

Twin River renews push for full-scale casino - Turn to 10.com

Written by Administrator

Tuesday, 08 February 2011 14:49 -

PROVIDENCE --

The owners of [the Twin River](http://www2.turnto10.com/topics/types/person/tags/lincoln-chafee/) video slot parlor in <a href="http://www2.turnto10.com/topics/types/person/tags/lincoln-chafee/" class="topic_link" title="Topic - Lincoln

Chafee">Lincoln are renewing a push to make it a full-scale casino. [Rhode Island Gov.](#) Lincoln Chafee indicates he's open to it.

The gambling facility's owner, [UTGR, Inc.](#), began making its case Tuesday.

It released an economic impact study it paid for that says allowing [Twin River](#) to offer table games could create as many as 650 jobs and create up to [\\$60 million](#) in revenue for the state and town.

[Chafee](#) told [WPRO-AM](#) he doesn't see that table games would be a major change from video. He says the Narragansett Indian tribe should share in any expansion.

The [General Assembly](#) last year passed legislation authorizing a voter referendum on casino gambling. Former [Gov.](#) Don Carcieri vetoed it.

[Powered By WizardRSS](#)

Source: http://news.google.com/news/url?sa=t&fd=R&usg=AFQjCNFviKV_kS4W-6ptG2Y-CPPjzxqXJA&url=http://www2.turnto10.com/business/2011/feb/08/6/twin-river-renew-push-full-scale-casino-ar-389630/