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State Authorities Deny Plan For Less Gambling and Drinking Restrictions

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In another blow for the Cripple Creek casino community, the city and county, state health officials denied a bid last week, submitted by the Teller commissioners, for a variance to bring back casino table games and 24/7 alcohol service.

As a result, blackjack and poker buffs may have to partake in these activities in gaming towns near Denver or at their homes.

But in a slight compromise, officials from the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) left the door slightly open for the county to qualify as a "Protect Our Neighbors" area, giving it the most lenient COVID-19 restrictions available in Colorado.

Still, Cripple Creek is plain out of luck for resuming blackjack, poker, craps and roulette

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