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Vanderburgh County GIS Technical Committee Meeting Minutes from March 16, 2005

Meeting Participants

The meeting convened at 9:15 a.m. on Mar 16, 2005 in room 318 of the Civic Center. Those in attendance included the following:

Matt Arvay
Carolyn Rusk
Laura Howell
Greg Grabner
Roger Lehman

Linda Freeman
Laura Lamb
Becky Groves
Philip Bernard
Byron Rohrig

Review and Approval of Previous Minutes

The minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

Subcommittee Reports

Plat Maintenance

Becky Groves reported she has completed all plat track edits except for subdivisions, and has received some training in the 9.0 ArcMap. Matt A. reported that the Parcel Project has been approved and the kick off meeting should be scheduled soon.

Status of Projects Tasks

Projects in Progress

Water and Sewer Utility

Matt A. reported they are continuing to reposition features. Matt reported there are 40 of the 500 quarter sections that have been edited on the water side, and 185 of the 300 quarter sections for the sewer side.

Addressing and Corrections

Laura H. reported that there a few updates this month. We changed Basset Av to Bassett Av, Rogers Park to Roger Park, also renamed the stretch of road east of 41 to Waterworks Rd. per the County Commissioners approval.

Zoning

Matt A. reported no new comments.

Arc IMS Websites

Matt A. reported there is a new internal website, for the Call before you Dig Program, it shows underground conduit and traffic signal equip with buffers. We are also working with Pat Keepes of City Engineer to map the storm sewers. Greg G reported about the Regulated Drain Tax Assessment website for the County Surveyors, used for tax billing purposes.

GPS

Matt A. reported him and Scott Davis the new network person, along with Mark Rolley plan to meet on Thursday morning, to discuss mounting and wiring procedures. Linda F. requested from Matt to contact IC for an itemized bill, instead of a lumped sum invoice. Carolyn R. also commented that it should be standard practice for all vendors to supply an itemized invoice to the city or county.

2005 State Color Ortho Photography

Matt A. provided a map of the State of Indiana showing the areas that have already been flown. Several people asked about which controls points were used, Earth Data has their own surveyors to capture control points. Matt A. provided contact information to the County Surveyors for control point questions. Also several people asked when the data will be delivered, at this point we only know in the fall and we are receiving 6 inch color images. We will also be receiving near infrared meter images. Size of data was discussed and where the location of the data will reside, Matt A reported we are getting a new storage unit that will hold terabytes of data.

Web address to track flight paths: <http://216.127.128.27/mapsite/indiana/viewer.asp>

Permitting, Coding, and Licensing Software Solutions

Matt A. reported the contract will be signed on next Thursday, and they will also have a press conference afterwards. Municipal Software has been granted the contract, and the first phase will include citizen complaint, permitting, and code enforcement. Phase 2 will include Business Contractor licensing, work order management, planning and review. Software will also include some general ledger tools, and is expandable in the future.

Map Printing Policy

Matt A. reported we have had a good working relationship in the past with sharing the costs, hopefully this can continue in the future

METS Routing System

Laura H. reported no changes.

Other Business

GIS Department has installed a Barracuda Spam Filter, which in one week it had blocked over 58,000 spam emails, also blocked over 30 viruses. This provides an extra layer of protection from junk email.

Carolyn Rusk asked about the size limit of her email, because it has changed within the last two weeks, Matt A will be addressing the issue to VenNet in the next few weeks.

Linda Freeman asked about the best spy ware software, Ad ware and Spybot were the results.

Matt A reported by Warrick and Henderson counties are developing GIS systems.

GIS User Group Meeting Topic is: How GIS has benefited EUTS
Date and Time: Mar 29, 2005 – 9:15 to 10:15 am with guest presenter Laura Lamb
Location: Water Department conference room 100

Next Meeting

The next Evansville/Vanderburgh County GIS Technical Meeting is scheduled for Apr 20, 2005, at 9:15 a.m., Room 100 of the Civic Center, 1 NW Martin Luther King Jr. BLVD.