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\$1,000,000 Mega Millions Ticket Sold in Kaukauna

Million-dollar winning ticket part of record setting drawing

MADISON, Wis. – As the [Mega Millions](#) jackpot climbed to record-setting levels last week, a lucky Wisconsin player won \$1,000,000 in the Friday, July 29, 2022, drawing. The winning ticket was purchased at **Lighthouse Corner**, 1005 Crooks Ave., in Kaukauna. The winner has not yet come forward to claim their prize.

"We are so excited," said Lighthouse Corner co-owner, Evelyn Defatte-Singh. "I was the one who sold him the winning ticket. The winner is a regular, local customer and we're thrilled for him and his family."

For Friday's drawing, a single, jackpot-winning ticket of \$1.337 billion was sold in Illinois. The winning ticket ended as the second-highest *Mega Millions* jackpot and third largest jackpot prize in United States history.

Nationally, the Friday *Mega Millions* drawing produced 14,391,740 winning tickets including 26 second-tier winners of at least \$1 million. In total, this run of 30 draws (since April 29) resulted in:

- 68 total second-tier winning tickets of at least \$1 million (33 of 68 with the Megaplier)
- 1,062 third-tier winning tickets of at least \$10,000 (203 of 1,062 with the Megaplier)
- 42.5 million total winning tickets across all prize tiers

Wisconsin Lottery retailers who sell winning tickets over \$599 receive a two percent incentive. For selling the \$1 million *Mega Millions* ticket, Lighthouse Corner will receive \$20,000.

Mega Millions tickets are \$2 per play. Tickets are sold in 45 states, the District of Columbia, and the U.S. Virgin Islands. *Mega Millions* drawings are Tuesdays and Fridays at 10 p.m. Tickets must be purchased before 9 p.m. on Tuesday and Friday to be included in that day's drawing. The overall odds of winning a prize are 1 in 24 and the odds of winning the *Mega Millions* jackpot are 1 in 302,575,350.

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- More than \$17 billion in total revenue
- Over \$9.7 billion in prizes paid
- More than \$5.1 billion in funding for property tax credits to eligible Wisconsin homeowners

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