



## News Release

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### **Southland Park Distributes \$203,960 for Use by State and Local Governments**

**WEST MEMPHIS, Ark.** (March 8, 2017) – On behalf of Southland Park Gaming & Racing, David Wolf, President and General Manager, distributed \$203,960 in funds generated by greyhound racing to state, city and county officials on Wednesday.

West Memphis Mayor William Johnson received a check for \$72,982.36 for fifty percent (50%) of the un-cashed pari-mutuel tickets for the first half of 2016. He also received a check for \$57,996.24 for two-thirds (2/3) of the breakage which is the odd cents remaining in each pari-mutuel pool after the distributions are made in a sum equal to the next lowest multiple of ten cents.

Charles Suiter, Jr., Crittenden County Treasurer, accepted a check for \$72,982.36 for fifty percent (50%) of the un-cashed pari-mutuel tickets for the second half of 2014.

Both checks for the un-cashed pari-mutuel tickets are distributed with the “intent that funds shall be made available to use by the Boys and Girls Club or similar non-profit charitable organizations providing recreational youth service benefitting young males and females of the city.”

#### **About Southland Park Gaming & Racing**

Southland Park Gaming & Racing has been a major racing venue for more than 50 years and now also has over 1,900 electronic games of skill, including video poker and blackjack, as well as an upscale buffet restaurant, Shine Blounge, steakhouse, Sammy Hagar’s Red Rocker Bar & Grill and a multi-purpose event center. Southland Park has long been a pivotal fixture of the West Memphis community, strongly supporting the community with jobs, business stability, and economic contributions. It has consistently won awards for its outstanding community service, including millions of dollars donated to neighborhood charities and educational institutions. Southland Park is owned and operated by Delaware North Gaming & Entertainment. More information is available at [www.southlandpark.com](http://www.southlandpark.com).

#### **About Delaware North's gaming business**

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