COMMON COURSE OUTLINE: Course discipline/number/title: REC 2223: Outdoor Education and Recreation

A. CATALOG DESCRIPTION
   1. Credits: 3
   2. Hours/Week: 3
   3. Prerequisites (Course discipline/number): None
   4. Co-requisites (Course discipline/number): None
   5. MnTC Goals (if any): NA

A course developed to acquire an acquaintance and understanding of the history and score of Outdoor Education and Recreation; special emphasis will be placed on practical application of outdoor education and recreational activities in the natural setting.

B. DATE LAST REVISED (Month, year): April, 2005

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS:
   1. Identification of specific needs and interests of the community for which the Outdoor Education program is designed.
   2. Inventory of the resources of the community, area, and state that are available with an on-site visit.
   3. Study the infrastructure of major governing department managing the Outdoor Recreational areas of the community, county, state, and nation.
   4. Organize group camping trips to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (GENERAL): The student will be able to:
   1. Demonstrate a basic knowledge of the structure of managing a city, county, state, and national parks.
   2. Understand the needs to the communities for Outdoor Education and Recreation.
   3. Plan a safe group outing to the Boundary Waters Canoe Area.
   4. Demonstrate an understanding of the Recreational Industry as it pertains to commercial, public and private events and facilities.

E. LEARNING OUTCOMES (MNTC): NA

F. METHODS FOR EVALUATION OF STUDENT LEARNING:
   1. Evaluation
   2. Participation
   3. Written tests

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION (if any):
   1. A fee is charged for outfitting and transportation.
   2. A five day camping trip will be part of the course.