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## Routine Stop Turns Up \$50,000 Win

**Washington, D.C.** – After working the midnight shift, Eldred Boria of Baltimore, Maryland followed his normal routine of stopping at 7-Eleven #20523, 218 Cedar Street, N.W. to get his usual cup of coffee and D.C. Scratcher. This time he decided to play the \$5 *Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas* instant scratch ticket game and won the top prize - \$50,000!

“I usually play the \$1, \$2, or \$5 games, and I scratch all of the numbers first, then look at the prize amounts.” Boria immediately knew that he had won a prize, but he didn’t know the amount until he scratched the ticket a second time revealing the \$50,000 cash prize! “I saw all those zeroes, and I was confused,” Boria recalled. “I had to ask them to check the ticket again to make sure I was reading it correctly.” Indeed he was.

“*Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas* is a one our hottest selling \$5 D.C. Scratchers, and we are excited for Mr. Eldred Boria, who has won one of the two top prizes,” said the D.C. Lottery and Charitable Games Control Board’s Executive Director Buddy Roogow. “There is still one \$50,000 prize available, as well as an array of different cash prizes. If you haven’t played the ticket, it’s a great one that you can buy at D.C. Lottery retailer locations throughout the city.”

Boria plans to use his winnings to pay off his credit cards, take a vacation with his wife, and save the rest.

More information about the *Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas* D.C. Scratcher and other D.C. Lottery [games](#), [retailers](#), and [winners](#) is available at [dclottery.com](http://dclottery.com).

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