

April 4, 2016

Trisha Brotherton
Grass Valley Elementary PTA
3000 NW Grass Valley Drive
Camas, WA 98607

Dear Trisha,

The Camas City Council has approved the request of the Grass Valley Elementary Parent Teacher Association (PTA) to conduct a raffle on May 13, 2016. This action was authorized at the April 4, 2016 City Council meeting. We have approved the raffle that is being held to raise money in conjunction with the Annual Carnival & Silent Auction Night.

We are pleased to see that Grass Valley PTA is following all of the rules and regulations of the Washington State Gambling Commission as well as our local gambling ordinances. These rules, which are sometimes cumbersome, are designed to protect our citizens who might participate in such events.

The work of the local parent teacher associations is a vital component to our Camas schools. Funds raised by your group, and other volunteer organizations, go back into the programs that benefit the children.

I wish you the best of luck in your group's fundraising efforts.

Sincerely,



Shannon Turk
Mayor Pro Tem