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Fond du Lac man claims his half of \$40,000 Badger 5 jackpot

(Madison)—**John McCarthy of Fond du Lac** presented the Wisconsin Lottery with one of two winning tickets in the December 12 Badger 5 drawing, claiming his share of the drawing's \$40,000 jackpot.

McCarthy's ticket, a \$1 computer quick pick, is worth \$20,000. He purchased it at Kwik Trip, 1123 W. Johnson in Fond du Lac.

For selling McCarthy's winning ticket Kwik Trip earns an \$800 commission from the Lottery. Lottery retailers who sell winning tickets with prizes of \$600 or more earn the equivalent of 2% of the prize value, up to a maximum of \$100,000. The winning ticket commission is based on the original value of the prize, regardless of the number of tickets that may claim a share of it. In this instance the original prize was \$40,000. Each selling retailer thus earns a commission based on that figure.

The other \$20,000 winning ticket from December 12th was sold in Elton in Langlade County. The owner of that ticket has not yet come forward.

The December 12th winning Badger 5 numbers were 01, 08, 12, 16 and 20.

Badger 5 is a \$1 daily terminal-generated game with jackpots that start at \$10,000 and grow a minimum of \$1,000 a day until they are won. Players win the rolling jackpot by matching their five numbers to the five winning numbers drawn each night.

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