

**RESOLUTION 2013-04  
TO APPROVE OR DENY A PUBLIC LOTTERY**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Sturgis has by Ordinances enacted by the City Council limited the use of public lotteries within the city to public purposes intended to provide for the benefit and safety of the members of the community, balanced with the purpose to encourage commerce and the development of a healthy and robust business and community atmosphere, and

**WHEREAS**, the Relay for Life Team (Tops Trotters) has submitted a application to conduct a public raffle within the City of Sturgis beginning on February 08, 2013 and continuing until July 19, 2013 at which time the lottery prize will be awarded at by a drawing at 10:00 pm at Sturgis Park on July 19, 2013, and

**WHEREAS**, the Relay for Life Team (Tops Trotters) presented its application to conduct this lottery to the City Finance Office on January 8, 2013 seeks to commence and seeks to begin to sell such raffle tickets on February 8, 2013, and

**WHEREAS**, the request of the Relay for Life Team (Tops Trotters) to have approval to conduct this lottery has met all the requirements of City Ordinance, all the requirements of state law and has met all the administrative requirements of the City Finance Office in submitting its application,

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Sturgis City Council that the application of the Relay for Life Team (Tops Trotters) to conduct a public lottery/raffle in the City of Sturgis is hereby

  X   Approved, with lottery ticket sales to be conducted at the stated times forth above and as stated in the terms of the lottery application, for the reason that the expected public benefits intended to be accomplished by the Lottery ordinance are present.

       Denied, with no lottery sales to be permitted as requested, for the reason that the expected public benefits intended to be accomplished by the Lottery ordinance are not present.

RESOLVED, this 22nd of January, 2013.

CITY OF STURGIS

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Mark Carstensen, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Fay Bueno, Finance Officer

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