

# JUDGES:

Here is the first of hopefully only a few (for your sake) communications regarding the “Spirit of the North” meet for February 27 and 28, 2021.

Masks are required to be worn at all times.

**Location:**

St. Cloud River’s Edge Convention Center  
10 4th Ave. S., St. Cloud, MN 56301

**Lodging:** The Best Western Plus/Kelly Inn is our host hotel. It is connected to the convention center and has free parking. Unfortunately, we will have to ask that you walk outside and use the entrance door located in the convention center parking lot for entry into the meet. Please respond to this email or to [pmstone1@gmail.com](mailto:pmstone1@gmail.com) with your hotel stay needs prior to Feb. 12 so I can get those reserved for you.

**Parking:** If you are not staying at the Best Western but are driving the day of the event. Please park in the convention center lot. This is located on the farthest WEST end of the convention center. The door that you will enter is located in this lot.

**Food:** We are working on providing 3 meals for you. Because we are the first and only “event” being held at the Convention Center at this time, they are still constructing their regulations on this so I apologize I can not give you more specifics. If you have specific dietary needs, please send those to [pmstone1@gmail.com](mailto:pmstone1@gmail.com). (The convention center has only been open for 1 room, short term rentals, at this time)

**Treat w coffee:** On occasion, we try to treat our judges with coffee. If you are judging when those “runs” occur and would like to be treated in this way, please reply with your name and your favorite (if you are not a coffee drinker...what do you order from Starbucks?).



