

**PUBLIC MEETING OF THE ARIZONA LOTTERY**  
Commission Minutes of March 19, 2026, Meeting

**PRESIDING** Chair Jeff Weintraub (Virtual)

**COMMISSIONERS** Chair Jeff Weintraub, Vice Chair Todd Newman, Commissioner Tereza Fritz, Commissioner Shannon Scheel, and Commissioner Mario Aniles (Virtual)

**LOTTERY** Director Alec Thomson, Chief Legal Officer Kome Akpolo, Chief of Staff May Mgbolu, Chief Sales Officer Tonya Beenders, and Director of Finance Administration Andy Buckler (Virtual), and Chief Operations Officer Todd Terrell (In Person)

Anna Hunt, Cydeni Carter, Orion Steen, and Scott Heller (In Person)

Attorney General Representative Pam Peiser and Legislative & Tribal Liaison Fausto Burrueal (In Person)

**PUBLIC**

**Call to Order**

1. **Call for Quorum:** Pursuant to the Public Notice dated March 16, 2026, the Public Meeting of the Arizona State Lottery Commission was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Chair Jeff Weintraub. A quorum was present, with Vice-Chair Newman, Commissioner Scheel, Commissioner Fritz, and Commissioner Aniles (Virtual).
2. **Notice:** Notice was posted by I'sjahnell Dunson on March 16, 2026, at 3:20 p.m., at the Arizona State Lottery, located at 4740 E. University Dr., Phoenix, Arizona.
3. **Approval of Minutes:** Chair Jeff Weintraub entertained a motion to approve the February 19, 2026, Public Meeting Minutes. Commissioner Scheel moved; Vice Chair Newman seconded. The vote was unanimous, with all Commission Members present voting aye. The motion carried.

**Agency Report**

1. Executive Report – Presented by Director Thomson
  - a. Legislative Update presented by Fausto Burrueal
  - b. Games for Approval presented by Director Thomson
2. Financial Report – Presented by Andy Buckler
3. Responsible Gaming Update – Presented by Kome Akpolo

**New Business**

1. Chair Weintraub asked if any members of the public wanted to address the Commission regarding new Instant Scratch game profiles:
  - *Lucky Dog* #1542
  - *Loteria Grande* #1545
  - *Spooky Loot* #1547
  - *Perfect 10s* #1549

- *Crossword #1550*

There was no response. In accordance with A.R.S. §5-554(C), Chair Weintraub entertained a motion to approve the orders and authorize the Director to issue the orders regarding new Instant Scratch game profiles #1542, #1545, #1547, #1549 and #1550. Commissioner Fritz moved; Commissioner Aniles seconded. The vote was unanimous, with all Commission Members present voting aye. The motion carried.

2. Chair Weintraub asked if any members of the public wanted to address the Commission regarding amended Instant Scratch game profile:

- *Tic Tac Toe Bonus #1540*

There was no response. In accordance with A.R.S. §5-554(C), Chair Weintraub entertained a motion to approve the orders and authorize the Director to issue the orders regarding amended Instant Scratch game profile #1540. Commissioner Fritz moved; Commissioner Scheel seconded. The vote was unanimous, with all Commission Members present voting aye. The motion carried.

### **Call to the Public**

Chair Weintraub invited members of the public to speak before the commission. There was no response.

### **Announcements**

The next meeting is scheduled to be Virtual on Thursday, April 16, 2026, at 10:00 a.m. Members of the public may access the meeting room located at 4740 E. University Dr., Phoenix, AZ 85034. The meeting room will be open 15 minutes prior to the start of the meeting and will remain accessible for the full duration of all public sessions, whether virtual or in person.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 10:22 a.m.

### **Materials**

A copy of the agenda and background material provided to Commission members, which is not exempt by law from public inspection, is available for public inspection at least 24 hours in advance of the meeting at the Lottery Office located at 4740 East University Drive, Phoenix, Arizona.

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*The Commission reserves the right to change the order of items on the agenda.*