

# Propping Up Dog Racing is a **Failed Policy**

“Parimutuel is not a viable business anymore anywhere in the country.” Phil Ruffin, May 29, 2015

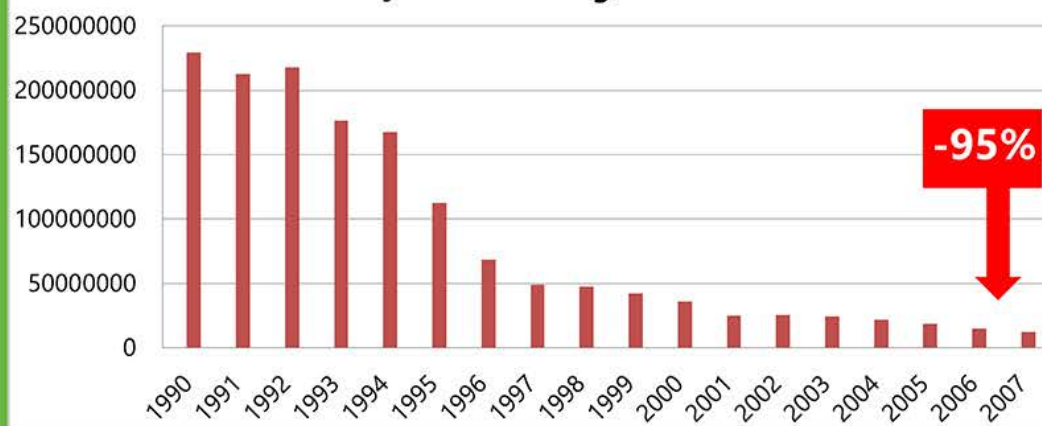
## Across the United States

Total Amount Gambled on Greyhound Racing  
1990-2014



## In Kansas

Live Greyhound Betting, Calendar Year



In the early 1990's three states (Iowa, Rhode Island and West Virginia) tried to use slot machine subsidies to revive greyhound racing. **In all three states, this policy failed.** Rather than save the industry, greyhound racing only declined further.