



# County of El Dorado

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## Legislation Text

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Treasurer-Tax Collector Department recommending the Board of Supervisors authorize the issuance of a business license to Michael P. Mitchell, doing business as Psychic Mystical Boutique, operating a fortunetelling/psychic reading/tarot reading business in the Diamond Springs area.

**FUNDING:** N/A

### **DISCUSSION / BACKGROUND**

Applicant, Michael P. Mitchell, has submitted an application for a business license, doing business as Psychic Mystical Boutique. At this time, there are four active business licenses for fortunetelling in the unincorporated areas of El Dorado County. Mr. Mitchell is the holder of one of these licenses. The license was issued on October 12, 2017 and is still active in Placerville, doing business as Placerville Psychic.

Pursuant to Business License Ordinance 5.14.070, "No [fortunetelling] license may be issued without the express authorization of the Board of Supervisors."

Applicant was fingerprinted and cleared by the Department of Justice and the Sheriff's Department, pursuant to County Ordinance 5.14.070. Pursuant to the same Ordinance, the Sheriff's Department has filed and written a report stating no objection to the issuance of the business license to the applicant. (Attachment A to this item.)

The Treasurer-Tax Collector Department has reviewed the application and the Sheriff Department's recommendation and does not object to the issuance of the license.

### **ALTERNATIVES**

The Board could decide against issuing this business license.

### **PRIOR BOARD ACTION**

N/A

### **OTHER DEPARTMENT / AGENCY INVOLVEMENT**

The Sheriff's Office recommends issuing this business license.

### **CAO RECOMMENDATION / COMMENTS**

Approve as recommended.

### **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

Business license revenue (\$154.00), Certified Access Specialist Program (\$4.00) and sales tax revenue will be generated.

### **CLERK OF THE BOARD FOLLOW UP ACTIONS**

N/A

**STRATEGIC PLAN COMPONENT**

Public Safety, Good Governance

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