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## \*\*\* JACKPOT ALERT \*\*\*

### **\$760 MILLION UP FOR GRABS IN LAST POWERBALL® DRAWING OF 2023**

**3<sup>rd</sup> largest Powerball jackpot of the year; 6<sup>th</sup> largest in game history**

**AUSTIN** – Texas Lottery® players will be closing out the year with a chance to play for one of the largest Powerball® jackpots in game history, as the Grand Prize for the [Saturday, Dec. 30 drawing](#) stands at an **estimated annuitized \$760 million**. Saturday's Grand Prize is the third largest Powerball jackpot of 2023 and is the sixth largest in Powerball history. The cash value for Saturday night's drawing is worth an estimated \$382.5 million. If there is no jackpot winner in the next Powerball drawing, the Grand Prize for the Monday, Jan. 1 drawing will rise to an estimated annuitized \$810 million.

"It's been a year filled with exciting jackpots and we're hoping a Texas Lottery player can ring in the new year as a Powerball Grand Prize winner," said Gary Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery. "While this is a thrilling opportunity, we want to remind our players to play responsibly. Also, if it appears that you have the jackpot-winning ticket after the drawing, we encourage you to sign the ticket, put it in a safe place, seek financial and legal advice and call the Texas Lottery to schedule an appointment to claim the prize."

So far in 2023, 27 second-tier Powerball prizes of \$1 million or larger have been sold to Texas Lottery players, including two during the current jackpot run. Most recently, a \$2 million second-tier prize winning ticket was sold in Katy for the [Dec. 27 drawing](#). Before that, a winning ticket worth \$2 million was sold in Austin for the [Dec. 13 drawing](#).

Saturday's drawing will be the 34<sup>th</sup> in the current Powerball jackpot run since starting as an estimated annuitized \$20 million for the Oct. 14 drawing. This is the third largest Powerball jackpot of the year and is the fourth one to surpass \$750 million in 2023. It is also the game's biggest jackpot up for grabs since the estimated \$1.765 billion jackpot for the Oct. 11, 2023 drawing, which was won in California.

Since joining the Powerball game in 2010, Texas has had two Powerball Grand Prize winners, including its most recent in February 2015 when TL Management Trust, Andrew Weber, Trustee of Austin, claimed a share of the \$564.1 million Grand Prize with two other winners.

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Powerball Grand Prizes currently start at \$20 million and roll until the jackpot is won. Players win the Grand Prize by matching five numbers from a field of 69 numbers and one Powerball number from a field of 26 numbers. By choosing Power Play® for \$1 more per Play, players can multiply their non-Grand Prize winnings by two, three, four, five or 10 times\*. A Power Play Match Five (5+0) prize is set at \$2,000,000 regardless of the Power Play number selected. All other non-Grand Prizes will be multiplied by the Power Play number selected. (\*The 10X Power Play multiplier is available for drawings in which the initially advertised annuitized Grand Prize amount is \$150 million or less.)

Drawings are broadcast each Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10:12 p.m. CT. Texas Lottery players can purchase Powerball tickets at more than 20,000 Texas Lottery retailers across the state. Ticket sales for the next Powerball drawing will close at 9 p.m. CT on Saturday, Dec. 30. The retailer that sells a jackpot-winning Powerball ticket is eligible to receive up to a \$1 million retailer bonus.

## Powerball & Mega Millions Jackpot Wins By Texas Lottery Players

Game	Draw Date	Advertised Jackpot	Claimant	Claimant City	Retailer	Retailer City
PB	2/11/2015	\$500M^	TL MANAGEMENT TRUST	Austin	Appletree Food Mart	Princeton
MM	10/6/2023	\$360M	The Blue Yucca Trust	Rapid City, SD	Stripes #5031	San Angelo
MM	8/31/2007	\$330M^	SB ALCHEMY HOLDINGS, LTD.	Dallas	Kroger #318 SST	Humble
MM	9/24/2019	\$227M	(Anonymous)	Leander	Lakeline Express Mart	Cedar Park
MM	1/29/2010	\$144M	WILLIAM R KIEFER	Katy	Short Stop Market	Katy
MM	7/6/2007	\$126M	H & H TRUST	Dallas	Central Gas & More	Dallas
MM	1/9/2007	\$122M	CRUMP, ALLEN & LEWIS GENERAL PARTNERSHIP	Amarillo	Taylor Petro Co Inc #80	Amarillo
MM	3/1/2005	\$112M	MAL HOLDINGS, LP	Rowlett	Dalrock Grocery	Rowlett
MM	10/1/2004	\$101M	UT VAN NGUYEN	Carrollton	Sack N Save #204	Carrollton
MM	5/16/2006	\$94M	MARTHA L. CUELLAR	El Paso	Good Time Store #12	El Paso
MM	10/11/2016	\$49M	IT WILL BUY ME A BOAT REVOCABLE TRUST DATED NOVEMBER 16, 2016	Rockwall	QuikTrip #982	Balch Springs
PB	5/29/2013	\$40M	PAUL MCDOWELL	Bells	Lone Star Food Store #48	Bells
MM	5/27/2011	\$35M	MAIM REVOCABLE TRUST	Arlington	Tommy's #10	Granbury
MM	1/1/2008	\$33M	JOHN A. JONES	Fort Worth	C-Store Sub Express	Fort Worth
MM	6/27/2014	\$33M	THE 6-27-14 REVOCABLE TRUST	Houston	Moulton Grocery & Market	Moulton
MM	7/16/2013	\$20M	THE LUCKY ONES PARTNERSHIP	Houston	Rosslyn Food Mart	Houston

^ indicates jackpot prize was shared with one or more out-of-state winners.

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Top 10 Powerball Jackpots			
Rank	State	Prize Amount	Draw Date
1	CA	\$2.04 billion	Nov. 7, 2022
2	CA	\$1.765 billion	Oct. 11, 2023
3	CA, FL, TN	\$1.586 billion	Jan. 13, 2016
4	CA	\$1.08 billion	July 19, 2023
5	WI	\$768.4 million	March 27, 2019
6	??	\$760.0 million (est.)	Dec. 30, 2023
7	MA	\$758.7 million	Aug. 23, 2017
8	WA	\$754.6 million	Feb. 6, 2023
9	MD	\$731.1 million	Jan. 20, 2021
10	CA	\$699.8 million	Oct. 4, 2021

#### About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$38.2 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$84.3 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$32.2 billion to the Foundation School Fund, which supports public education in Texas. As authorized by the Texas Legislature, certain Texas Lottery revenues benefit state programs including the Fund for Veterans' Assistance. Since the first veterans' themed scratch ticket game was launched in 2009, the Texas Lottery has contributed more than \$227 million for programs supporting Texas veterans.

The Texas Lottery provides several entertaining games for lottery players including Powerball®, Mega Millions®, Lotto Texas®, All or Nothing™, Texas Two Step®, Pick 3™, Daily 4™, Cash Five® and scratch ticket games. For more information visit us on Facebook, X, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube or at [texaslottery.com](https://www.texaslottery.com). PLAY RESPONSIBLY.

**Editors/News Directors, note:** A high-res image of the Powerball logo can be downloaded [here](#) and an image of the Powerball prize chart can be downloaded [here](#). (Right-click on the image for saving options.)

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