

September 27, 2001

From: Executive Director Darla Drew Lerdal  
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Re: Black Hills Heritage Festival

Rapid City Common Council  
Rapid City, SD

Dear Council Member,

The Black Hills Heritage Festival Board requests specific consideration of Item number two from the Legal and Finance Agenda, September 26, 2001, LFO92601-02-Memorial Park Improvements Recommendation. This item was recommended for approval by the Flood Plain Policy Committee to authorize construction improvements and relocation of electrical service in Memorial Park.

This Item is separate from the fencing issues brought by the Jazz and Blues Festival and the Hills Alive Festival. The Heritage Festival requires no special fencing extending into the flood plain because our event is free to the public. The improvements would allow booth space rental and usable area for the Black Hills Heritage Festival outside of the flood plain.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Darla Drew Lerdal  
Executive Director, Heritage Festival