## **TEXAS LOTTERY COMMISSION News Release**

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## \$1 MILLION WIN JUST IN TIME FOR THE HOLIDAYS

(**Austin**) – One Amarillo resident's holidays just got a little merrier. Marlon Boyd claimed the tenth \$1 million prize in the \$500 Million Frenzy game on Tuesday.

Designed with more than half a billion dollars in total prizes, the \$500 Million Frenzy has seven prizes of \$2.5 million and 30 prizes of \$1 million remaining unclaimed. Overall odds of winning any prize are one in 2.77, including break-even prizes.

Boyd's winning ticket was purchased from the Toot N Totum #1, 1500 S. Washington St. in Amarillo, making the store eligible for a retailer bonus of \$10,000.

The claimant requested minimal publicity.

Friday's *Mega Millions*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$173 million. Saturday's *Powerball*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$125 million, and the *Lotto Texas*<sup>®</sup> jackpot is an estimated \$7 million.

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