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One Hudson County Ticket Wins \$10,000

Mega Millions Jackpot Rolls to \$244,000,000

TRENTON (Jan. 3, 2022) – There was **one third-tier prizewinning ticket** sold for the Friday, December 31, drawing that matched four of the five white balls and the Gold Mega Ball drawn winning the **\$10,000** prize. That ticket was purchased at Best Buy Wine & Liquor, 315 Kearny Ave., Kearny in Hudson County.

In addition to the third-tier prize won, **24** players matched four of the five white balls drawn making each ticket worth **\$500**. One of those tickets was purchase with the Megaplier, multiplying the prize to \$1,500. Moreover, 49,663 other New Jersey players took home \$213,148 in prizes ranging from \$2 to \$600. The winning numbers for the Friday, December **31**, drawing were: **02**, **05**, **30**, **46**, and **61**. The **Gold Mega Ball** was **08**, and the **Megaplier Multiplier** was **03**.

The jackpot rolls to \$244 million for the next drawing to be held on Tuesday, January 4, at 11:00 pm. All New Jersey Lottery Mega Millions tickets must be purchased before 10:45 pm to participate in the drawing. Mega Millions tickets cost just two dollars; by adding the Megaplier option for an extra dollar per play, players can increase their non-jackpot winnings up to five times. Mega Millions tickets are sold in 46 participating jurisdictions. Drawings are held on Tuesdays and Fridays.

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