

# Harrah's Casino & Hotel-Joliet

Location: Joliet, Illinois

Year Opened: 1993

Employees: 781

Visitors in 2018 1.3 million

2018 state share of tax revenue generated: \$49.5 million

2018 local share of state tax revenue: \$10.2 million



## The local share of tax money from Harrah's Casino-Joliet has funded:

- \* \$10 million for Joliet Area Historical Museum
  - \* \$5 million for West Side branch of Joliet Public Library
  - \* A decrease in monthly sewer and water rates
  - \* Rebate of city tax to seniors on utility bills.
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## Harrah's Casino-Joliet charitable donations to the community include:

- \* Community Relations-
  - \* Participation in weekly meals on Wheels program
  - \* Participation in the annual Wish Upon a Star Foundation's Joliet Easter Parade
  - \* Participation in the American Cancer Society's Joliet Relay For Life and Making Strides Against Breast Cancer
- \* Supporting the services of Guardian Angel Community Services, Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Will-Grundy Counties, Easter Seals Joliet Region, Joliet Area Community Hospice, MorningStar Mission Ministries, Inc., Will-Grundy Medical Center, University of St. Francis, Will County Center for Community Concerns, Will-Grundy Center for Independent Living and Lamb's Fold, Joliet Park District, March of Dimes Joliet Region, Senior Services Center, of Will County and Northern Illinois Food Bank
- \* Partnering with Joliet-Will County Center for Economic Development, Will County Habitat For Humanity, Midwin National Tallgrass Prairie and Forest Preserve District of Will County
- \* Since 2009, Harrah's Joliet employees have donated to local charities, through a weekly "Jeans Day", over \$180,000.