

Introduction to *Alaska Slot Machine Casino Gambling 2017*

Alaska slot machine casino gambling does not exist, as there are no casinos located in Alaska. However, there are 10 community bingo halls across 9 cities with a grand total of 92 slots and gaming machines.

Juneau itself has two of these facilities offering [Class II gaming](#) options, specifically bingo and pull tabs.

This post continues the weekly blog series “[Slot Machine Casino Gambling, State-By-State](#)“, a year-long online resource project dedicated to guiding slot machine gambling enthusiasts to success.

Relevant Legal Statutes on Gambling*

For those interested in Alaska’s non-slots gambling state regulations, see the [Alaskan statutes relevant to gambling](#).

*The purpose of this section is to inform the public of state gambling laws and how the laws apply to various forms of gambling. This information is not intended to provide legal advice.



Alaska slot machine casino gambling: Welcome to Alaska!

Slot Machine Private Ownership

Private ownership of slot machines in Alaska is legal.



Alaska slot machine casino gambling: Anchorage, AK

State Gaming Commission

Two Class II gaming facilities are authorized by the Federal National Gaming Commission (NIGC). NIGC was established by the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act of 1986. These facilities offer bingo and pull tab games.

In 1960, some games were allowed for charitable fundraising. The legislature voted to approve raffles, lotteries, bingo games, pull-tab games, and 15 other games including various racing.

Most recently in 2008, voters were asked whether they wanted to legalize gambling and establish an Alaska Gaming Commission. It failed with 61% against. Here is a summary of [prior efforts to legalize gambling in Alaska](#).



Alaska slot machine casino gambling: Landscape in Alaska

Gambling Establishments

The two NIGC-approved gaming facilities are:

- [Klawock Bingo](#)
 - City: Klawock
 - Tribal Organization: Klawock Cooperative Association
- [Metlakatla Bingo Hall](#)
 - City: Metlaktia
 - Tribal Organization: Metlaktia Indian Community

There are four other community bingo halls:

- Organized Villiage of Kaka Bingo located in Kaka, AK
- Sun'aq Tribal Bingo located in Kodiak, AK
- Sitka Tribal Bingo located in Sitka, AK
- Tlingit and Haida Community Bingo located in Juneau, AK



Alaska slot machine casino gambling: Saxman Native Village Totem Poles

Summary of *Alaska Slot Machine Casino Gambling 2017*

Again, *Alaska slot machine casino gambling* does not exist as there are no casinos in this state. The difficulty facing tribes with developing casinos is two-fold:

- 1 The land they are constructed on must be trust or restricted land, which is limited in

Alaska.

- 2 The more usual issue of the State not yet approving casino-style gaming.

Professor Slots Video on *Alaska Slot Machine Casino Gambling*

Other State-By-State Articles from Professor Slots

- Main: [Slot Machine Casino Gambling, State-By-State](#)
- Previous: [Alabama Slot Machine Casino Gambling 2017](#) – For those of us that are interested in slot machine gambling, there really isn't any such thing as Alabama slot machine casino gambling. A great debate is underway in this state. Whether slot machine gambling, not to mention table games, will fall or rise in the great state of Alabama is, at this time, in flux.
- Next: [American Samoa Slot Machine Casino Gambling 2017](#) – American Samoa is in the heart of the Pacific Ocean, about halfway between Hawaii and New Zealand. American Samoa slot machine casino gambling does not exist, with the exception of cruise ships docked at the international seaport of Pago Pago on the largest island Tutuila.