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As a retired Connecticut resident who visits Foxwoods and Mohegan Sun casinos regularly, I would not recommend the approval of additional casinos for Connecticut. As it is, at least one of the existing casinos is not doing very well anyway. When they open casinos in Massachusetts, chances are pretty good that one of the Connecticut casinos will have to close or certainly curtail its offerings substantially.

I have to drive almost two hours to get to the Connecticut casinos. That said, I wouldn't be happier if there was another closer casino. Gamblers have many, many choices for their entertainment already. I would much rather see Connecticut more famous for its insurance industry, its national defense research, development and manufacturing, and its awesome education opportunities. Casinos are fine, but too many isn't a good thing in my view.

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