



Perrottet-Nickerson American Legion Post No. 76
570 South Gary Avenue
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Economic Impact of the Perrottet-Nickerson American Legion Post No 76
Hosting the Great Lakes Regional Tournament, August 7-11, 2024

Please note that the American Legion has been awarded a two-year contract to host the Great Lakes Regional Tournament; August 7-11, 2024 and August 6-10, 2025.

The Economic Impact statement below is focused on August 7-11, 2024 only.

Number of people being hosted:

144 Players (8 teams; 18 players per team)
8 umpires
4 Tournament Representatives
Parents for each player
Other family members
Community members

Hotel Occupancy

At the peak of the week **175 hotel rooms** a night at the Holiday Inn located in Carol Stream

The economic impact is far reaching for our community.

It is anticipated that during the week \$450,000 will be generated thru restaurant sales, entertainment venue sales, and retail sales.

The partnership with the Carol Stream Chamber of Commerce will ensure that local businesses in Carol Stream will be participating and as a result benefiting economically from this event.