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LOGLINE: Bulk Biceps is hosting the costume party of the season, but Fluttershy has nothing to wear! Applejack, Rarity, and Sunset Shimmer are ready to lend a helping hand.

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SET UP

INT. SUNSET SHIMMER'S BEDROOM - EVENING

The MANE 7 are hanging out in SUNSET SHIMMER'S bedroom when RARITY'S phone <BUZZES>.

1 RARITY
Don't be jealous, but I've been
invited to an exclusive--

She's interrupted by all the other girls' phones <BUZZING>.

2 SUNSET SHIMMER/ALL
--Costume party at Bulk Biceps'
house!

3 RARITY
Oh... good.

The girls all excitedly <WALLA> as FLUTTERSHY, in the corner, stares at her phone like a deer in the headlights. Sunset notices and addresses her warmly, anticipating the problem.

4 SUNSET SHIMMER
Don't be nervous. We'll all go
together, Fluttershy.

5 FLUTTERSHY
It's not that, it's just... the
party's in a few days, and I have
no idea what I'd wear!

6 APPLEJACK
Don't you worry 'bout that! I got
just the thing!

7 RARITY
I'd be more than willing to help
throw together a dazzling ensemble.

8 SUNSET SHIMMER
I'm thinking something real spooky!

9 FLUTTERSHY (V.O.)
Hmm... Who should I ask for help
with my costume?

As Fluttershy ponders, three options appear: Sunset Shimmer, Rarity, and Applejack.

ENDING A: SUNSET SHIMMER

INT. SUNSET SHIMMER'S BEDROOM - EVENING

Sunset Shimmer looks into her closet. Fluttershy waits nervously behind her.

10 SUNSET SHIMMER
O-KAY. Let's get started.

Fluttershy reacts to Sunset throwing VARIOUS ITEMS from the closet as she digs for something.

11 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
AH-HA! HERE IT ISSSSSSS...

Sunset reveals a WACKY HOT DOG SUIT with sunglasses and backwards hat. Off Fluttershy's horrified no-no-no look--

12 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
(continuing previous line)
...SSSSN'T.

Sunset pulls out FAKE SPIDERS, GOOGLY EYES, and VAMPIRE FANGS, holding each up to Fluttershy's face to inspect.

13 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
(at the spiders)
No, too scary.
(at the googly eyes)
Hmm, not scary enough.
(at the vampire fangs)
Can't picture you as a bat.

Fluttershy tries on the fangs tests a Flutterbat pose-- Nah. Finally Sunset finds what she's looking for in the trunk.

14 SUNSET SHIMMER (CONT'D)
Now THIS, I can work with.

Off Fluttershy's "oh dear" reaction... CUT TO:

INT. BULK BICEPS' COSTUME PARTY - LATER

BULK BICEPS, dressed as HERCULES, opens the door to greet Sunset, dressed as a PUNK VAMPIRE.

15 BULK BICEPS
Sunset! Nice costume! C'mon in!

16 SUNSET SHIMMER

If you think this is good, wait
'til you see-

She yanks Fluttershy into frame, wearing a HUGE TENTACLED MONSTER COSTUME. Bulk <SCREAMS> and jumps behind Sunset.

17 BULK BICEPS

MONSTER! RUN!

From inside the costume, Fluttershy yelps.

18 FLUTTERSHY

(muffled)

Monster? Where?!

She runs behind Bulk to hide. It makes him freak out even more. Trying to run away, he knocks her head off by accident. Confused, she looks at Sunset, who laughs.

19 SUNSET SHIMMER

Told you this was a great costume.

Fluttershy smiles, then Bulk peeks out from behind Sunset.

20 BULK BICEPS

AHH! It's mutating into Fluttershy!

Bulk takes off into the house as Sunset and Fluttershy laugh.

IRIS OUT.

ENDING B: RARITY

INT. FLUTTERSHY'S ROOM - LATER

Fluttershy stands in the middle of her room as Rarity flits about taking notes, measuring Fluttershy, pinning swatches to a mannequin.

21 RARITY

Oh Fluttershy, I can't wait to make
you something truly BREATHTAKING!

As Rarity drapes some fabric around Fluttershy's shoulders:

22 RARITY (CONT'D)

Now hold still for the next...
several days.

FLASH FORWARD. Rarity's hair is full of pencils, her hair held up with measuring tape. Her glasses are askew.

23 RARITY (CONT'D)
Rarity, darling, you've out DONE
yourself.

24 FLUTTERSHY
(scolding)
Rarrrrity.

25 RARITY
I said "darling," didn't I...?

Rarity reluctantly puts a penny in the "Darling" jar.
Fluttershy turns to a mirror. ZOOM OUT to reveal she's in a
DAZZLING GOWN and TIARA. She <GASPS>, amazed...

26 FLUTTERSHY
I look like a princess!

27 RARITY
Mmmmmmm... Indeed! ...Now we still
have to find something for you to
wear...

28 FLUTTERSHY
You made this for yourself...?

29 RARITY
Don't worry, you can wear one of my
"what, this ol' thing?"s.

She wheels over an entire rack of DAZZLING GOWNS. FS <GASPS>.

30 FLUTTERSHY
Why are they called that? They're
beautiful.

31 RARITY
(humble, bashful/modesty)
"...What, these ol' things?"

IRIS OUT.

ENDING C: APPLEJACK

INT. APPLEJACK'S FAMILY BARN - DAY

Fluttershy follows Applejack into the barn as she talks.

32 APPLEJACK
I'm thrilled you're willin' to do
this with me, Fluttershy!

She starts to sift through OLD WOODEN TRUNKS in the corner as Fluttershy is startled by a CHICKEN.

33 APPLEJACK (CONT'D)
I tried to use this costume ages ago with Sunset Shimmer but she just ran off white as a ghost!

34 FLUTTERSHY
Er, what is it?

Applejack ignores her, digging. Fluttershy tries to peek over her shoulder but gets surprised by another CHICKEN. Then...

35 APPLEJACK
Here, what'dya think? ...Ain't she a beaut?

On Fluttershy's befuddled reaction shot, CUT TO:

INT. BULK BICEPS' COSTUME PARTY - LATER

Inside the party, Punk Vampire Sunset and Ball Gown Rarity are waiting for their friends.

36 SUNSET SHIMMER
Where are those two...?

37 RARITY
I hope Fluttershy didn't get cold feet.

38 APPLEJACK
The only thing these feet are going is getting ready to cut a rug!

Everyone gawks as Applejack and Fluttershy enter in a TWO-PERSON PONY COSTUME. It's a RECORD-SCRATCH moment. Sunset's eyes go wide for a moment before she shakes her head with relief. Rarity approaches the back end of the costume.

39 RARITY
Oh Fluttershy, I'm sorry she's putting you through this!

Fluttershy responds from the head end of the costume:

40 FLUTTERSHY
Actually, Rarity, it's nice. It's easier to relax when nobody can see me!

On Rarity's surprise, Applejack pokes her head out from under the tail in a very G-rated comical way. Rarity balks.

41 APPLEJACK

What'd I tell ya? A good friend
always has your back!

As everyone laughs, we IRIS OUT.