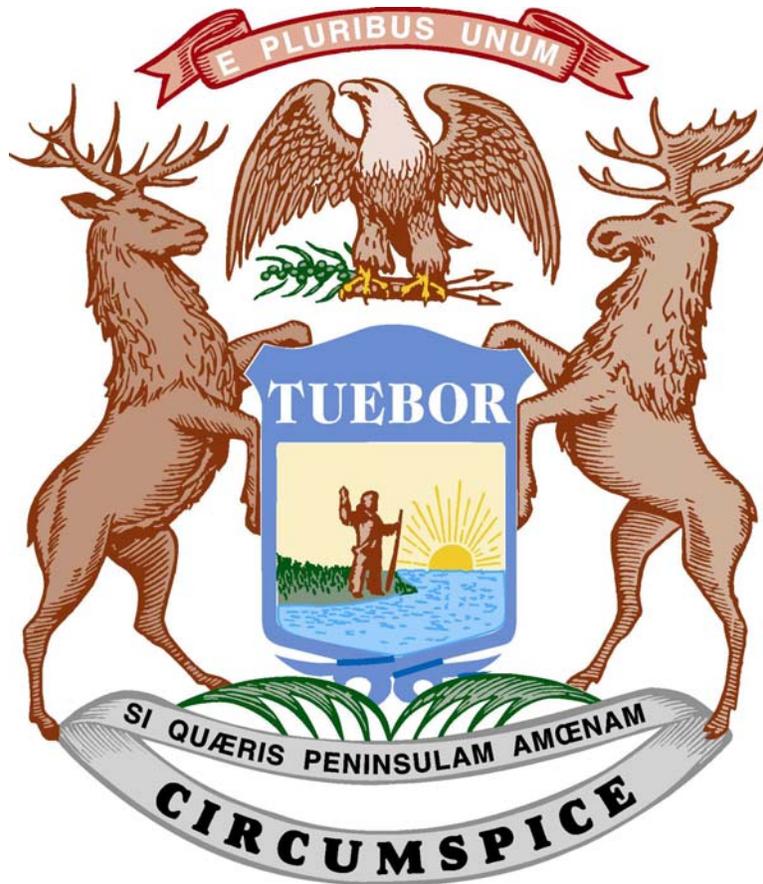


# Receipts and Distribution of Indian Casino Revenue by Local Revenue Sharing Boards 2006



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Section 973 (5) of Public Act 345 of 2006 requires Treasury to report to the House and Senate Appropriations Committees and the State Budget Director on the receipts and distribution of Indian Casino revenues by local revenue sharing boards (local government units).

Under the Consent Judgement, the seven tribes who signed the August 1993 Tribal-State Gaming Compact are required to pay 2 percent of their electronic video gaming and slot machine profits to local units of government in the immediate vicinity of each tribal casino.

Under the December 1998 Compact agreement, the four tribes who gained the right to open a casino in Michigan, Little River Band of Ottawa, Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa, Nottawaseppi Huron Band of Potawatomi, and Pokagon Band of Potawatomi, are required to pay 2 percent of their electronic video gaming and slot machine profits to the Local Revenue Sharing Board. The Local Revenue Sharing Board's sole function is to determine and make allocations of the tribal payments to all local units of government that incur costs for hosting the casinos.

In 2006, nine tribes operated casinos in Michigan, under either the 1993 or 1998 Compact. Historical data on the 2 percent payment made by these tribes to their respective local units of government was obtained from the Michigan Gaming Control Board (MGCB) website ([http://www.michigan.gov/documents/2\\_percent\\_Payments\\_76617\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/2_percent_Payments_76617_7.pdf), 05/14/2007 release).

From 1994 through 2006, Native American Tribes operating casinos in Michigan have made total payments of \$170.2 million to local units of government. In 2006, those payments were over \$17.5 million.

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**Table 1**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**1994 to 2006**

<u>Year</u>	<u>Bay Mills Indian Community</u>	<u>Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians</u>	<u>Hannahville Indian Community</u>	<u>Keweenaw Bay Indian Community</u>	<u>Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa</u>	<u>Little River Band of Ottawa Indians</u>	<u>Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians</u>	<u>Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe</u>	<u>Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians</u>	<u>Total Payments</u>
1994	\$30,218	\$369,552	\$220,035	\$206,001	\$94,985	n.a.	n.a.	\$1,696,111	\$984,321	\$3,601,223
1995	154,587	541,252	293,201	360,407	131,946	n.a.	n.a.	3,388,876	1,710,403	\$6,580,674
1996	358,282	829,460	334,616	391,579	152,551	n.a.	n.a.	4,177,890	2,030,778	\$8,275,156
1997	388,091	1,168,407	353,091	510,129	282,522	n.a.	n.a.	5,493,602	1,851,505	\$10,047,347
1998	471,124	1,699,952	347,644	467,178	308,392	n.a.	n.a.	6,659,672	2,018,592	\$11,972,553
1999	481,454	1,830,855	554,543	503,557	307,166	337,155	n.a.	7,362,008	2,114,801	\$13,491,540
2000	478,992	1,799,013	592,396	555,265	328,213	1,189,043	599,421	7,353,827	1,978,515	\$14,874,685
2001	488,297	1,908,023	632,746	583,549	350,243	1,484,142	839,415	7,150,869	2,004,084	\$15,441,367
2002	532,809	1,983,770	694,402	594,198	400,464	1,715,218	978,898	7,683,494	1,932,658	\$16,515,912
2003	528,220	1,827,910	707,674	624,866	447,648	1,955,582	1,338,605	7,716,455	1,913,192	\$17,060,152
2004	561,724	1,865,481	738,641	627,800	466,167	2,129,030	1,079,947	7,726,614	1,926,099	\$17,121,504
2005	572,540	1,887,741	931,032	673,472	504,480	2,140,802	1,137,338	7,732,270	1,960,729	\$17,540,404
2006	622,334	1,807,757	937,561	591,597	527,766	2,167,563	1,103,976	7,899,976	1,982,291	\$17,640,821
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$5,668,672</b>	<b>\$19,519,174</b>	<b>\$7,337,583</b>	<b>\$6,689,597</b>	<b>\$4,302,543</b>	<b>\$13,118,536</b>	<b>\$7,077,601</b>	<b>\$82,041,664</b>	<b>\$24,407,968</b>	<b>\$170,163,337</b>

Source:

. Data for 1994 through 2005: from Michigan Gaming Control Board (MGCB) webpage, 05/14/2007 version of 2% Payment to Local Governments table.

Data for 2006: from Tribes and the Local Revenue Sharing Boards.

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**Table 2**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts**

<b>Tribes</b>	<b>2006</b>		
	1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	Total Payments
Bay Mills (1)	n.a.	n.a.	\$622,334
Grand Traverse	\$807,928	\$999,829	\$1,807,757
Hannahville	\$456,156	\$481,405	\$937,561
Keweenaw Bay	\$343,499	\$248,097	\$591,597
Lac Vieux Desert (1)	n.a.	n.a.	\$527,766
Little River	\$1,013,458	\$1,154,104	\$2,167,563
Little Traverse Bay	\$565,596	\$538,380	\$1,103,976
Saginaw Chippewa (1)	n.a.	n.a.	\$7,899,976
Sault Ste. Marie	\$881,629	\$1,100,661	\$1,982,291
<b>Total Payments</b>	<b>\$4,068,267</b>	<b>\$4,522,478</b>	<b>\$17,640,821</b>

Note:

(1). Tribe did not provide data on semi-annual payments, only on total payments for 2006.

Source:

. Native American Tribes, and Local Revenue Sharing Boards.

**Table 3**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Bay Mills Indian Community</u>	<u>Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	n.a.	n.a.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	n.a.	n.a.
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$622,334</b>	<b>\$7,899,978</b>
<b><u>Distribution</u></b>		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$622,334</b>	<b>\$7,899,976</b>
Bay Mills Township	\$155,583	
Superior Township	155,583	
Chippewa County	155,583	
Ambulance Service	155,583	
Isabella/Gratiot RESD & Special Education		\$28,689
City of Mt. Pleasant		698,300
Isabella County		3,139,351
Chippewa Township		168,499
Deerfield Township		97,519
Denver Township		95,519
Isabella Township		417,519
Nottawa Township		47,519
Union Township		30,000
Wise Township		168,660
Village of Rosebush		100,000
Village of Shepherd		82,265
Beal City Public Schools		221,339
Chippewa Hills Public Schools		67,540
Mt. Pleasant Public Schools		2,086,211
Shepherd Public Schools		451,046

Source: Bay Mills Indian Community.  
Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe

**Table 4**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

**Grand Traverse Band of  
Ottawa and Chippewa**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Indians</u>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$807,928		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$999,829		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,807,757</b>	<b>Total Distribution</b>	<b>\$1,807,757</b>
Addiction Treatment Services	\$10,000	Grand Traverse Area Catholic Schools	12,500
Acme Township	25,000	Grand Traverse Co. Conservation Resource Alliance	30,000
Alba School	15,000	Grand Traverse Co. Road Commission	50,000
American Red Cross of NW MI	30,000	Grand Traverse Dyslexia Association	5,000
Antrim County	12,775	Hayes Township	10,000
Beaver Island Community Development Corp.	15,000	Junior Achievement of the MI Great Lakes	10,000
Beaver Island Community School	15,500	Land Information Access Assoc. For Fresh Food Part.	20,000
Beaver Island Lighthouse School	9,000	Leelanau County	150,000
Beaver Island Preservation Association	25,000	Leelanau Co. Construction Code Office	60,000
Benzie County	43,800	Leelanau Co. Family CC/Leelanau Co. Bd. Of Comm.	39,880
Benzie County Chamber of Commerce	10,000	Leelanau Co. Office of Emergency Mngmnt.	4,000
Benzie County Park & Recreation Commission	10,000	Leelanau Co. Planning & Community Develop.	38,000
Benzie County Rd Commission	10,000	Leelanau Peninsula HS/TBAISD	15,650
Benzie County Schools	25,000	Leelanau REACH	22,278
Benzie County Sheriff's Office	10,000	MI Land Use Institute	\$15,000
Benzie Housing Council	7,650	Northwest Michigan Council of Government	5,000
Big Brothers/Big Sisters of NW MI	30,000	Northport Public Schools	30,000
Blair Library Committee	5,000	Planned Parenthood, N. MI	10,000
Champion Tree Project International	10,000	Senior Companion Program	10,000
Charlevoix County	22,775	Sheriff's Dept.	20,000
Charlevoix Pub. Schools, Title VII Program	37,000	Suttons Bay Police Dept./Village of Suttons Bay	30,000
Charlevoix Senior Center	15,000	Suttons Bay Pub. Library	7,000
Child & Family Serv.NW MI/Leelanau Co. Bd. Of Comm.	15,000	Suttons Bay Pub. Schools	110,650
City of Frankfort	20,650	Suttons Bay Village	15,000
City of Traverse City	10,000	TBAISD	15,000
City of Traverse City Senior Center	44,450	TCAPS	32,614
Colorado Challenge	8,000	The Father Fred Foundation	65,000
E. Jordan Pub. Schools, Title VII Program	13,000	The Goodwill Inn	30,000
Elk Rapids Pub. Schools	34,000	Traverse City Area Pub. Schools	176,500
Elk Rapids Twp. Fire Dept.	15,577	Traverse City At-Risk Boxing	10,000
Forest Area Community Schools	13,000	Traverse City Junior Golf Association	26,400
Frankfort City Fire Dept.	6,500	Village of Benzonia	15,000
Frankfort Elberta Area School District	10,600	Whitewater Township	30,000
Grand Traverse County	83,009	Women's Resource Ctr. for the GT Area	20,000

Source: The Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians.

**Table 5**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Hannahville Indian Community</u>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$456,156		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$481,405		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$937,561</b>	<b>Total Distribution</b>	<b>\$937,561</b>
Delta County	\$244,571	Nadeau Township	2,504
Menominee County	67,667	Nahma Township	5,000
Menominee County Road Comm.	50,000	Spaulding Township	20,000
City of Escanaba	24,116	Stephenson Township	3,106
City of Gladstone	25,000	Bark River Harris School	206,199
City of Menominee	17,808	Big Bay de Noc School District	13,144
Bark River Township	42,500	Carney Nadeau Public School	39,000
Dagget Township	2,900	Escanaba Area Public Schools	3,800
Ensign Township	2,495	Gladstone Public Schools	9,140
Ford River Township	50,000	Nah Tah Wahsh Pub. School Acad.	40,365
Gourley Township	20,215	North Central Area School District	15,355
Harris Township	2,500	North Menominee Schools	25,061
Masonville Township	5,115		

Source: Hannahville Indian Community.

**Table 6**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Chippewa</u>	<u>Keweenaw Bay Indian Community</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	n.a.	\$343,499
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	n.a.	\$248,097
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$527,766</b>	<b>\$591,597</b>
 <u>Distribution</u>  		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$527,766</b>	<b>\$591,597</b>
Watersmeet Township	\$343,661	
Watersmeet School	110,467	
Gogebic County Sheriff's Dept	500	
McMillan Township	40,000	
Stannard Township	10,000	
Interior Township	11,138	
Iron County Treasurer	12,000	
Baraga Area Schools		\$48,548
Baraga Co Treasurer		40,293
Baraga Township		38,613
L'Anse Area Schools		24,245
L'Anse Township		2,746
Village Of Baraga		87,487
Village of L'Anse		2,026
Chocolay Township		176,951
City of Ishpeming		10,000
County of Marquette		114,989
Gwinn Area Schools		5,000
City of Marquette		25,700
Sands Twp		15,000

Source: Lac Vieux Desert Band of Lake Superior Indians.  
Keweenaw Bay Tribal Community.

**Table 7**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Little River Band of Ottawa Indians</u>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$1,013,458		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$1,154,104		
<b>Total *</b>	<b>\$2,167,563</b>	<b>Total Distribution *</b>	<b>\$2,286,751</b>
Arcadia Township	\$20,000	Manistee ISD	\$98,541
Bear Lake/KND/Onkama Schools	57,000	Manistee Township	84,067
Bear Lake Twp. Fire & Rescue	3,760	Manistee Twp. Fire Dept.	10,000
Charter Twp. Of Filer	31,514	Marilla Township	10,000
City of Manistee & Filer Charter Twp. Fire Dept.	14,000	Onkama Twp.	8,248
City of Manistee	40,000	Onkama Twp. Fire Dept.	12,000
City of Manistee Police	13,000	SSCENT	10,850
City of Manistee Fire Department	10,000	Springdale Twp.	18,000
Grant Twp.	5,250	Stronach Twp. Fire Dept.	36,000
Manistee Area Public Schools	993,585	Village of Copemish	10,935
Manistee Co. Council on Aging	21,950	Village of East Lake	5,000
Manistee Co. Humane Society	8,700	West Shore Community College	146,978
Manistee Co. Blacker Airport	27,500	West Shore Medical Center	28,500
Manistee Co. Firefighters Assoc.	30,000	Administration	71,587
Manistee Co. Medical Care Facility	51,181		
Manistee Co. Road Commission	10,000		
Manistee Co. Sheriff Dept.	12,225		
Manistee County	386,380		

Note: \* Due to a 6 month delay from the time payments are received until the time they are distributed, the actual revenue and expenses do not balance.

Totals include audit adjustment payments, administrative and legal fees, and other miscellaneous expenses.

Source: Manistee Local Revenue Sharing Board.

**Table 8**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians</u>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$565,596		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$538,380		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,103,976</b>	<b>Total Distribution</b>	<b>\$1,095,971</b>
4-H Animal Husbandry	\$2,300	Lakeview Academy	\$100,000
Alanson Littlefield Fire Board	78,624	Levering Seniors	7,000
Allied E.M.S.	37,555	Little Traverse Conservancy	25,000
Bay Bluffs-Emmet County MCF	10,000	Little Traverse Humane Society	8,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters of NW MI	5,000	Manna Project	20,000
Boyne Area Hockey Association	1,600	MSU Extension	4,000
Camp Dagget	10,000	North Central MI College Foundation	30,100
Carp Lake Twp Fire Department	8,700	Northern Community Mediation	2,965
CCE Central Dispath	35,000	Northern MI Hospital Foundation	10,000
Child and Family Services of NW Michigan	12,500	Northern MI Master Gardener Program	4,800
Christ Child Society of Northern Michigan	2,700	Northwest MI Community Health Agency	13,600
Class of 2006 Senior Parent Committee	2,000	Oden Community Association	12,000
Community Free Clinic	11,160	Pellston All Sports Boosters	10,000
Conservation Resource Alliance	6,250	Pellston Dept. of Public Safety	31,680
COATS	34,300	Pellston Fire Dept.	4,000
Emmet Conservation District	5,000	Pellston Youth Soccer Association	20,000
Emmet County 4-H	5,000	Planned Parenthood	3,500
Emmet County Search & Rescue	5,000	Readmond-Friendship Firefighters Assn.	10,000
Emmet County Sheriff's Dept.	74,826	Resort-Bear Creek Fire Dept.	50,000
Emmet County Sheriff's Dept. SANE	66,921	SPIRIT Day Camp	10,000
Friendship Centers of Emmet County	12,350	Springvale Township Fire Dept.	12,000
Great North Pop Warner Football/Cheer	2,500	Stepping Stones to School Alliance	5,000
Hammerhead Swim Club	6,000	Top of MI Trails Council	5,200
Harbor Hall, Inc.	40,000	Village of Alanson	3,500
Harbor Springs Area Fire Dept.	15,670	Village of Mackinaw City	27,020
Harbor Springs SK8 Park	1,000	Village of Pellston	7,000
Holy Childhood Community Day Care	1,150	YMCA of Northern MI	19,500
Hospice of Little Traverse Bay	10,000	Administration	123,287
Jr. Achievement of the MI Great Lakes	13,713		

Source: Emmet County Local Revenue Sharing Board.

**Table 9**  
**Indian Casinos Revenue to Local Governments**  
**2006 Receipts and Distribution**

<u>Receipts</u>	<u>Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians</u>		
1 <sup>st</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$881,629		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Semi-Annual Payment	\$1,100,661		
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,982,291</b>	<b>Total Distribution</b>	<b>\$1,982,291</b>
Alger County	\$39,564	Mackinac County Sheriff Dept.	22,500
Alger County - MSU Extension	3,200	Manistique Area Schools	10,000
Alger County Sheriff's Office	16,000	Manistique Township	7,000
Autrain Township	5,000	Manistique, City of	5,000
Big Bay De Noc School	10,000	Maple Ridge Township	1,200
Brevort Township	17,500	Marquette Area Public Schools (MAPS)	10,000
Bruce Township	19,883	Marquette County	5,000
Chippewa County	67,500	Marquette County Sheriff Dept	6,000
Chippewa County Health Dept.	19,774	Marquette, City of	15,000
Chippewa County Sheriff Department	50,000	Moran Township School District	16,500
City of Mackinac Island	73,057	Munising Public Schools	40,125
City of Manistique	12,870	Munising Township	10,000
Clark Township	22,000	Munising Volunteer Fire Department	3,570
Consolidated Community Schools	86,372	Munising, City of	20,000
Delta County Sheriff Department	16,000	Negaunee Public Schools	10,000
DeTour Village	10,000	Northern Michigan University	23,200
Doyle Township	5,000	Pickford Public Schools	5,000
Drummond Island Township	15,000	Portage Township	5,000
Engadine Consolidated Schools	10,157	Raber Township	10,000
Escanaba Area Public Schools	10,000	Rapid River Public Schools - Indian Educ.	10,000
Escanaba, City of	26,000	Rudyard Area Schools	10,000
Gladstone Area Public Schools	5,000	Rudyard Area Schools	18,200
Garden Township Fire Dept.	5,370	Sault Area Public Schools	83,934
Garfield Township	10,000	Sault Ste. Marie, City of	300,000
Germfask Township	5,000	Schoolcraft County	5,000
Gladstone Area Public Schools	9,600	Schoolcraft County / MSU Ext. Office	3,000
Gwinn Area Community Schools	10,000	Schoolcraft County Sheriff	20,835
Hendricks Township	5,000	Skandia/Westbranch Township	10,716
Hudson Township	5,000	St. Ignace Area Schools	25,900
Hulbert Township	5,000	St. Ignace Rec & Comm Center	239,968
Inwood Township	5,000	St. Ignace Township	20,000
Ishpeming Public Schools	10,000	St. Ignace, City of	105,318
Kinross Charter Township	97,500	Sugar Island Township	3,000
Lake Superior State University	70,360	Tahquamenon Area Schools	2,000
Les Cheneaux Community Schools	5,000	Township of Burt	4,000
Luce County	17,118	Village of DeTour	7,500
Luce County Sheriff Department	17,000	Village of Garden	3,500
Mackinac County	30,500	West Branch Twp, Recreation Dept	6,478
Mackinac County 92nd District Court	14,000	Westbranch Township	16,522

Source: Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa.