

## WBBM-FM \$96,000 CRACK THE CODE BANK VAULT CONTEST

### OFFICIAL RULES

These contest rules are specific to the above contest conducted by Audacy Illinois, LLC d/b/a WBBM-FM (collectively, the “**Station**”). Except to the extent specifically set forth below with respect to this specific contest, the Station’s general contest rules apply to this contest as well. A copy of these specific contest rules and the Station’s general contest rules are available on the Station’s website at [www.b96.com/rules](http://www.b96.com/rules). To the extent that the Station’s general contest rules differ from these rules, these rules will govern and control with respect to this contest.

**THE STATION WILL CONDUCT THE \$96,000 CRACK THE CODE BANK VAULT CONTEST DURING THE HOURS OF 7:00AM (CT), 3:00PM (CT), AND 4:00PM (CT) WEEKDAYS STARTING ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2026 AND ENDING ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2026.**

**THESE SPECIFIC CONTEST RULES WILL GOVERN EACH CONTEST PLAY (AS DESCRIBED BELOW). THERE WILL BE UP TO, BUT IN NO EVENT MORE THAN, ONE (1) PRIZE AWARDED, IF ANY, DURING THE CONTEST.**

#### How to Enter

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1. No purchase or payment of any kind is necessary to enter or win the WBBM-FM \$96,000 Crack the Code Bank Vault Contest (the “**Contest**”). A purchase will not increase your chances of winning.
2. Listen to the Station weekdays (Monday-Friday) from 7:00am (CT) on Monday, September 28, 2026 until 4:59pm (CT) on Friday, October 16, 2026 (the “**Contest Entry Period**”), and be the designated caller when prompted to call, as described further in Section 5, 6, and 7 below.

#### How to Win

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3. For purposes of this Contest, the “**Vault**” refers to a bank vault with an electronic digital lock programmed with the predetermined winning four (4) digit combination which will be randomly selected by Million Dollar Media (“**MDM**”) prior to the start of the Contest, and a “**Contest Play**” will begin and conclude: (i) when the Vault has been opened for any reason (*as described in Section 9 below*), (ii) when there have been forty-five (45) attempts to open the Vault (*as described in Section 10 below*), or (iii) when the four (4) digit number guessed by a Contestant, recorded by the Station in the official Contest Registration Binder (the “**Contest Registration Binder**”), and entered by the Station into the key pad on the Vault exactly matches the predetermined winning four (4) digit combination, in order (*as described in Sections 6 and 7 below*).
  - a. **The first, and potentially only, Contest Play Period will commence within the 7:00am (CT) hour on Monday, September 28, 2026.**
  - b. **Notwithstanding anything in these rules to the contrary, this Contest, along with the then current Contest Play, will end at the sooner of 4:59pm (CT) on Friday, October 16, 2026, or when a verified winner is determined, whichever happens first.**
4. Prior to the start of a Contest Play, a four (4) digit combination will be randomly pre-selected for this Contest by an independent promotions company, MDM (the “**Administrator**”), and placed in a sealed security envelope provided to the Station (the “**Winning Combination**”). The Winning Combination will be programmed into the key pad and locking mechanism of the designated Vault that will be used for all Contest attempts as set forth herein.
  - a. **The Winning Combination to the Vault shall be comprised of four (4) digits, each a single-digit whole number between zero (0) and nine (9) inclusive (*i.e., no one of the four digits will be a fraction, a decimal, or a whole number with a value greater than nine*).**
  - b. **The same digits may be used more than once within the Winning Combination (*i.e., the predetermined Winning Code could be 1-1-1-1*).**

5. Each weekday (*Monday – Friday only*) (each a “**Contest Day**”) between 7:00am (CT) and 4:59pm (CT) Station will announce a Contest Play and instruct listeners to be the designated caller to (877) 591-9696 for an opportunity to guess the Winning Combination (each selected designated caller will be a “**Contestant**”).
6. A maximum of one (1) Contestant will be selected for each Contest Play. There will be a maximum of forty-five (45) Contestants selected during the Contest. The eligible Contestant will be the designated caller to get through to the Station contest line, who is eligible to participate in the Contest. Any selected caller who does not meet the eligibility requirements or does not wish to participate in the Contest will be disqualified. An alternate Contestant will then be selected by taking the next caller. This process will continue until an eligible Contestant has been identified to participate in that scheduled Contest attempt. Each eligible Contestant will have the opportunity to guess the Winning Combination to the Vault.
  - a. **WARNING: ONLINE LISTENERS TO STREAMED BROADCASTS MAY EXPERIENCE A LAG IN TRANSMISSIONS DUE TO BUFFERING LIMITATIONS. CONTEST PARTICIPANTS SHOULD NOT RELY ON STREAMED BROADCASTS.**
  - b. IMPORTANT! Only calls received to the studio Contest phone number above are eligible to win (calls to the main radio station phone number or any other phone numbers are not acceptable).
  - c. **Contestants will have up to approximately twenty (20) seconds to make his or her guess of the four (4) digit Winning Combination to the Vault, as determined by Station in its sole discretion.**
  - d. **Station will only accept the first guess of each numeric digit until there are four digits guessed in total. This information will be audio recorded by the Station representative and recorded in the official Contest Registration Binder.**
7. The Station representative will then enter the Contestant’s four (4) digit combination guess exactly as recorded in the official Contest Registration Binder into the keypad and locking mechanism of the designated Vault provided to Station by the Administrator. In order for a Contestant to win the Prize (as described in Section 13 below, the “**Prize**”):
  - a. The Contestant’s Winning Combination guess as recorded on air and in the official Contest Registration Binder must match, in exact order, the predetermined Winning Combination selected by the Administrator, as placed in the sealed security envelope **AND** preprogrammed into the Vault (as described in Section 4 above);
  - b. The Contestant’s number guess must trigger the locking mechanism and open the Vault only by means of entering that winning (4) digit number into the key pad on the Vault.
  - c. **HOWEVER, THE ACT OF OPENING THE VAULT DOOR ALONE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A WINNING ATTEMPT. The Prize will NOT be awarded as a result of any of the following:**
    - i. **Any Contestant’s Winning Combination guess as recorded by the Station in the official Contest Registration Binder and entered into the digital key pad on Vault does not match the predetermined Winning Combination contained in the sealed master envelope;**
    - ii. **Any tampering, malfunction, damage, or use of physical force that causes the Vault to unlock or open;**
    - iii. **Any Contestant’s Winning Combination guess that the Station records a winning number on the registration form, but fails to correctly enter the same 4-digit combination into the key pad.**
8. **By participating in the Contest, Contestants agree not to hold Station liable for any accidental human error in the recording of the Contestant’s Winning Combination guess in the Contest Registration Binder, or in entering the Contestant’s Winning Combination guess into the Vault keypad. The Prize will not be awarded as a result of an incorrect entry in the Contest Registration Binder or into the keypad on the Vault.**

9. IN THE EVENT THAT THE VAULT OPENS FOR ANY REASON, CORRECTLY OR INCORRECTLY, THIS CONTEST WILL IMMEDIATELY END, WITH OR WITHOUT A WINNER, AND NO FURTHER CONTESTANTS WILL HAVE ANY RIGHT TO ATTEMPT TO OPEN THE VAULT. IF THE VAULT OPENS INCORRECTLY, STATION RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CONTINUE THE CONTEST UNDER NEW CONTEST RULES AFTER THE VAULT HAS BEEN SATISFACTORILY REPAIRED.
10. IN THE EVENT THAT THERE ARE FORTY-FIVE (45) ATTEMPTS AND THERE IS NO WINNER, THIS CONTEST WILL IMMEDIATELY END, WITH OR WITHOUT A WINNER, AND NO FURTHER CONTESTANTS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEMPT TO OPEN THE VAULT.
11. Entrants may be selected multiple times to be a Contestant multiple times and, subject to the provisions herein, may make multiple separate guesses of the Winning Combination.
12. Odds of becoming a Contestant depend on the order and number of calls received for each Contest Play. The approximate odds of a Contestant winning the Prize are 1:10,000.

### Prize(s)

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13. In the event a Contestant successfully guesses the Winning Combination to the Vault, subject to verification of eligibility, compliance with the Contest rules, and upon satisfaction of all circumstances described in these Contest rules (the “**Winner**”) the verified Winner will receive \$96,000, awarded in the form of a company check made payable to such Winner only and made available to be picked up by Winner(s) within 6 to 8 weeks after the Winner has been determined. Station will contact Winner(s) by phone at the phone number provided to Station when check is available to be picked up. Station will only be required to leave one (1) message at the telephone number provided by Prize(s) winner to Station in his or her entry. Station shall have no responsibility for any technical failures of answering machine.
  - a. **A maximum (1) Prize will be awarded to the first Contestant who successfully completes the Contest requirements. The Contest is immediately concluded following the first successful attempt, regardless of the number of completed attempts – and no additional Contestants will be allowed to participate. If won, Prize will be payable to Winner only IN THE EVENT THERE IS A WINNER, IF THE WINNER DOES NOT CLAIM THEIR PRIZE WITHIN 60 DAYS AFTER NOTIFICATION AND PAPERWORK IS COMPLETED, HE OR SHE WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY DISQUALIFIED. IN SUCH EVENT, THE PRIZE WILL NOT BE REAWARDED AND WILL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF STATION.**
14. In addition to verification of eligibility, the potential Winner shall not be entitled to any prize in this Contest unless he/she provides Station with the following within three (3) business days of winning:
  - a. **Contestant Information:** Name, address, phone number and photocopy of a government issued photo identification card of the actual person/winner who completed the prize winning requirements; valid social security card and original birth certificate
  - b. **W-9 Form:** Completed and signed by the winner.
  - c. **Affidavits:** Execution of all affidavits of eligibility and/or liability release agreements “as is”, as required by Station.
  - d. **Failure to comply with the foregoing requirements for any reason within three (3) business days of winning at the Prize Event will result in automatic forfeiture of the Prize in this Contest and disqualification of such potential Winner.**

### Sponsor(s)

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15. The sponsor of this Contest is Audacy Illinois, LLC.

### Other Rules Specific to This Contest

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16. In addition to the eligibility restrictions set forth in the Station's general contest rules, employees (including, without limitation, part-time or temporary employees) of the Sponsors listed above, Million Dollar Media, and their respective parent entities, subsidiaries, affiliated companies and advertising and promotion agencies at any time during the applicable contesting period and the immediate family (*i.e.*, current and ex-spouses, parents, grandparents, children, grandchildren, and siblings and in-laws and steps in any of the foregoing categories) and other household members (*i.e.*, roommates, housemates, significant others, and partners of each legally residing at the same address) are NOT eligible to enter and/or to win the Contest.
17. By entering this Contest, entrants understand and agree that Station will be video recording and/or audio recording such entrant's participation, appearance and/or performance in connection with this Contest (before, during or after the Contest) and that Station will own any such audio and/or video and shall be free to utilize such materials in any way it sees fit during or after the Contest with no compensation to the entrants, including without limitation posting any such audio and/or videos on its website or social media site or submitting it for contest verification purposes to a third party.