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## Missouri Gaming Commission Announces Official Launch of Sports Wagering

Jefferson City, Missouri – The Missouri Gaming Commission announced that as of 12:00 a.m. on December 1, 2025, legal sports wagering is available to patrons in the state. Licensed operators with approved internal controls and house rules may offer live wagering. This significant milestone in Missouri is the result of voters' approval of Amendment 2 on November 5, 2024, which legalized sports betting statewide.

The Missouri Gaming Commission has established strict eligibility requirements within the framework of its sports wagering rules.

- Patrons must be at least 21 years of age to establish an account and place sports wagers.
- Patrons must physically be in the state of Missouri to place a wager.
- Each licensee must comply with responsible gaming rules and optional self-exclusion tools.

"We are pleased that Missourians are now able to place wagers on sporting events. Sports wagering will create new jobs, increase tax revenue, and further enhance education in our great state. I am incredibly proud of the MGC staff for their hard work and dedication in getting sports wagering to the finish line," Missouri Gaming Commission Chairman Jan Zimmerman said.

For those who struggle with gaming addiction or are interested in responsible gaming resources, free counseling and information are available by calling 1-888-BETSOFF. The Missouri Gaming Commission also offers voluntary self-exclusion, which legally prohibits individuals from placing sports wagers with any licensed operator in the state.

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