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**LAST CHANCE!**  
**UNCLAIMED \$1 MILLION POWERBALL® TICKET EXPIRES APRIL 25**  
**Winning ticket was purchased in Beaumont**

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(AUSTIN) – A \$1 million Powerball® ticket will soon expire. A Quick Pick ticket matching five of the six numbers drawn for [the Oct. 27, 2018 drawing](#) was purchased at Exxpress Mart #29, located at 1650 W. Cardinal Drive, in Beaumont, but the \$1 million prize has not been claimed. The deadline to claim the prize is April 25 at 5 p.m. CT. The winning ticket matched all five of the white ball numbers drawn (8-12-13-19-27), but not the Powerball number (4).

“We encourage our Powerball players to take another look at their ticket, check the numbers again and if your numbers match, sign the back of the ticket and contact us,” said Gary Grief, executive director of the Texas Lottery.

A ticket holder forfeits any claim to a prize for a draw game after the expiration of the 180<sup>th</sup> day following the draw date. The deadline may be extended for a period of time for certain "eligible" military personnel. Unclaimed prizes revert back to the state for programs authorized by the Texas Legislature.

About the Texas Lottery

Beginning with the first ticket sold in 1992, the Texas Lottery has generated \$29 billion in revenue for the state and distributed \$60 billion in prizes to lottery players. Since 1997, the Texas Lottery has contributed \$23 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 \$110 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, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube or at [www.txlottery.org](http://www.txlottery.org). PLAY RESPONSIBLY.

**Editors/News Directors, note:** An image of the Powerball® logo is attached in JPEG format.

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