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HALTOM CITY RESIDENT CLAIMS \$2.6 MILLION SCRATCH TICKET PRIZE

Winning ticket was purchased in Fort Worth

(AUSTIN) – A resident of Haltom City, claimed a top prizewinning ticket worth \$2,500 per week for 20 years (not to exceed \$2,600,000) in the Texas Lottery® scratch ticket game, [\\$5 Set for Life](#). The claimant elected to remain anonymous and chose the cash value option, which pays \$1,999,446.80.

For selling the winning ticket, 4 Star Quick Pantry #2, located at 1325 N. Beach St. in Fort Worth, is eligible for a \$10,000 retailer bonus.

This was the third of four top prizes available in the game to be claimed. \$5 Set for Life offers more than \$86 million in total prizes. Overall odds of winning any prize in the game are one in 3.80, including break-even prizes.

About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$27 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$55 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$21 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 \$93 million for programs supporting Texas veterans.

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Editors/News Directors, note: An image of the \$5 Set for Life scratch ticket is attached in JPEG format.

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