## Tahoe casinos contribute to statewide gaming win

North Lake Tahoe casinos had a dramatic jump in revenues — 35.26 percent — in February from 2012.

South Lake Tahoe's numbers were up, too - 7.8 percent.

The Nevada Gaming Control Board released the numbers Wednesday morning. Statewide, casinos collected \$1.073 billion in gaming revenue. This is an increase of 15.1 percent from February 2012.

Casinos on the Las Vegas Strip set a single-month record with \$696.1 million in revenues. And this was all done in the shortest month. The Chinese New Year being in February helped contribute to the spike.

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