

**Vision**

To be the Malcolm Baldrige of quality councils!

**Mission**

To promote quality by providing:

- KNOWLEDGE for improved community;
- RECOGNITION of excellence; and
- OPPORTUNITY to learn and network.

**Mankato Area Council for Quality  
Annual Membership Meeting Minutes  
Thursday, Sept. 20, 2007  
Contessa Restaurant  
Mankato, Minnesota  
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

**Present:** Peggy Anderson, Jeff Halla, Gloria Zachow, Jeff Poole, Dick Pedersen, Jane Carter, David Cowan, & Eric Raverty.

**President Jeff Halla welcomed everyone to the meeting.**

**Annual Reports were distributed and reviewed by each committee.**

**New Business:**

Itron and Weigh-Tronix were both nominated, seconded, and approved to be this years Quality System Certification Award winners. It was discussed that being both companies are from neighboring cities that we should place adds in their respective newspapers. Jane Carter provided a flyer for an upcoming educational event, "Customer Centered Workshop" that will be Oct. 23 – 26, 2007. She suggested that MACQ co-sponsor with MN Quality Council. It was nominated, seconded and approved for MACQ to co-sponsor the event with the MN Quality Council. Peggy will send flyer out to the membership.

**The meeting adjourned at 1:00 pm.**

**Peggy Anderson  
VP, MACQ**