

On January 13, 2020, the Morris County Commissioners' Court adopted Regulations regarding the operation of Game Rooms within Morris County, including, but not limited to, hours and days of operation. Pursuant to Section 234.132 of the Local Government Code, the Regulations apply to all areas of Morris County, Texas. This includes the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Morris County, Texas. The regulations are designed to promote the public health, safety, and welfare and to reduce the secondary effects of Game Rooms in Morris County. The Regulations do not legalize anything prohibited under the Texas Penal Code or any other law(s) or regulations. Owners and Operators of Game Rooms will be required to complete an application process and receive a permit in order to operate within Morris County. Copies of the Regulations and Application are available at the Morris County Courthouse or online at [co.morris.tx.us](http://co.morris.tx.us). **ALL REGULATIONS WILL GO INTO EFFECT AT 12:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, JUNE 1, 2020.**