

OGRIP Forum Minutes

February 22, 2010

I. Welcome and Introductions

- a. Welcome and introductions were conducted by Darlene Scott
- b. Approximately 35 people were present

II. Acceptance of January's minutes – after review of the minutes and agreement of two corrections, a motion was made and passed.

III. Announcements

- a. Aaron Winship from the National Guard announced that he is the lead of a work group that was formed to develop and submit to EMA for input from the counties. He is currently working with other state agencies such as ODOT and ODNR. A test site has already been launched. If you are interested in working on this workgroup, please contact Aaron.

- b. Donovan Powers announced that the Ohio Kentucky border dispute and resolution coordinates are available for download. ODNR is distributing the background information and GIS data at the request of David Conner NOAA, National Geodetic Survey Geodetic Advisor to the State of Ohio. Please share this link with colleagues:

<http://www.dnr.state.oh.us/OhioGeologicalSurvey/Publications/OhioKentuckyBoundaryMaps/tabid/22483/Default.aspx>

- c. Darlene Scott announced that the outreach meeting will be held on July 26th at 1:00 p.m. at the Northern Kentucky Planning Commission. More information will be provided as it gets closer. Darlene added that although Cincinnati and Toledo is a good connection, there is a need to include the Cleveland area.
- d. Darlene also announced that the OGRIP and URISA attendance tracking database is almost completed. It appeared that there wasn't much interest in another lunch meeting. If anyone has any suggestions on any topics, please let Darlene know.
- e. The next Ohio GIS conference committee meeting is March 29th at 10:00 a.m. at ODOT in conference room GB (last Monday of each month).

IV. Business

- a. Location Based Response System (LBRS) - Jeff Smith reported that 71 counties are participating in LBRS and expecting a couple of counties to submit within the next couple of weeks. Please urge counties to participate and contact Jeff Smith.
 - b. Ohio Statewide Imagery Program (OSIP) – On July 30, 2010 the contract is open for a purchase agreement. Eleven counties have imagery and enhanced products. This is the last round of OSIP project and will start back next spring.
 - c. OGRIP- OGRIP received a grant from USGS to develop strategic plan for the 50 state which will position OGRIP to receive funding for initiatives tied to 50 states. An RFQ will be made public to get a plan. The Forum is a good resource to get the need.
 - d. 2009 County Profile Update-Patricia Moehring reported that 60% of the counties are in the “pink” and there is more work needed. It is very important to talk to the counties to get more up-to-date information for new state’s initiatives and get them into the “blue.”
 - e. URISA Update-Fred Judson reported that there is a treasurer position available. The workshop committee was formed and upcoming events can be found on the events calendar at <http://www.ohurisa.org/>
- V. Presentation – Shoreh Elhami, Delaware County - URISA’s GISCorps (www.giscorps.org) coordinates short term volunteer GIS services to underserved communities worldwide. Since its inception in October 2003, the Corps has attracted 100’s of volunteers from over 74 countries. To date, GISCorps has deployed over 140 volunteers to 55 missions. These volunteers have contributed over 7,300 working hours in emergency and non emergency response missions including several K-12 projects in 28 countries. The presentation included information about missions that were implemented most recently. Delaware County chose to implement the Location Based Response System (LBRS) project in-house. The County conducted a pilot project in 2009 and based on the feedback, completed and submitted all the county-wide datasets to OGRIP/ODOT. A summary of the project was presented.
- VI. Next Meeting – March 29, 2010
- VII. Meeting was adjourned by Darlene Scott. A motion was made and seconded.