

**Oregon GIS Program Leaders Meeting  
November 4, 2008  
Oregon Dept. of Forestry - Salem**

**Present:** Bob Harmon, OWRD; Dorothy Mortenson, OWRD; Randy Dana, DLCD; Cy Smith, DAS/GEO; Rudie Watzig, DOGAMI; Laer Haider, DHS; Terri Noble, OMD; Jon Bowers, ODFW; Ashley Seim, OWEB; Diana Walker, ODA; Randuy Sounhein, DSL; Rob McDougald, ESRI;

**Scribe:** Randy Sounhein, DSL

Topic	Discussion Summary	Result	Action Req'd Yes/No	Resp. Party
<b>Introductions</b>		Self introductions	No	
<b>Minutes</b>		September minutes approved	Yes	GEO
<b>Next meeting</b>		December 9 at DSL	Yes	DSL
<b>ESRI Users Group Meeting, Rob McDougald</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• State agency ESRI user group meeting. The vision is to create a regular-occurring, collaborative, and technical meeting environment to facilitate GIS knowledge exchange. Topics will include talk on ArcServer by John S., along with a report by Joe Bernert on Geocoding.</li> </ul>	November 20, 10-12, at DSL	No	
<b>GEO report, Cy</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project Dashboard: Cy provided an update on the status of listed projects (see handout).</li> <li>• Looking for temporary staff to help while John Kushell out. Not sure when John will return.</li> <li>• ELA update—in progress. There may be a meeting with the advisory group in December.</li> <li>• Software Standard - The Standard is on the books but DAS EISPD is still working on the exception process. Would like to exclude web viewers, for example.</li> <li>• Web Image Portal – still no DRG's available at the site or through a web service.</li> <li>• Storage of uncompressed imagery SDC will not be pursued further due to their assessment model. State is getting away from storing raw data and instead hosting the data through web services.</li> <li>• GEO has hired Dave Sander to work over in Bend on Flood Plane/FEMA work.</li> <li>• OGOC: Cy has applied for two USGS "CAP" grants for funding</li> <li>• Dave Mather is working on Crime/Census Viewer:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Talked about hosting web services</li> <li>○ R. Sounhein – Explained, "Service" versus Web Applications. ESRI confirmed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>			

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<b>Agency reports:</b>				
<b>Water Resources</b>	<p>NHD data is available for the region. Metro plans to move their hydro data to stream channels derived from LiDAR. Emmor and Bob are working with the BLM and FS on defining parameters for channel delineation from LiDAR in a pilot funded through Framework.</p> <p>Bob will schedule a Hydro FIT meeting in early 2009 with the Oregon partners. Moving to the NHD will be the focus of the meeting.</p>			
<b>Fish &amp; Wildlife</b>	<p>Asked about Stream identifiers and managing multiple linear systems on a single geometry. ESRI's Rob McDougal stated, "ESRI has code that addresses this and has provided it to ODOT reps."</p> <p>Are working on migrating data from 1:100K over to 1:24K scales. Their Fish Habitat layer should be available in early 2009. The Fish Passages Barrier will be available sometime in Summer 2009.</p>			
<b>Land Conservation &amp; Development</b>	<p>Management has decided that they should buy GIS Enterprise Licenses. They now have dedicated staff to facilitate the updates of the UGB layer.</p> <p>They are continuing to work on the marine reserve project as well as the FEMA Hazards project.</p>			
<b>Watershed Enhancement Board</b>	<p>They are working on creating a map of restoration projects that they fund. They only need to house small datasets so they won't really need to set up their own ArcGIS Server.</p> <p>Attended the NW ESRI conference in Idaho.</p>			
<b>Agriculture</b>	No report.			
<b>Geology</b>	<p>Geology Dataset is nearing completion and should be available in Dec 2008.</p> <p>Are migrating away from Open Source GIS and have installed ArcGIS Server.</p>			
<b>Military</b>	No report.			
<b>Human Services</b>	<p>Their Census application data is now being served, however there is a problem with the issues of data currency.</p> <p>There is a renewed interest in utilizing</p>			

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	GIS in public Heath. Seniors and folks with disabilities need to have access to data via KML files for the web.			
<b>Lands</b>	<p>Continuing on migration file based datasets over to the Enterprise Geodatabases hosted on ArcGIS Server (SDE).</p> <p>Continuing to support GIS services via ArcIMS (9.3).</p> <p>Working on the State Lands Inventory Vision. Will have something in near future.</p>			