. City Code allows for gaming in a Class 4 establishment, within a designated 21+ bar area that is 800 sq. ft. or less. The proposed area meets the requirement in City Code.
- Under Century Code, City Council has the authority to approve which charities holding a state gaming license are allowed to hold site authorizations within the community. City Council also has the authority to approve the location at which the organizations can operate.
- Once initially approved, renewals of site authorizations are processed administratively.

## **SUPPORT MATERIALS:**

- Site Authorization application from Grand Forks Children’s Museum, Inc.
- Email from Matt Winjum requesting addition of gaming at Rhombus Guys
- Map depicting gaming area.



**GAMING SITE AUTHORIZATION**  
 ND OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL  
 SFN 17996 (4-2023)

G - \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Site License Number  
 (Attorney General Use Only)

Full, Legal Name of Gaming Organization  
**Grand Forks Children's Museum**

This organization is authorized to conduct games of chance under the license granted by the North Dakota Attorney General at the following location

Name of Location  
**Rhombus Guys**

Street <b>312 Kittson Ave</b>	City <b>Grand Forks</b>	ZIP Code <b>58203</b>	County <b>GF</b>
Beginning Date(s) Authorized <b>08/01/2025</b>	Ending Date(s) Authorized <b>06/30/2026</b>	Number of Twenty-One tables, if zero, enter "0" <b>0</b>	

Specific location where games of chance will be conducted and played at the site (required)  
**2nd Floor, right next to the bar**

If conducting Raffle or Poker activity provide date(s) or month(s) of the event(s) if known

**RESTRICTIONS FOR CITY/COUNTY USE ONLY**

The organization **must** provide the City/County a list of game types included in their Internal Control Manual and have the manual available upon request. The manual must thoroughly explain each game type to be conducted. The City/County can only approve these games at the site.

**ACTIVITY TO BE CONDUCTED** Please check all applicable games to be conducted at site (required)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bingo                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Club Special                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Sports Pools             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>ELECTRONIC</b> Quick Shot Bingo    | <input type="checkbox"/> Tip Board                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Twenty-One               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Raffles                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Seal Board                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Poker                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>ELECTRONIC</b> 50/50 Raffle        | <input type="checkbox"/> Punchboard                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Calcuttas                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pull Tab Jar                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Prize Board                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Paddlewheel with Tickets |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pull Tab Dispensing Device | <input type="checkbox"/> Prize Board Dispensing Device | <input type="checkbox"/> Paddlewheel Table        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>ELECTRONIC</b> Pull Tab Device     |  |   |

Days of week of gaming operations (if restricted) \_\_\_\_\_ Hours of gaming (if restricted) \_\_\_\_\_

If any information above is false, it is subject to administrative action on behalf of the State of North Dakota Office of Attorney General

**APPROVALS**

Attorney General	Date
Signature of City/County Official	Date
PRINT Name and official position of person signing on behalf of city/county above	

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

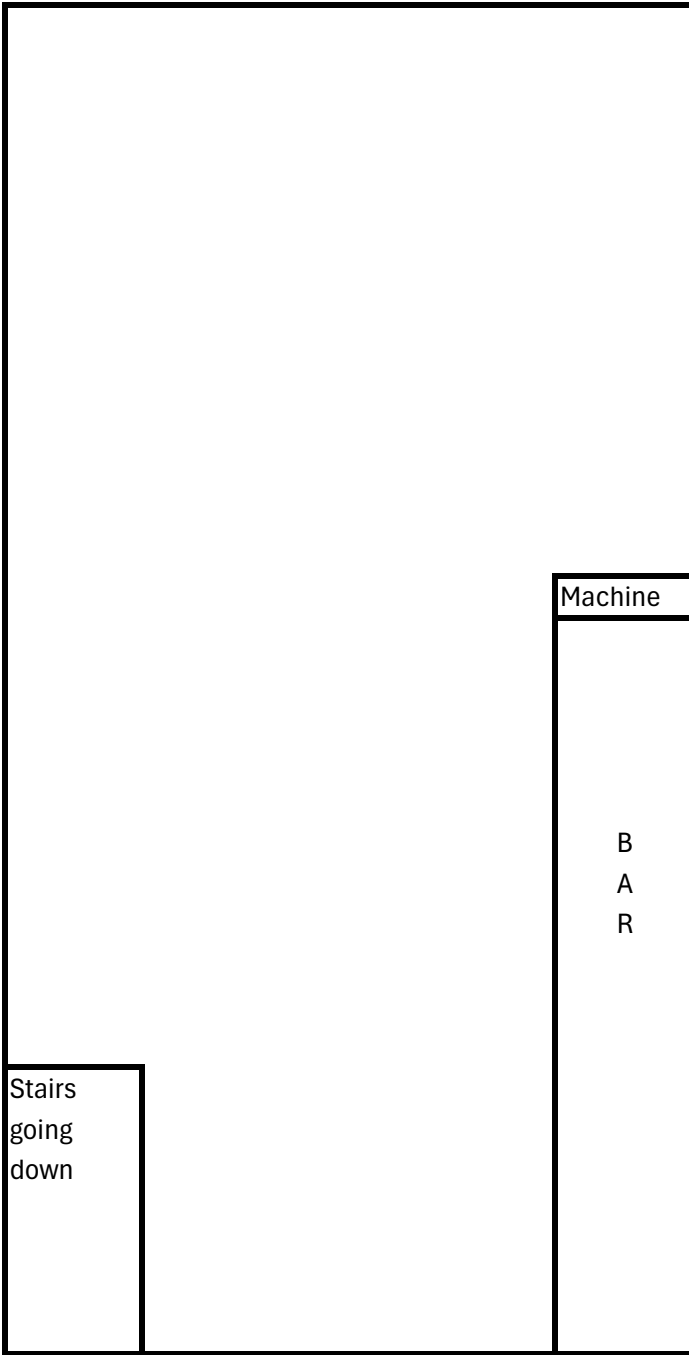
1. City/County - Retain a **copy** of the Site Authorization for your files.
2. City/County - Return the **original** Site Authorization form to the Organization.
3. Organizations - Send the **original, signed**, Site Authorization to the Office of Attorney General with any other applicable licensing forms for final approval

**RETURN ALL DOCUMENTS TO:**

Office of Attorney General  
 Licensing Section  
 600 E Boulevard Ave, Dept. 125  
 Bismarck, ND 58505-0040  
 Telephone: 701-328-2329 OR 800-326-9240

# Rhombus Guys

Second floor



**From:** Matt Winjum <>  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 24, 2025 1:02:25 PM  
**To:** Kate Slominski <[kates@gfchildrensmuseum.com](mailto:kates@gfchildrensmuseum.com)>  
**Cc:** Matt Winjum <[mwinjum@rhombusguys.com](mailto:mwinjum@rhombusguys.com)>  
**Subject:** Children's Museum

To whom it may concern,

My name is Matt Winjum, and I am one of the owners of Rhombus Guys. We would like to offer some charitable gaming at our pizza place in Grand Forks. We want the proceeds to support the Children's Museum as this is an important project to us. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks

Matt