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**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:46 AM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW: Proposed Casino

**From:** Sharon Jones [mailto:sharon2024@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 4, 2021 9:14 PM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:** Proposed Casino

Dear Mr. Brumbaugh,

I am a College Township resident and it has come to my attention that there is a casino proposed near Nittany Mall. I would like to express opposition to a casino coming into our community.

Gambling can easily become addictive and can not only impact the individual but the spouse, children and any extended family and friendships for a lifetime.

There can be an increased risk of intimate partner abuse, child abuse, divorce and homelessness in communities with casinos.

Casinos can lower property values by up to 10%.

Casinos can have a devastating impact on locally owned small businesses, especially restaurants who are already struggling to stay afloat right now.

I ask you to please not allow a casino in our community. I know there are benefits like providing full time jobs but the long term emotional, physical and economic pitfalls don't make this a win for Happy Valley.

Sincerely,

Sharon Jones

**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:46 AM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW: Opposing Casino

**From:** aam196 [mailto:aam196@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Monday, January 4, 2021 9:29 PM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:** Opposing Casino

Mr. Brumbaugh,

I, along with my husband, am writing to fiercely oppose the proposed casino in college township.

We live in Stearns Crossing nearby, and feel this attracts the wrong type of crowd. This is not a venue for the people of our community, but rather a transient, crime ridden population.

It negatively affects property values, and does not attract the type of tourists we want in our town.

People live and thrive in State College because of excellent schools, a prosperous job market, low crime rates, and overall easy living. This is a safe place to raise a family. A casino in no way advances these initiatives.

Please consider the consequences of this venue.

Sincerely,  
Ashley and Dale Miller

**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:46 AM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW: PLEASE NO CASINO

**From:** Chris And Tami [mailto:chrisjohnn@aol.com]**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 7:24 AM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:** PLEASE NO CASINO

Hi,

I am writing because I do not want a casino at the mall. I'd much rather a Costco instead... When looking for a house, as I am very picky, I look for good schools, low crime, and a nice neighborhood. I do not want a casino, where it is shown that crime rates go up when they come in. I am concerned it will diminish quality of life and property values. Please do not allow them to build at the mall. The mall was once a place for families and we need more places that will be beneficial for families. Please do not allow them here.

Thank you,  
Tami Nowacki

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**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:47 AM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW: Casino

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**From:** txcoazpa [mailto:txcoazpa@yahoo.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 8:01 AM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:** Casino

I am deeply upset over the plan of bringing a casino of any scale to State College! Is our town getting so desperate for money that we need a casino??

Why doesn't Ira Lubert, PSU alumni, build his casino in his city of Philly?

A nice outdoor style shopping area with restaurants, bakeries, etc would bring more to our economy. Less stores on north end of town and bring more business to that side of town.

Most women who live in this town shop in Altoona or when they travel due to the terrible shopping here. If we didn't have TJMaxx/kohls/Talbots, there would be nothing!

I like going to Vegas every few years on route to visit my son in LA but, State College is NOT a town where a casino will thrive.

Please reconsider this idea of a casino and let the people vote, not the board of the township nor the clout of PSU alumni.

Thank you,

Terri Thompson

ps - borough resident of 24 years. Husband PSU alumni 81' and grew up here. Returned to start a business. His whole family PSU grads as well as our two sons.

Sent from my Verizon, Samsung Galaxy smartphone

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**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 1:29 PM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW:

**From:** Lauren Walters [mailto:lswalters722@gmail.com]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 5, 2021 1:24 PM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:**

Hi Mr. Brumbaugh,

Feel free to pass this along to the appropriate people.

I understand College Township is required to extend rights to [casino development/opportunities](#) however I simply wanted to go on record to express my concern. As you may know this season of job loss and economic downturn is especially ripe for people to be drawn to the lure of possible monetary gain, but have they truly counted both the risks and rewards to this pursuit? A much greater loss is at stake as, time has proved, people are not always greater than what tempts them.

*Please consider delaying or voting "no" on future casino proposals which may only bring further ruin to people and to those they love.*

Thank you for everything you do to serve our local township.

Lauren Walters

**From:** noreply@revize.com <noreply@revize.com>

**Sent:** Wednesday, January 6, 2021 12:41 PM

**To:** Linda Magro <lmagro@collegetownship.org>; Lindsay Schoch <lschoch@collegetownship.org>

**Subject:** Citizen Request Center Application

Name = Martha Micuda

Email = mmmicuda@verizon.net

Phone = 8144667385

Issues = When will there be a public hearing on the announced casino for the Nittany Mall site? I am very opposed. What is College Township thinking?

Respond Me = Email

Client IP = 96.247.176.32

## Jennifer Snyder

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**From:** Adam Brumbaugh  
**Sent:** Friday, January 8, 2021 3:33 PM  
**To:** Jennifer Snyder  
**Subject:** FW: Mini-casino

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**From:** Mike Herr <mikethemailman48@icloud.com>  
**Sent:** Friday, January 8, 2021 2:42 PM  
**To:** Adam Brumbaugh <abrumbaugh@collegetownship.org>  
**Subject:** Mini-casino

Hi college township manager,  
Just hope the new mini-casino will be SMOKE FREE!  
Thanks

Cheers, Mike 😊

The greatest luxury in life is time. Savior every second.