



SCOTT COUNTY GIS USER GROUP

Wednesday, February 18, 2009

1:30 PM to 2:20 PM

Prior Lake City Hall – Parkview Community Room
4646 Dakota St SE, Prior Lake

Minutes

I. Easements

- a. Scott Co surveyor (Jim Hentges) agreed to capture all easements shown on plats, starting in 2009
- b. Easements recorded separately from a plat will be tracked by cities and then provided to Scott Co for incorporation into dataset
- c. Data options – might be easier to work with polygons instead of lines
- d. Beneficial to have doc attached to data
- e. WSB could possibly provide a data dictionary from past project
- f. Jen will arrange a meeting w/ Jim, John & Greg to discuss data types and historic data
- g. Continue discussion about what options are for:
 - i. Historic data (platted vs. individually recorded documents)
 - ii. Vacated R-O-W

II. Oblique Aerial Photos – Pictometry

- a. Implementation at cities
 - i. PL not set up; NP has some set up, no training, storing photos locally
 - ii. Current (2008) imagery is on MS Live; also linked via Co GIS page
 - iii. A configuration manager is used to help manage installations on multiple computers
 - iv. Could possibly have quarterly training at Scott Co
 - v. What would cities like to see at training? – let Jim know
- b. ChangeFindr – tool that finds changes in building footprints
 - i. Co Assessor has interest; some interest among cities but money is not available
 - ii. Scott Co is going to continue looking into it

III. New business as brought up by members

- a. Reschedule October meeting to 10/14/09 because of MN GIS/LIS Conference
- b. Scott Co docs on-line: cities can have free access to the information; contact Janice From (interim Co Recorder) for log-in / password (jfrom@co.scott.mn.us or 952-496-8150)
- c. SCALE / GIS discussions held 3rd Weds each month at Edelweiss 7-8 a.m.

- d. Web services now available
 - i. Addresses / mailing labels
 - ii. Soils
- e. Foreclosures (no new data since late summer 2008) – should have data available monthly, starting soon

Our next regular meeting will be **Weds, April 15, 2009 at 1:30** at PL City Hall.

Mark your calendars: Regular group meetings are held on the **third Wednesday of the even months at 1:30**. The following are the scheduled meetings for 2009:

February 18	April 15
June 17	August 19
October 14 *	December 16
<i>GIS Day is Wednesday, November 18, 2009</i>	

* October meeting is rescheduled due to conflict with MN GIS/LIS Conference

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