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I object strenuously to the request by The Gnome to offer on-site gambling. This is an activity that offers no value to the neighborhood and actually introduces serious problems to a community. The false rubric that the diversion is provided by a charity is specious reasoning. I cannot illustrate one potential benefit to Ward 1 or the Selby Avenue Business Community by this request.

Cordially,  
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