

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

MEDIA CONTACT: Media Relations, 512-344-5131

[mediarelations@lottery.state.tx.us](mailto:mediarelations@lottery.state.tx.us)



SUPPORTING TEXAS EDUCATION  
AND VETERANS

## **ROUND ROCK RESIDENT CLAIMS \$2.5 MILLION SCRATCH TICKET PRIZE**

### **Winning ticket purchased in Rockport**

---

(AUSTIN) – James Williams, of Round Rock, claimed a \$2.5 million prize in the Texas Lottery® scratch ticket game [\\$500,000,000 Extreme Ca\\$h Blast](#). For selling the winning ticket, Cracker Barrel, located at 1405 W. Market St. in Rockport, is eligible for a \$10,000 retailer bonus.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Williams claimed the sixth of 10 top prizes worth \$2.5 million available in the game. \$500,000,000 Extreme Ca\$h Blast offers more than \$513.1 million in total prizes. Overall odds of winning any prize in the game are one in 2.84, including break-even prizes.

#### About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$25 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$50 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$20 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 \$74 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®, Texas Triple Chance™ and scratch ticket games. For more information, visit us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube or at [www.txlottery.org](http://www.txlottery.org). PLAY RESPONSIBLY.

**Editors/News Directors, note:** An image of \$500,000,000 Extreme Ca\$h Blast is attached in JPEG format.

###