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Deal of the Month

Miracle Mile Shops mall in Vegas sold to investment group

Gaming Statistics

- **2014 US Gambling Revenue: \$102.3 B**, ↑ from \$91.9B (+11 %) in 2012
- **2014 Indian Gaming Revenue: \$54.9 B**, ↑ from \$54.56 B in 2012 (+.07%).
- **2014 US Commercial Gambling Revenue: \$48.28 B**, ↑ from \$37.34 B in 2012 (+22.7%)
- **Sept. '16 Las Vegas Gaming Revenue: \$669.4 M**, up from \$646.6 M in Sept. 15' (+3.4%)
- **Oct. '16 Atlantic City Gaming Revenue: \$186.4 M**, down from \$191.6 M in Oct. 15' (-2.7%)

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MGM tops earnings forecasts on Borgata purchase

MGM Resorts International says its acquisition of The Borgata, Atlantic City's top casino, helped push revenue up 23 percent over last year's third quarter, leading to earnings that beat Wall Street expectations.. [read more](#)

Boyd Gaming says profitable quarter a result of stronger local economy

Boyd Gaming is a leading diversified owner and operator of 22 gaming entertainment properties in Nevada, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana and Mississippi. Company: Boyd Gaming Corp. (NYSE: BYD). **Revenue: \$531.9 million, compared to \$546.3 million in the third quarter last year.** [read more](#)

The cost of casinos

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Wynn wins final design approval for casino BOSTON — A massive casino development just outside Boston received its final design approval from the Massachusetts Gaming Commission on Wednesday, a major step toward expanding legal gambling options in the metro area beyond horse racing and Lottery play....[read more](#)

Could the reopening of the former Revel spur development in South Inlet? ATLANTIC CITY — The reopening of the shuttered Revel Casino Resort early next year as a multipurpose facility is expected to bring a much-needed boost to the struggling South Inlet section of the Boardwalk. For the past two years, the property, now known as TEN, has symbolized the lack of development in the area. But that could soon change. Its operators have said they plan to reopen the property during the first quarter of next year. Those plans appear to be on course.....[read more](#)

Spokane Tribe breaks ground on West Plains casino, plans for 2017 opening

The Spokane Tribe broke ground Wednesday on a long-awaited and controversial casino in Airway Heights, with plans of opening for business within 10 months The first-phase of the development will be a \$40-million casino with 450 slot machines and 12 game tables, two restaurants and an outdoor plaza.....[read more](#)

Sands Bethlehem Bets on Northeast Pennsylvania With \$90 Million Expansion

Sands Bethlehem is looking to add to its casino floor and expand its footprint in Northeast Pennsylvania. The most profitable casino in the state, Nevada-based Las Vegas Sands announced on November 14 that it's investing \$90 million into its Pennsylvania resort. The project will expand the property floor by almost 100,000 square feet...[read more](#)

Chickasaw Nation plans resort hotel, casino on Lake Texoma

The Chickasaw Nation has plans to develop a resort hotel and casino on former state park land on Lake Texoma.

The tribe envisions transforming the site where the former state-run Lake Texoma Lodge and Resort once stood into a tourist destination once again, said Bill Lance, secretary of commerce for the Chickasaw Nation.....[read more](#)

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