Planning Calendar

October 24, 2008	November 14, 2008	December 19, 2008	January 16, 2009 Video Conference	February 6, 2009 Video Conference	February 20, 2009 Video Conference
Legal & Regulatory Environment - Steve Kelly **Fundamentals of Broadband** - Bret Swanson - Mike O'Connor **Fundamentals of Internet2** - Myron Lowe	**Historical Perspectives in MN - Rural & Urban** **Consumers / Demand** - Jack Geller **Businesses** - Bruce Brorson **Report Workshop – layout, chapter headings, style guide** - Tom Garrison **Assign first chapter**	**Where are we now?** **- 3 Provider Panels** - Telco, Cable, Wireless **Big picture** **-** Scott Wallsten **Revised report framework –** Tom Garrison **Review format of History chapter –** Mike O'Connor **Meetings in Greater MN** – Peg Werner **Video Conferencing** – Steve Cawley	**Review Summary of State Reports** **Values discussion** **K12 Education & Public Libraries** Marla Davenport, TIES Mary Mehsikomer, NW-LINKS Coordinator Ken Behringer, Dakota County Library **Review History chapter content –** Mike O'Connor	**SPECIAL MEETING** **Preliminary Broadband Mapping Report –** Brent Legg, Connected Nation **Discuss Potential Projects for Stimulus Funds** **Draft list of selection criteria for legislature to use in selecting 'shovel ready' projects**	**County & City Panel –** Gary Shelton, Scott Co Danna MacKenzie, Cook Co Steve Mielke, Lakeville Jeff O'Neill, Monticello Ruthe Batulis, Eagan **Outside Perspectives –** Geoff Daily, App-Rising.com Andrew Cohill, Design Nine **Agree on next steps w/ project list and selection criteria for 'shovel ready' projects**

March 20, 2009 Video Conference	April 24, 2009	May 15, 2009	June 19, 2009 Grand Rapids, MN	July 17, 2009 Mankato, MN	August 21, 2009 Fergus Falls, MN	September 18, 2009 October 16, 2009
Health Care Panel **-Stuart Speedie**, Uof M **-Karen Welle**, MN Dept of Health **-Maureen Ideker**, Rice Memorial Hospital **-Steve Mulder**, Hutchinson **-Dr. Eduard Michel,** Virtual Radiologic **-Mark Schmidt**, SISU CIO **Economic Development Factors Related to Broadband Penetration** - **Bob Isaacson**, DEED **Report writing assignment**	**High Tech & Business Users** via video recordings - **Robert Stephens** – CEO Geek Squad - **Vint Cerf**, VP & Chief Internet Evangelist, Google **Values discussion** **Working Session – Report Writing**	**Rey Ramsey – CEO, One Economy** **Discuss Contentious Issues:** **#1 – Role of Government** **#2 – Speed**	**Regional Panel** - **Bernadine Joselyn,** Director of Public Policy, Blandin Foundation - **Fred Bobich,** Ruttger's Sugar Lake Lodge - **Bob Fenwick,** Commissioner, Arrowhead Regional Development Commission **Agree on Contentious Issues:** **#1 – Role of Government** **#2 – Speed (Sub-group)** **Review Report Draft** **Assign Recommendation Sub-Groups**	**Regional Panel** **Final Broadband Mapping Report –** Brent Legg, Connected Nation **Contentious Issue:** **#3 – Affordability** **Recommendation Sub-Groups Report Out**	**Regional Panel** **Recommendation Sub-Groups Report Out** **Contentious Issues**	**Working Session – Report Writing** **November 1, 2009** **Report delivered**