

MGISAC Homeland Security Subcommittee Meeting
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August 10th, 2010

ITEM	DISCUSSION	STATUS/ACTION
Attendance	Attendees: Debbie Briedwell, Alexis Gardner, Jeremiah Steele, Mark Duewell, Brian Beckstrom, Rich Beckwith, Scott Olsen, Patsy Alexander, Brett Lord-Castillo, Jay Johnson, Stan Balsman	Call to order at 10:00 AM
Location	Room M153 Military Ed Facility, ISTS	
GENERAL BUSINESS		
NMSZ Data Development	<p>Matt Gerike is working on the finishing up the data sets. Stream and Cape edgematching and QA/QC is nearly complete, structures are being processed with USNG coordinate ID. Road conflation for St. Francois County is complete, and metadata is being updated.</p> <p>Mark received an annual data update from SEMO RPC. Need to make process for future updates. Mark will get a conference call together with RPC folks and USGS, SEMA to figure these things out. Another note: SEMO and Bootheel RPC are still needing required data QA/QC from USGS portion of grant. Mark will talk with Tim H. about this.</p>	<p>Mark will set up meeting to discuss data update procedures.</p> <p>Mark will talk with MU staff about completing data requirements for USGS grant in SE MO.</p>
Homeland Security Initiatives	<p>Web conferencing: Alexis researched the USNG online training from FEMA and suggested that we use this on a webinar. Will try to schedule for September. Jeremiah is working on preparing webinars for his group, including Navigating the HSIN website.</p> <p>USNG: USGS is holding a two-day USNG with Delta State University. There are openings in the day 2 basics class, which includes intro to USNG and field exercises. NG and SEMA are wanting to create new training classes. Should use USNG and GPS, radio communications. Would need GPS units. Could try to incorporate GPS units like the HS regional radio caches. 5 units per region would be good.</p> <p>SEMA GIS Support: Debbie has been working on creating prepared EMAC requests for GIS Support. Need to work on preclearing staff for SEOC work, and creating solid documentation for GIS procedures during events.</p> <p>Directory of EM GIS Professionals: A spreadsheet has been started using the attendees of the USNG ArcGIS course. Debbie will send this out for people to add known contacts to.</p> <p>Scott Olsen is coordinating the Incident Support Teams statewide. They will be meeting this fall and he will make sure GIS</p>	<p>Debbie will set up webinar in September for USNG Basics.</p> <p>Debbie will check to see if DHS had Garmin 60s available.</p> <p>Debbie will send draft to HS email group so more contacts can be added.</p> <p>Scott will contact Debbie when a date is set for IST development.</p>

	<p>staff is included in the discussion. Times have changed and work can now be done in the cloud instead of requiring people to come to an EOC or onsite to provide geospatial support. We should work to create a virtual GIS support office for Missouri.</p> <p>Rich likes to use the “<i>Life is Like a Box of Chocolates</i>” approach. We should be prepared to be flexible and use whatever means available during an event.</p> <p>GIS Products by Event: Need to prepare a list of GIS products that may be needed different types of emergency events. List would help GIS staff prepare, and help local EM better understand how GIS can benefit them. Example: chemical spill... EM need a knock list, know where deployed assets are, available resources, situational maps.</p>	
Mapbooks	<p>Contract for mapbooks has been awarded to Delta State University. They have started work on them already. Extra funds may be available to creat 1:6000 scale maps of some cities.</p>	
Structures	<p>Mid MO RPC is still waiting for USGS to OK spending the money to begin their structures project. Matt has completed coding binary structure points using USGS Best Practices Structures data model for Howard and Cooper Counties.</p>	
Other Activities	<p>Ray – USGS has openings in the August 25th Basics of USNG training course in Rolla. Contact him if you would like to attend. Class is free.</p> <p>Alexis is needing fire stations and law enforcement offices in Illinois. If anyone knows of a source for this please contact her. Brett did not have these.</p> <p>Rich needs help with a procedure to quickly bring an ALOHA plume into ArcView. Contact him if you know of a way. The ALOHA extension does not work on his ArcView.</p> <p>Ray – NSGIS conference conflicts with September’s HS meeting. May look into rescheduling meeting with more people can attend.</p>	<p>Contact Ray to enroll in the USNG Basics training class: rfox@usgs.gov</p> <p>Contact Alexis if you have info on Illinois fire and police locations: gardna@oa.mo.gov</p> <p>Contact Rich if you have info on bringing ALOHA plume polygons into ArcGIS: rich.beckwith@house.mo.gov</p> <p>Debbie will look into rescheduling September’s meeting.</p>
Upcoming Conferences Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • URISA Annual Conference: GIS-Pro 2010, September 28 – October 1, 2010 Orlando, FL http://www.urisa.org/conferences/aboutgis-pro • GEOINT 2010 Symposium, November 1-4, 2010, New Orleans, LA: http://geoint2010.com • 2011 Missouri GIS Conference, February 14 – 16, 2011, Osage Beach, MO: http://www.mogis.org 	

NEXT MEETING

July 13th, 2010. SEMA/National Guard Facilities, 10:00-12:00. Room: M153