



Winnebago County Geographic Information System

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MINUTES
October 19, 2017
1:30 P.M.

PRESENT: Eric Stromberg (North Park Public Water); Tara DeRosa (City of Rockford); Chris Dornbush (Winnebago County); Tim Bragg (Rockford Park District); Mike Robertson (Rock River Water Reclamation District); Chad Hunter (Village of Machesney Park)

ABSENT: Village of Cherry Valley, City of Loves Park

OTHERS PRESENT:

Glenn Trommels

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 1:34 PM

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- **Motion to approve the September 21st, 2017 minutes by City of Rockford; Second Winnebago County.** Approved 5:0:3. (*Chad Hunter arrived after this vote*)

ACTION ITEMS

PRESENTATIONS & PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

OLD BUSINESS

- **EOC Drill(s):**
 - Drill took place on September 26th and was considered a success by IEMA.
- **Subcommittee Update(s):**
 - Projects/Initiatives Committee has met with/had phone interviews with the three candidates to aid in our ArcGIS upgrade. We will regroup with any follow up questions for them and hope to have a decision made in the very near future.
 - Data Pricing Committee: Steve found ReportAllUSA, a company that sells parcel data, with attributes for 97% of the counties in the United States, Winnebago County included. Their price for Winnebago County is \$200. Multiple calls and email(s) to ReportAllUSA have gone un-returned. Winnebago County inquired if we have forwarded this to the Winnebago County State's Attorney's Office for their input. We have not, at this point.
- **ILGISA:**
 - Sarah, Glenn, Eric and Steve attended the ILGISA Conference in Bloomington. Specifically, the group attended a seminar on upgrading to ArcGIS Enterprise, since that is the upgrade we are going to be making.
- **Rockford Township:**
 - The snapshot of data that we display on WinGIS has been removed, leaving in place the link to Rockford Township's site. This is to avoid any consistency errors and between the data

they supply to us and the data they maintain and eliminate confusion for our/their site visitors.

- **Alignment Rockford:**

- WinGIS attended this career day for Rockford Public High Schools again this year. Interestingly, a group of Guilford students stopped by to mention that they had actually used WinGIS to complete a class project. Sarah went on to say, that since District 205 is a limited member, WinGIS may reach out to the teacher to see if there was anything else we could do to aid in his class projects.

NEW BUSINESS

- **Boone Data :**

- Issues with the Boone data resulted in its removal from the web sites and its unavailability for sde users. The resulting knowledge led to general maintenance being performed on other databases as well and rest services optimization.

- **DataMaster Data Cleanup:**

- WinGIS is performing some cleanup on the streets data to aid in the upgrade to a new 911 system the City/County are looking to implement. Glenn went to say that if WinGIS was going to be responsible, going forward, for maintaining the integrity of the data, the 911 board was willing to compensate WinGIS for its efforts. That number is still being calculated.

- **Project List:**

- WinGIS presented a project list for updates and improvements suggested for the new fiscal year. The largest project being the aforementioned upgrade to ArcGIS Enterprise. The Technical board is to review the list and be prepared to discuss offer input at the next meeting.

OTHER MATTERS

The next Technical Meeting will be held November 16, 2017 at 1:30 pm in the WinGIS Office (313 N. Main St.)

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting Closed

- **Motion to adjourn by Rock River Water Reclamation District; Second by Rockford Park District.**
Approved 6:0:2.

Respectfully submitted,

WinGIS

WinGIS Participating Agencies

Winnebago County – City of Rockford – Rockford Park District – Rock River Water Reclamation District -
City of Loves Park – Village of Machesney Park – North Park Public Water District – Village of Cherry Valley –
Village of Roscoe – City of South Beloit – Village of Rockton – Village of Pecatonica

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