

**Don Winslow, Former Chief of Police of Bangor, 1998-2007**

*"Like any other business with a volume of people, there will be impacts, but Hollywood Slots didn't do anything to impact crime in Bangor.*

*We had a call to Hollywood Slots about once a week for parking lot accidents or perhaps to remove an inebriated person, but this type of call would happen at a shopping center. Penn National was wonderful to deal with, they were very accommodating and easy to deal with. Their security took care of any potential problem professionally and quickly.*

*When the Bangor city council was considering the slots facility, we took a trip down to West Virginia to see Charles Town Slots. I spoke to the Sheriff there, he told me he didn't see any impact on crime from the slots."*

**Judy Diogo, President of Chamber of Commerce, Kent County Delaware  
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*"We are very glad to have Dover Downs and Slots here. They are one of our largest employers and pay great wages with excellent benefits. They are very community minded and have given back triple-fold. They have invested a tremendous amount of money in their facilities and are the nicest in all of Kent County. In terms of business development, Dover has expanded tremendously since the slots came in 1995. There is nothing negative to be said. In fact, the Chamber has a regular night there every year and when new business folks come to town, we put them up at the Dover Downs Hotel.*

*Dover Downs has won our "Best Entertainment Facility" award for six consecutive years, and the facility is featured prominently in our Convention and Visitors Bureau videos that promote the area for both tourism and business functions." 9/22/08*

**Carleton Carey, Mayor of Dover, Delaware Elected 1997 302-736-7005**

On economic development:

*"The Bay Health General Hospital, one of Dover's largest employers, is planning a \$168 million addition. They'll be space for 100 new doctors. The hospital is 3 miles from Dover Downs. Kraft Foods, Proctor and Gamble are also located here and doing very well. We want to encourage more clean and environmentally friendly development just like Dover Downs."*

On crime:

*"There has been no increase in crime attributable to the the race tracks or gaming facility. I was on the city council in 1995 when slots were approved. We heard comments from residents about fears of crime, or addiction problems - these things just haven't happened" - 9/22/08*

**Sergeant Briscoe, Saratoga Police Department, Saratoga NY 518-584-1800**

*"Claims of elevated crime rates are patently false. The issues which arise from Saratoga Gaming and Raceway are no different than any other commercial facility." 9/17/08*