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**Bands invited to compete for opening spots at Founders Weekend street dance**

*Summary: Bands are invited to submit videos now through August 20, 2010, for a chance to open for Monroe Crossing and the Johnny Holm Band.*

(July 26, 2010)-The University of Minnesota, Morris is hosting a contest for two bands to open for Monroe Crossing and the Johnny Holm Band during the campus' Founders Weekend festivities. The free outdoor concert begins at 1:30 p.m. and continues throughout the day—culminating in the Johnny Holm Band performance at 7 p.m.

To compete, bands must submit a video featuring them playing either original or covered music, to the University of Minnesota, Morris at [urel@morris.umn.edu](mailto:urel@morris.umn.edu). Videos will be posted to the campus's YouTube channel. The two winning bands will be chosen based on a combination of public votes received on [YouTube](#) and by a panel of local judges.

Bands can submit videos now through August 20, 2010. Winners will be announced on September 7, 2010. Visit [2010.morris.umn.edu](http://2010.morris.umn.edu) for official rules or contact the University of Minnesota, Morris Office of [University Relations](#) at 320-589-6414.

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