

**VILLAGE OF DWIGHT
RAFFLE APPLICATION
NUMBER _____**

1. Name & address of organization _____

Please check the appropriate type of organization (definitions on back):

☐ Business ☐ Charitable ☐ Educational ☐ Fraternal

☐ Labor ☐ Non-profit ☐ Religious ☐ Veterans ☐ Special

2. The proceeds from this raffle will be used for: _____

3. Cost of ticket _____ Quantity to be sold _____

Attach a list of prizes that will be awarded.

4. The licensee intends to sell raffle chances within the following area of the Village of
Dwight: _____

5. Raffle chances will be sold during the following time period: _____

6. Raffle winner(s) will be determined on: _____ (date) at the
following described location: _____

"By execution of this application, I hereby state and swear that the licensee is a not-for-profit organization."

Name & Address of Presiding Officer _____

Signature of Presiding Officer _____

Name & Address of Secretary _____

Signature of Secretary _____

Organization Contact Phone Number _____

Date of application _____

DEFINITIONS TAKEN FROM THE RAFFLES ACT, 230 ILCS 15/2

BUSINESS: “A voluntary organization composed of individuals and businesses who have joined together to advance the commercial, financial, industrial and civic interests of a community.”

CHARITABLE: “An organization or institution organized and operated to benefit an indefinite number of the public. The service rendered to those eligible for benefits must also confer some benefit on the public.”

EDUCATIONAL: “An organization or institution organized and operated to provide systematic instruction in useful branches of learning by methods common to schools and institutions of learning which compare favorably in their scope and intensity with the course of study presented in tax-supported schools.”

FRATERNAL: “An organization of persons having a common interest, the primary interest of which is to both promote the welfare of its members and to provide assistance to the general public in such a way as to lessen the burdens of government by caring for those that otherwise would be cared for by the government.”

LABOR: “An organization composed of workers organized with the objective of betterment of the conditions of those engaged in such pursuit and the development of a higher degree of efficiency in their respective occupations.”

NON-PROFIT: “An organization or institution organized and conducted on a not-for-profit basis with no personal profit inuring to any one as a result of the operation.”

RELIGIOUS: “Any church, congregation, society, or organization founded for the purpose of religious worship.”

VETERANS: “An organization or association comprised of members of which substantially all are individuals who are veterans or spouses, widow or widowers of veterans, the primary purpose of which is to promote the welfare of its members and to provide assistance to the general public in such a way as to confer a public benefit.”

SPECIAL: “A non-profit fundraising organization that the licensing authority determines is organized for the sole purpose of providing financial assistance to an identified individual or group of individuals suffering extreme financial hardship as the result of an illness, disability, accident or disaster.”