

Meeting Description: February Monthly GIS Users Group Meeting

Date: February 4, 2010

Time: 10:00 AM

Location: Michigan Center for Shared Solutions & Technology Partnerships, George W. Romney Building, 10th Floor, Large Conference Room

Attendees:

Everett Root, MDIT/CSSTP

Joyce Newell, MDOT

Michelle Kleckler, MSP

Steve Aichele, USGS

Laura Blastic, MDIT/CSSTP

Rose Anger, Barry County (phone)

Valdis Kalnins, Allegan County (phone)

Steve Perry, SEMCOG (phone)

Jane Allen, Monroe County (phone)

Bob Carr, US Census Bureau (phone)

Teri Debler, MDIT/CSSTP

I. Approval of Meeting Minutes

1. January minutes will soon be available.

II. Geographic Framework Program

A. Framework Activities Update

1. Version 10 delivery is schedule for April 2.

B. Digital Ortho Update

1. Spring 2010 Vexcel / Microsoft flight is on schedule to fly over 11,000 square miles covering 19 counties. Pixxures has been selected to do the flights and create the orthos. 7 counties have agreed to partner. A map showing the areas to be flown is available on the CSSTP website.

C. Conferences Update

1. Homeland Security conference will be May 4-6 in Grand Rapids.
Details available at: http://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,1607,7-123-1593_3507-231917--,00.html

III. MDNRE Projects and Activities

IV. MDOT Projects and Activities

Joyce Newell, MDOT

1. Updated lane mile inventory to include rest areas, roadside parks, and weigh stations. Asset Management working on sample reporting methodology.
HPMS software not available yet. Roadside data being loaded into CSS SDE.
Lane Mile Inventory has been added to PR Finder application.

V. MSP Projects and Activities

Michelle Kleckler, MSP

1. Updating maps for the upcoming Palisades nuclear power plant. ArcGIS server is being set up in both the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) and MI Intelligence Operations Center (MIOC). Attended International Charter training. This is a process to gather and provide satellite imagery in the event of an emergency.

VI. MDCH Projects and Activities

VII. CSSTP Projects and Activities

Eric Swanson, MTMB/CSSTP

1. DIT is leading a statewide coordination effort among stakeholder groups and private providers.
2. There are two application windows for the grants.

3. Awards for Round 1 are currently being made. At this time, Michigan has received three awards:
 - a. \$857,000 Public Computer Center Expansion
 - b. \$33,300,000 for 950 mile fiber back bone build
 - c. \$8,600,000 for last mile household/business services
4. Round 2 is underway – grants are due March 15.
5. Once complete, the state will be well positioned to partner with a variety of providers and local governments to leverage a “Shared Network” environment that will reduce costs, create greater sustainability, and dramatically increase bandwidth.

VIII. MSU/RSGIS Projects and Activities

IX. County/Local Projects and Activities

Valdis Kalnins, Allegan County

1. Working on internal purchase policy structure

X. Regional Projects and Activities

Steve Perry, SEMCOG

1. Finishing up plan for 2010 4-band, 12” pixel, leaf-off flight.
2. Oakland, Washtenaw, Wayne, and Monroe are buying up to 6”.
3. ARRA: St. Clair, Macomb, Livingston, and Monroe LiDAR collection.
4. Website Data Maps updated by next week.

XI. Federal Projects and Activities

Bob Carr, US Census Bureau

1. Census surveys mailing begins March 15
2. MTPS

Steve Aichele, USGS

1. ARRA money for SEMCOG and Tri-County regional planning for LiDAR collection.
2. LiDAR: Sanilac, Jackson, Lenawee, Hillsdale, Lapeer (plus four in Indiana).

3. Association of Drain Commissioners interested in getting involved in NHD stewardship
4. Allegan County pilot for shoreline.
5. NOAA and FEMA exchanging information.

XII. Other Issues

XIII. Next Meeting Date March 4, 2010 10AM