August 17, 2016 – Stolen Pull-Tab Games

Pull-tab games were stolen from a storage unit in Spring Lake Park between May and July 2016. The stolen games are:

Game: **Cherry Poppin**
Manufacturer: American Games
Serial #**2190792**

Game: **Fun Fair**
Manufacturer: International Gamco
Serial #**6666029**

Game: **Cherry Poppin**
Manufacturer: American Games
Serial #**2320843**

Game: **Fun Fair**
Manufacturer: International Gamco
Serial #**6666542**

Game: **Cherry Poppin**
Manufacturer: American Games
Serial #**2473579**

Game: **Fun Fair**
Manufacturer: International Gamco
Serial #**6864586**

Game: **Fun Fair**
Manufacturer: International Gamco
Serial #**7150371**

A stolen $200 winner from one of the Fun Fair games has already been redeemed at a Champlin site.

A similar report of winning tickets fraudulently being redeemed using Fun Fair tickets from a different organization's storage facility was recently received.

*****Please check to ensure your storage facility is secured
and no records are missing.*****

Organizations should be aware that someone may try to redeem the tickets. Sellers should be extra diligent checking winning pull-tabs being redeemed against the deals they have in play to make certain that the serial numbers match, especially Fun Fair and Cherry Poppin games.

1. Always verify the serial number of tickets being redeemed. If the serial number on the ticket and the serial number of the game do not match, do not redeem the ticket(s).

2. If someone hands you a winning ticket of $100 or more, they must also give you their driver's license for a prize receipt. When you verify the serial number, if they do not match, try to scan or write down information from the license before giving it back.

3. Inform the person that the serial numbers do not match and that you must retain the ticket(s).

4. Attempt to obtain a description and license plate number of any vehicle the suspect is driving, if possible.

Report the incident to local police as soon as possible, and notify the Gambling Control Board by calling 651-539-1900.