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Mega Millions® Ticket Sold in California Now Worth More Than \$7 Million!

SACRAMENTO – A very lucky California Lottery player who picked up a Mega Millions ticket in Los Angeles won more than \$7 million in Friday night's draw – without even hitting the jackpot!

The winning [Mega Millions numbers](#) last night were: 20-36-53-56-69 and Mega number 16. A ticket sold at the CVS at 303 South La Brea Avenue in Los Angeles matched all five numbers, missing only the Mega number. That ticket is now worth \$7,727,088. The California Lottery will not know who the winner is until someone comes forward to [claim the prize](#).

No one in the entire country hit the jackpot, so the estimated new jackpot for Tuesday's night's draw rolls to \$290 million! Although no one hit the jackpot, there were more than 80,000 winning tickets in California at varying prize levels. See how the winners and prizes break down [here](#).

Mega Millions tickets are \$2 each and can be purchased at any of the more than [23,000 locations](#) that sell California Lottery games throughout the state.

Californians have another chance to strike it rich tonight in the [Powerball®](#) draw, which currently has an estimated jackpot of \$279 million. The draw happens at 7:59pm Pacific time. The odds of winning any prize in Powerball are 1 in 24.87.

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The California Lottery's mission is to provide supplemental funding to California public schools, including kindergarten and grades 1-12, community colleges, the California State University, the University of California, and other California public educational entities. The funds the Lottery transferred to public education totaled more than \$1.8 billion for fiscal year 2020-21, which amounted to a modest percentage of education's overall budget. However, this funding is largely nondiscretionary, meaning schools can use this for important, yet unfunded instructional programs they would otherwise not afford. During the same period, the Lottery generated almost \$8.4 billion in sales, more than 95% of which went back to the community in the form of prize payments, retailer commissions and bonuses, and contributions to education. The California Lottery urges its customers to play responsibly. Problem gambling resources are available to anyone at 1-800-GAMBLER.

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