

# Minnesota Swimming, Inc.

## Proposed Legislation

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This form must be submitted a minimum of 8 days prior to the Board of Directors Meeting to be acted upon at that meeting. (Copies of all proposed legislation will be sent to all Board Members and clubs along with the agenda.)

**Date Submitted:** 4-7-05      **Date of Board Meeting to be discussed:** 4-19-05

**Name of Legislation:** Swim Meet Fee Structure Modification

### **Description of Issue:**

**Fee Structure for our swim meets is confusing, MSI should not be in the "Award's Business", and too many exceptions are being made for individual teams.**

### **Solution/Rationale and Proposal/Legislation Requested:**

**Purpose: To unify and simplify the meet fee structure for all meets.**

**Proposal: Change the meet fees as follows:**

**Any typical "A" Meet, "A/B" Meet, "A/B/C" Meet or "B/C" Meet  
Splash fee of \$3.50 (\$1.00 to MSI / \$2.50 to Host Team)**

**Any Championship / Final Meet, Prelim/Final Meet, or Meet held at the U of M  
Splash fee of \$5.00 (\$1.25 to MSI / \$3.75 to Host Team)**

- \* MSI would no longer provide awards except for Best Time Ribbons**
- \* Host teams would provide all other awards for team & individual except for State Meet Special Awards (flags, high point awards, patches)**
- \* MSI would approve all state meet awards**

### **Rational:**

- \* Stop making exceptions for individual teams and unify all meets to a set fee.**
- \* If fees need to be increased, they should be increased for ALL**
- \* Get MSI out of the awards business and let teams get creative in the awards they want to hand out.**

**Effective Date: TBD by Board of Directors**

### **Method of Implementation:**

**Change the splash fee and awards policy in the meet director's manual.**

**Proposed by: Paul Lundsten**

**Club: Star Swim Team**

**Board Member Submitting: \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_**

**Action: (Adopted) (Defeated) (Adopted—Amended) (Tabled) (Postponed) (Withdrawn) (Referred to Committee)**