

**MGISAC Homeland Security Committee Meeting**  
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**March 8th, 2011**

ITEM	DISCUSSION	STATUS/ACTION
<b>Attendance</b>	Attendees: Debbie Briedwell, Alexis Gardner, Jeremiah Steele, Renee Robinson, Bill Spiking, John Gover, Kimberly Harris, Paul Fennewald, Tony Bamvakais, Tammy West, Ray Fox	Call to order at 10:00 AM
<b>Location</b>	Environmental Conference Room, ISTS	
<b>GENERAL BUSINESS</b>		
<b>Portable GIS – Google Earth Project</b>	<p>Paul Fennewald introduced a new project to provide critical data sets in KML format to local officials. A portable version of Google Earth is now available that runs off of a USB drive and does not have to be installed on a CPU. Bill Spiking from Tetrattech gave a demonstration of what the project. The data and GE will be preloaded on USB drives and rolled out at the SEMA conference in May. The data is being coordinated through SEMA, and is the same that will be used for the mapbooks and MO COP. Any updates will be created on the SEMA server, and then passed out to the portable GE, MO COP and mapbook projects. Updates are planned to be annual. Data (and mapbooks) will be stored on the HSIN Missouri page for responders to download.</p> <p>Symbology for the KML layers needs to be created. A sample of symbology will be created and sent out to this group for comments.</p> <p>The following comments were made to Bill for the GE project:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide a method for loading specific layers from various groupings.</li> <li>• Provide a link to metadata at the bottom of the KML popup window</li> <li>• Create a way for users to document/report errors in data layers</li> <li>• Add USNG as a layer</li> <li>• Provide a link to MO COP</li> </ul>	<p>Debbie will create a symbology set and send to the group for comments.</p> <p>Send any additional suggestions for this project to Debbie.</p>
<b>HSIP gold NAVTEQ</b>	Jeremiah Steele has DVDs for the HSIP NAVTEQ data to distribute. At this time this release is only for State GIS Coordinators, NSGIC, State EOC, Fusion Center, and National Guard JOC. The dataset includes streets, templates, routing and more.	Jeremiah will contact Paul Fennewald to provide more information on obtaining HSIP Gold.
<b>Virtual USA</b>	The CUSEC Technology working group met last month and agreed goals for the NLE 2011. The main focus was to try to share data with neighboring states and the feds. Virtual USA, a DHS program provides a secure portal for this. The goal is for each state to provide data feeds for 7 designated layers. vUSA has had pilot projects in the gulf region, the west coast, and Virginia. They have agreed to open their program to all the CUSEC states and will assist each state in joining the project and provide technical expertise in using their tools. Missouri has been given a temporary account with Debbie Briedwell as the administrator. An MOA is currently being reviewed by DPS officials in order to become a permanent member. Several Federal agencies are also members. Ray Fox would like to know if USGS is	Debbie will check to see if USGS is participating in vUSA.

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<b>Statewide Mapbooks</b>	Mapbooks are complete. They will be stored on the HSIN Missouri website for download once it is ready to be rolled out. Renee has created user manual for the GeoPDFs. The GeoPDFs and project template are available to download now on Delta State site temporarily.	
<b>USNG Training</b>	OHS has ordered 5000 romer scales to go with the mapbooks. We need regional and online training for the USNG, and will submit a funding request to OHS to create this. National Guard has a contract to create video training if needed. A breakout session on USNG basics, and a 4 hour workshop on USNG for GIS professionals were given at the Missouri GIS conference.	Renee will submit a funding request to OHS for USNG training.
<b>NSGIC conference summary</b>	Tim reported on a group he learned about at NSGIC conf., NAPSG. (National Association of Public Safety GIS). He suggested we get involved with their efforts. He also discussed 911 and the National Emergency Numbering Association who is creating a transition plan for NG9-1-1.	
<b>Broadband mapping</b>	Tim reports that his staff is busy calling around the state collecting information for the broadband project. The community access point data is complete and can be merged with the Statewide datasets.	Tim will get with Debbie on merging the CAP data with the statewide datasets.
<b>Blizzard Event</b>	The State EOC was activated for the blizzard. National Guard, SEMA, and DHSS all had GIS staff working at the State EOC (and JOC). Additional support was provided by DHSS GIS staff that worked from their office and home. This worked very well.	
<b>Upcoming Conferences Other</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 23<sup>rd</sup> Annual Missouri Emergency Management Conference, May 3-6th, Branson, MO <a href="http://www.sema.dps.mo.gov/">http://www.sema.dps.mo.gov/</a></li> <li>• NLE 2011 Earthquake Functional Exercise, May 16-20<sup>th</sup>, multiple locations</li> </ul>	
<b>NEXT MEETING</b>	April 12th, 2011. SEMA/National Guard Facilities – 10:00-12:00.	