



Next Generation 911 Work Group Meeting Notes for August 11, 2011

ATTENDEES

- David Arbeit
- Joseph Becker
- Cheryl Benjamin
- Bill Burgess
- Glen Condon
- Jon Gottsegen
- Bert Granberg
- Ivan Weichert
- Bill Johnson
- Patrick Melancon
- Kenny Miller (Co-Chair)
- Joy Paulus
- Joe Sewash
- Ian Von Essen (Chair)
- Dan Widner

AGENDA

1. Review & Approve Minutes form Last Meeting
2. Presentation by Joseph Becker “GIS: on the Critical Path of Next Generation 9-1-1”
3. Provide Status update on NSGIC’s Next Generation 911 Brochure
4. Review NG 911 Top 10 Document
5. NG911 NSGIC Conference Session
6. NSGIC/URISA Working Group Conference Call

DISCUSSION

1) Review & Approve Notes form Last Meeting

- No Corrections
- Notes were approved

2) Presentation by Joseph Becker “GIS: on the Critical Path of Next Generation 9-1-1”

- The slide showing the accuracy of call locations is about 2 years old, but it represented a large number of jurisdictions and reviews of all of them – all east of the Mississippi
- There does not seem to be much accuracy testing going on at this time. We should be doing more.
- ATT has sent out notices that they are pushing back implementation of the accuracy standard for 8 years
- What do we need to do with regard to address points – how many address points are required and where should they be?
- What is the nearest entry point? Driveway
- What will be implemented first and what ‘drivers’ are there for the data



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- We have the tools to push the data out now – ArcGIS for local government
- Help the CAD guys to stop trying to emulate GIS
- In 1995 – 75% of the PSAPs did not have mapping systems
- We should start going live with GIS in the operation centers
- There are some legal concerns
- Discussion about coordinated development of data sets – reduced costs, no edge matching problems, etc.
- Might want to inform people about the CAP awards for business planning that could be focused on this activity

3) Provide Status update on NSGIC's Next Generation 911 Brochure

- Last week, NENA provide significant edits on the Working Smarter Together brochure
- We redrafted it and sent it out for final approval
- We are expecting approval and final edits very soon
- We will begin to distribute the brochure as soon as it is approved

4) Review the NG 911 Top 10 document

- A draft top ten list was shared with the Work Group
- Comments were provided to allow for the creation of a final document

5) NG911 NSGIC Conference Session

- Ian will talk about the activities of the Work Group
- Cheryl will talk about NY activities
- Kenny will talk about MD activities
- Ian will talk about Local government activities in Washington State
- Provide any suggestions or comments to Kenny for this Panel

6) NSGIC/URISA Working Group Conference Call

- Brief introductions & discussion of what each organization could bring to the table in regards to NG911.
- Primary focus of meeting was setting up a panel discussion on addressing for upcoming URISA/NENA conference in New Orleans, LA