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Sunday's Pride Parade to be city's biggest ever
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Winnipeg, MB – The Pride Winnipeg committee is excited to announce that this Sunday's Pride Parade will be the biggest one that Winnipeg has ever seen! The parade will feature more floats and walking groups than ever before.

"We're thrilled to see that the community is overwhelmingly on board for this year's Pride celebrations," said Barb Burkowski, Chair of the Pride Winnipeg committee. "We're seeing a growing number of members of the LGBTTQ community, our friends, family members, and supporters who want to be a part of Pride Day festivities, and this year's parade will be one that members of the community at large won't want to miss."

The parade leaves the Manitoba Legislature at 12:30 p.m. on June 6 following the Pride Rally. Former Winnipeg mayor Glen Murray – one of the founding members of the Winnipeg Pride planning committee – will speak at the rally and lead the parade, which will travel eastward down Broadway, turn north onto Main Street and end at the Forks. A free festival at the Forks from 1:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. will feature Canadian R&B superstar Deborah Cox.

For more information about the Pride Parade and other Pride celebrations happening through the remainder of the week, please visit our website: www.pridewinnipeg.com.

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