

# USMS Convention—Dearborn, Michigan 2006

<b>Committee Name:</b> Colonies Zone	<b>Session #:</b> 1	<b>Report #:</b> NA
<b>Minutes recorded by:</b> Deb Morrin-Nordlund	<b>Date/time of meeting:</b> 9/16/06 10:30am	

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## Action Items: Proposed Expenditures

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<b>Committee Chair:</b> Deb Morrin-Nordlund	<b>Vice Chair(s):</b> _____
<b>Number of committee members present:</b> 31	<b>Absent:</b> _____ <b>Number of other delegates present:</b> _____
<b>Committee members present (list all, including chair and vice chair):</b> see attached	

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## Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 10:32am.

1. Attendees introduced themselves
2. MSA (motion by Patty Miller, second Betsy Durrant) to approve April 2006 zone meeting minutes
3. 2006 Colonies Zone Dot Donnelly Award presented to Charlie Cockrell and Ray Novitske
4. 2007 Championship bids presented and discussed– SCY GMU Patriot Masters, LC Potomac Valley, SCM Jersey Area Masters. Possibility of Dixie meet brought up – currently Dixie not interested. Dates of meets and conflicts discussed. MSA (Steve Newman, second Ed Tsuzuki) to accept all three bids for 2007. Members were informed of trial virtual 2006 SCM Nationals including approximately four meets around the country. The Colonies Zone SCM championships will be a participant. Deadline for 2008 bids was discussed – deadline will remain Aug. 15 for the following year’s meets. There will be some modification of the bid form to add a line for alternate dates.
5. New business
  - a. Discussion of working to increase pools and pool availability to Masters and especially to host meets as Colonies Zone championships; also need for volunteers to put on a meet (potential of partnering).

The meeting was adjourned at 11:42am.

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## Tasks for the Upcoming Year

1. 2007 Dot Award solicitation
2. Modify Zone Championship bid form
3. 2008 Zone Championship bid