

SCMN Pride
July 9, 2008
Meeting called to order at 6:05pm

In Attendance

Maria B., Jeni K., Dina Z., Brad F., Rhea W., Lori A., Phil V., Paul F., Jessica F., Jeanne M

Vendor and Parade Update

Lori is compiling vendor info including electrical needs
It was suggested that the Vendor and Stage and Venue Committee meet next
Wednesday at 6:00pm at Sibley Park to discuss layout
Parade route has been taken care of. Parade permit, off duty police officer, cones and
orange vests have been taken care of.
Grand Marshals were discussed
Mayor has been contacted to present the proclamation and dedication
Tickets will be set at \$1.00 per ticket.
Grandpa's Concession, Nile Café, Coffee Hag, Bliss, Lin Hammer, Massad's, Pub 500,

Exhibitor Update

Only 3-4 exhibitor forms have been received
Mankato Area Healthy Youth would like to have a table
\$100 has been set aside in the budget for the Kids area. Volunteers needed

Stage and Venue Update

5 bands have already been booked
Looking into adding one more act
Quotes have been made for a stage and tent cover, but have been over our budget
It was suggested that a stage be rented from A-Z Rental

Fundraising Update

Saloon fundraiser is in the works for July 26
Dildo Bingo at Pi is also in the works. Date TBA

Dance Update

November 1 is the next Pride Dance

Fun Run Update

Part of the fun run route will be under construction
Donations have been received: \$225, finishers chute, time clock, bags, T-shirts,
bananas, bottles, etc.

Drag Competition Update

It was discussed that the drag competition will be held the first hour of the dance in
hopes of attracting more people to the dance earlier. Contest will be moved to a
different time of year.