Record Sponsorship & Attendance for 31st National Conference on Problem Gambling

Leaders in gaming and health gather in Portland to share knowledge and provide support on responsible gaming and problem gambling issues

The National Council on Problem Gambling (NCPG) would like to thank the sponsors of the 31st National Conference on Problem Gambling, which will be held July 19 to 22, 2017 in Portland, OR. This year the conference is hosted by the Oregon Council on Problem Gambling (OCPG), the NCPG’s Affiliate chapter in the state. Registration has already topped 560, including counselors, gaming industry executives and staff, regulators, state administrators, researchers, and people in recovery.

A record $429,649 in direct support was contributed for the conference from a total of 40 sponsors, including from five Oregon organizations and tribes. All contributions support the conference and the work of the National Council on Problem Gambling.

OCPG Executive Tom Moore stated: “We were pleased to host the National Conference again and help showcase the strong relationships with the Oregon Health Authority and Oregon State Lottery. This conference would not be possible without their support, as well as our other supporters.”

NCPG Executive Director Keith Whyte said “I would like to extend special thanks to the Oregon Council as well as the Oregon Health Authority and the Oregon State Lottery. Our large and diverse group of sponsors—from gaming operators to healthcare providers to regulatory agencies—reflects our mission to bring together everyone involved in the gambling field. Problem gambling demands a cooperative effort among all parties to find solutions. The conference is a great forum to foster discussion and move everyone forward towards the common goal of reducing the harm from gambling addiction.” The major sponsors for the National Conference included:

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