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## **BIG SCORE FOR DC-4!**

**More than \$1.1 million in potential payouts with 9-9-9-9**

**Washington, DC** – Halloween is just days away, but the treats are coming early for lucky DC-4 players who placed wagers on winning number 9-9-9-9 for the midday game played on Wednesday, October 27, 2016. That game yielded \$1,169,250 in potential wins.

This potential payout is the highest for the DC-4 game since May 5, 2016 when the payout was more than \$1.3 million. Wednesday's payout is the sixth largest single draw payout for this game in the past five years. DC-4 payouts have reached highs of more than \$2 million, as it did for the May 10, 2014 game.

"This time of year, the temperature is fluctuating—but, what's constant is the winning spirit with DC Lottery players!" declares Interim Executive Director Tracey Cohen. "Big payouts like this further confirm what we say all of the time--that players really do win prizes of all sizes with the DC Lottery."

The maximum liability cap for DC-4 games is \$3 million. That ceiling was nearly breached on January 26, 2007, when players netted combined wins of \$2,999,750.

DC-4 is a four-digit game played twice daily. Wagers start at \$.50. The top prize for this game is \$5,000 with additional prizes ranging from \$100 to \$2,500.

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Founded in 1982, the DC Lottery is the District of Columbia Government agency that regulates the sale of gaming products and charitable gaming activities in the District of Columbia. Since its inception, the DC Lottery has awarded more than **\$3 billion in prizes, transferred more than \$1.8 billion to the District's General Fund** which supports essential services in the District, and has helped local nonprofits raise more than **\$127 million in support of social causes**. Visit [www.dclottery.com](http://www.dclottery.com) for detailed information about the DC Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board.

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DC LOTTERY – IT'S FUN TO PLAY!