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TAB Board Venue Policy

Purpose and scope

1. To control the growth of gambling in Hamilton City within the scope of the Racing Act 2003, while allowing those who wish to participate in sports or racing gambling to do so.
2. To minimise the harm caused by gambling, including problem gambling in Hamilton city.
3. To reflect the views of local communities in respect of the provision of gambling in Hamilton city

Definitions

Definition	Detail
Board venues	Premises that are owned or leased by the New Zealand Racing Board and where the main business carried on at the premises is providing racing betting or sports betting services under the Racing Act 2003 (the Act).
Premises	Building in which a Totalisator Agency Board (TAB) venue is located.

Policy

4. From the date this Policy comes into force, no further TAB venues may be established in Hamilton City.
5. Existing TAB venues (as outlined in Schedule 1) are not permitted to relocate from one premises to another.
6. Signage on TAB venue sites may include corporate colours, logos, and signage but not include details of individual gambling promotions.
7. Board venues may also host Class 4 gaming machines subject to Council's Class 4 Gambling Venue Policy and to compliance with s 33(3) of the Gambling Act 2003.

Schedule 1 - TAB Venues (existing at the time of policy adoption)

8. Te Rapa TAB (618 Te Rapa Rd) and
9. Frankton TAB (20 King St).