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**January 7, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
City of Bakersfield, Development Services Building**

The following agenda items were discussed:

I. Roll Call: The following voting members were not present: Bruce Deeter, Rand Worley, Mark Sabin, Ursula Barnfield and Michelle Bitner (Dennis McNamara substituted for Michelle Bitner).

II. Visitors were introduced. Bob Amos (City of Bakersfield - GIS Div.) was recommended to be added as a voting privileges member by Juan Tobar. Michelle Bitner (KernCOG) is no longer able to attend meetings, therefore Dennis McNamara, KernCOG is recommended to assume her voting privileges.

III. Minutes were approved from the December 3, 1999 meeting. Dennis McNamara agreed to take meeting notes for Dave Dow.

IV. Status Report on the Medium and High Resolution Imagery Contract

A status report on the imagery project was passed out for member review. Rob Ball discussed the highlights. The MOU needs to be signed by all participating agencies and checks are due to Kern COG by 5pm 2/1/00. Approximately \$300,000 dollars of aerial imagery will be acquired. 17 agencies plan to sign MOU representing approximately 30 state, federal and local government entities. Many of the special districts are sharing the cost of large agency participation fees through the Kern County Water Agency, NOR Municipal Water District and the Kern County Superintendent of Schools. All County departments are being covered by the County Administrative Office.

AirPhotoUSA, LLC was ranked number one of four eligible consultants at a meeting of the consultant selection committee on December 15. Kern COG is proceeding with contract negotiations with AirPhotoUSA. A draft consultant contract was not available in time for this meeting. The following details are under negotiation:

- Medium Res Imagery: 3 meter pixel resolution, color digital orthoimagery w/ 33ft. absolute accuracy to cover entire county (\$83,000)
- High Res. Imagery: 1 foot pixel resolution, color high resolution othoimagery w/ 33ft absolute accuracy to cover urban areas (\$400/sq. mile for approx. 300 square miles).

USDA is not anticipated to deliver the 1995 medium resolution orthoimages until June 2000. Signing of the MOU was delayed 1 month to allow for additional participants. This should not affect delivery date according to the consultant. Special Thanks to Dave Dow for all his work in beta-testing samples from the consultants. Thanks to the Kern County Water Agency for spearheading the medium resolution project participation by 12 special districts.

V. Juan Tobar of the City of Bakersfield discussed its modified implementation of a federal Spatial Data Standards for Facilities, Infrastructure, and the Environment (SDS... formerly TSSDS) for streamlining data management involving an expanded name directory structure. Juan will publish their directory structure and layer name conventions on their web site by February 4, 2000: <http://www.ci.bakersfield.ca.us/gis/>. Download the SDS browser at: <http://tsc.wes.army.mil/products/tssds-tsfmts/tssds/html/sdsprods.asp>

VI. Mary Tsui, Land Systems Group, Monterey, and consultant for the GIS Standards Component to New Valley Connexions (NVC) Project for the San Joaquin Valley (SJV), gave a workshop on creating standards and cataloging data on-line in the SJV (catalog your data at <http://ceres.ca.gov/catalog/>). Mary suggested that the City of Bakersfield implementation of federal SDS appears to be further along than the rest of the region and may be a good start for a regional content standard. Next Bakersfield NVC Workshop is planned for April.

IX. Adjourn

Revision 1 - February 4th, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes City of Bakersfield, Development Services Building

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II. Visitors were introduced.

III. Minutes were approved from the January 7th, 2000 meeting without any changes.

IV. Kern Multi-Agency Imagery Consultant Recommendation -

Minor changes to the Scope of Work and some clarification on distribution rights and other issues were discussed. The following changes were proposed:

- The high resolution imagery will change from 2 foot pixel resolution to 1 foot.
- The medium resolution imagery will change from 5 meter pixel resolution to 3 meter.
- Accuracy of the high resolution imagery shall be +/- 6 to 10 feet for 90% of the image.

Other issues and clarifications included:

- Distribution rights have not been fully clarified and will require additional work before proposing a recommendation to the Executive Committee.
- Air Photo USA will be providing the imagery in both their proprietary format and ECW (ER Mapper) format.
- Air Photo USA will be collecting data at a 1 meter pixel resolution for the county-wide medium resolution project, which will be purchasable directly from them. The estimated cost will be somewhere between \$15,000 and \$20,000.
- The start date of the project has been pushed back approximately one month due to funding issues. The funding issues have subsequently been resolved.

The proposed changes were voted on and unanimously approved.

V. City/County/Special District collaboration on development of the base map -

Postponed to later meeting.

VI. Status on the Great Valley Center/New Valley Connections/San Joaquin Regional GIS Standards -

Rob Ball indicated that KernCOG has begun to implement the Spatial Data Standard (SDS) adopted by the City of Bakersfield (this can be reviewed on the City's web page at <http://www.ci.bakersfield.ca.us/gis>). The SDS is being proposed in conjunction with The New Valley Connections project and may actually become the defacto standard for all agencies in the Southern San Joaquin Valley. A New Valley Connections workshop is proposed at County ITS (Basement of the County Courthouse) on Mar. 23, 2000 at 1 p.m. (after the ArcView Users Group Meeting held at KernCOG from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.).

VII. 6th Annual California GIS Conference, Mar. 1-3 in Palm Springs. Register at <http://www.calgis.org> -

No discussion



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**February 4th, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
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No discussion

VIII. Work Remaining Status Report - No discussion

IX. Other Business -

- Bob Mills from County ESS reported on base map progress for Kern County. Currently they are in the process of prioritizing areas and filling in holes where good section information is still needed.
- Larry Vredenburg from the BLM stated GCDB data is available (or soon will be) for the region and can be downloaded off their web site at <http://www.ca.blm.gov>.

X. Adjourn -

Next meeting scheduled for April 7th at 9 a.m. in Development Services first floor conference room.



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**March, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Minutes
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No meeting scheduled.

**April 7th, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
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The following agenda items were discussed:

I. Roll Call: The following voting members were not present: Bruce Deeter, Juan Tobar, Dave Dow, Randy Worley, Ursula Barnfield, Richard Frias.

II. Visitors were introduced.

III. Meeting notes were approved from the February 4th, 2000 meeting were approved with the following change.

"IX. Other Business -

Bob Mills from County ESS reported on base map progress for Kern County. ~~Currently they are in the process of prioritizing areas and filling in holes where good section information is still needed.~~"

The March 3rd, 2000 meeting was canceled due to scheduling conflicts.

IV. Rob Ball Reported on the Kern GEONET Executive Committee Meeting held 3/9/00.

1) In attendance: Ron Brummett, Kern COG; Jack Hardisty, Bakersfield; Chuck Lackey, Kern County Engineering & Survey Services; Tony Ansolobehere (for Richard Russell) Kern County Assessor.

2) Change in voting members approved: Dennis McNamara for Michelle Bitner, Kern COG; Bob Amos added representing the City of Bakersfield.

3) Annual Report - Received, 100 additional copies requested.

4) Base Map Status Report - Chuck Lackey reported that an internal coordinating group has been meeting at the CAO for several months. They were requesting to fund base map during this year's budget process over a period of two years.

5) Multi-Agency Aerial Imagery Project Status Report - The first phase of the pilot project was completed.

6) Aerial Imagery Redistribution Policy - The executive committee requested that the Multi-Agency Aerial Imagery MOU be amended (see item VI. below)

7) Status on the Kern Superintendent of Schools being added to the GEONETT - Awaiting response from the Superintendent to letter sent last fall.

8) On-going work - GIS standards for the New Valley Connexions Project - Preliminary report signed by Governor Davis.

9) Next Executive Committee Meeting: Tuesday, May 16, 2000, 10am at Kern COG.

V. Kern Medium and High Resolution Imagery Project - Progress Report - preliminary Pilot Project results were received review and discussed. Some changes to the product were passed on to the consultant.

VI. At the Request of the Executive Committee Draft Amendment to the Kern Multi-Agency Aerial Imagery MOU was distributed to all 16 participants in the MOU. The amendment sets up an Imagery Fund for offsetting the costs of future updates to the imagery to the participants. Legal review and changes to the Amendment are due back to Kern COG by April 28, 2000.

VII. City/County/Special District collaboration on development of the base map - postponed till next meeting

VIII. Status on Great Valley Center/New Valley Connexions/ San Joaquin Regional GIS Standards. Juan Tobar reported on the City of Bakersfield's GIS implementation efforts.

IX. Work Remaining - no discussion

X. Other Business - Michelle Bitner distributed a survey for the San Joaquin Valley Intelligent Transportation Systems

XI. Schedule - **REGULAR MEETING VOTED TO BE MOVED TO THE FIRST THURSDAY AFTERNOON OF EVERY MONTH BEGINNING JUNE 1, 2000 at 1:30PM (same location).**

XII. Adjourn -

Next meeting scheduled for May 5th at 9 a.m. in Development Services first floor conference room.



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**May 5th, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
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The following agenda items were discussed:

- I. Roll Call: The following voting members were not present: Juan Tobar, Dave Dow, Randy Worley, Ursula Barnfield, Sharon Schooley.
- II. Frank Lane, City of California City, was recommended to the Executive Committee to become a voting member.
- III. Minutes were approved from the February and April meetings.
- IV. City of Bakersfield benefits analysis was presented, containing actual examples of identified cost savings.
- V. Mary Cook of AirPhoto USA gave a status report on the imagery project and handed out a user survey.
- VI. The Aerial Imagery MOU Amendment has been delayed approximately 1 month to allow time for redrafting of the amendment to meet the concerns of the City of Bakersfield.
- VII. Status on the Great Valley Center/New Valley Connections/San Joaquin Regional GIS Standards - A valley wide meeting has been scheduled for June 20, 2000 at CSU Fresno.
- VIII. 6th Annual California GIS Conference, Mar. 1-3 in Palm Springs. Register at <http://www.calgis.org> -
- IX. Work Remaining Status Report - No discussion
- X. Other Business - At the April meeting the Technical Committee voted to move to the First Thursday of every month at 1:30
- XI. Adjourn -

Next meeting scheduled for June 8th at 1:30 pm in Development Services first floor conference room.

Kern GEONET

THE KERN GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION NETWORK

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June 1, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes City of Bakersfield, Development Services Building

The following agenda items were discussed:

I. Roll Call: The following voting members were not present: Juan Tobar, Bob Amos, Ursula Barnfield, Sharon Schooley.

II. Frank Lane of California City was welcomed as a new voting member. Mike Heimer was recommended to replace Dennis McNamara as a voting member for Kern COG.

III. Meeting notes were approved from the May meeting.

IV. Report on the Kern GEONETT Executive Committee was given by Rob Ball.

- Frank Lane was added as a voting member to the technical committee.
- Joel Heinrichs of E-Gov Edge - Presented a preliminary proposal on a multi-agency government web portal. A sub committee was established to explore the idea headed by Chuck Lackey, Director of Kern County Engineering & Survey Services.
- Chuck Lackey gave a report on the County Base Map development. The county is requesting to fund the base map in this years budget talks over a 2 year period.
- Rob Ball gave a status report on the proposed amendment to the Aerial Imagery MOU. The City of Bakersfield Public Works Department is opposed to it. A change to the amendment was suggested by the Executive Committee members.
- A paper titled "Why Should We Fund GIS" was distributed listing real life examples of how the City of Bakersfield is saving money with their Geographic Information System (GIS).
- Rob Ball gave an update on an effort to form a San Joaquin Valley GIS data sharing and standards development organization backed by the Great Valley Center - New Valley Connexions project.

V. Imagery Progress Report

- Aerial imagery prints of all the areas to be acquired have arrived. The first delivery of digital data is expected June 15th.
- The consultant missed the first deadline for delivery of the digital data. Currently they are one month behind due to poor weather conditions in February. The consultant requested an amendment to the their contract allowing them to contribute additional services in-lieu of the 10% required penalty for missing a deadline. The in-kind services would be of equal or greater value than the 10% penalty (\$24,040). Proposed services included: a re-projection of the 1995 US Geological Survey's mapping quality 1995 aerial imagery (a.k.a. DOQQs) into the same format as the rest of the contract is being delivered in; large color wall murals for each participant, and further discounts on the 1 Meter imagery county-wide.
- A motion was made to either amend the current contract or create a new contract to accept the proposed in-kind services in-lieu of the cash payment of 10% of the contract. **The motion passed.**

VII. Status on the Great Valley Center/New Valley Connections/San Joaquin Regional GIS Standards - A valley wide meeting has been scheduled for June 20, 2000 at CSU Fresno.

IX. Work Remaining Status Report - No discussion

XI. Adjourn



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**July 3rd, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Minutes
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No meeting scheduled.

**August 3rd, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
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The following agenda items were discussed:

- I. Roll Call - The following voting members were not present: Dennis McNamara, Bob Mills, and Frank Lane.
- II. Introduction/nominate new voting members - Tony Ansolabehere from the Kern County Assessors office was nominated to become a voting member of the committee.
- III. Review and approve minutes from last meeting - Minutes were approved from the June 1st, 2000 meeting without any changes.
- IV. G.I.S. Showcase: City of Bakersfield - Bob Amos from the City of Bakersfield M.I.S. Department demonstrated a product called ACDC, which is an image file reader and organizer. This product operates similar to Windows Explorer except it also displays an image of any image type file (TIFF, JPG, BMP, BIL, etc) and is very fast. This software can be purchased for approximately \$40.00 per copy. In addition the City demonstrated two projects in progress:
 - A 3D model of Downtown Bakersfield extruded from the new aerial photography.
 - An internet mapping application using ESRI's ArcIMS software.
- V. Proposed Aerial Imagery Fee Distribution/Reimbursement Policy - Rob Ball from KernCOG circulated a proposed draft of the Aerial Imagery Fee and Reimbursement Policy. The policy was reviewed and the following items were clarified:
 - Consultants have free access to the digital files specifically for projects they are contracted to work on for a participating agency. They will not be allowed to use the digital imagery outside the scope of said project.
 - The purchase of ortho-rectified digital images will be coordinated through KernCOG.
 - Distribution or sale of imagery to the public by the participating agency will be limited to hard copy prints or simple digital "snap shots" of limited areas. For example, a JPG or BMP file could be generated of a specific area for distribution onto a floppy disk or web site. In no case should such digital "snap shot" exceed 500 mb and can not be an ortho-rectified image (i.e. no world file with real world coordinates associated with the export file).

The draft policy was voted on and approved by group consent.

- VI. Proposed Aerial Imagery License Agreement Limiting Use - Rob Ball from KernCOG circulated a proposed draft of the License Agreement and Limitation of Liability Statement for Digital Aerial Imagery from the Kern Multi-Agency Aerial Imagery Project for review and comment at a later date. No action taken.
- VII. Report on the Great Valley Center/New Valley Connections/San Joaquin Regional G.I.S. Standards Kick-off Meeting June 20, 2000 - A meeting was held June 20 at Cal State Fresno to discuss plans for sharing data and resources in the 8 county Southern San Joaquin Valley. It was determined a repository would be developed to be housed at Cal State Fresno and a web site developed to access and download data. A license agreement will be developed for regional data sharing among

the various participants. Copies of the licence agree were distributed for legal counsel review. Since most data held by Kern GEONET members is considered public domain (excepting recent imagery and sensitive data sets), there should be little problem licensing the data to Cal State Fresno. No action taken.

VIII. GEONET Annual Status Report - Individual reports for individual departments with an emphasis on predicted cost savings are due Sept. 7, 2000 (next meeting). No action taken.

IX. Kern Multi-Agency Web Portal Project - Joel Heinrichs and Randy Rowles of eGovEdge made a concept presentation regarding a proposed local government portal web site. In general they are proposing a comprehensive web site that would provide an integrated location for all government related activities in the region. This site would provide a combination of information and services including the ability to complete transactions (i.e. purchase building permits, business licenses, submit plans, etc.). The idea is to provide a single comprehensive integrated resource for local government activities regardless of the jurisdiction. eGovEdge is not asking for any funding from local government at this time. No action taken.

X. Work Remaining - Sharon Scooley from Kern County fire provided a E-911 Street File update. There was mention of a possible Valley Wide parcel base in to works. No action taken.

XI. Next meeting scheduled for Sept. 7, 2000 at 1:30 p.m in the Development Services 1st Floor Conference Room. Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

September 7, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes City of Bakersfield, Development Services Building

The following agenda items were discussed:

- I. Roll Call - All voting members were present..
- II. Introduction/nominate new voting members - None proposed.
- III. Review and approve minutes from last meeting - Minutes were approved from the August 3rd, 2000 meeting without any changes.
- IV. Rob Ball gave an overview report on the Great Valley Center/New Valley Connections/San Joaquin Regional GIS Standards Process. (Information)
- V. Rob Ball "encouraged" the technical committee to present reports/articles for the next annual report. The emphasis was on cost savings, productivity increases, accuracy improvements, and reduction of redundancy. The reports are due as soon as possible (already past the deadline). (Information)
- VI. A new version of Photo Mapper was distributed at the Imagery Users Group meeting. There were some troubleshooting issues reported, additional issues will be discussed at a later date. (Information)
- VII. Kern URISA is planning participation in Geoweeek/National GIS Day on November 14, 2000. A planning meeting was scheduled for Sept. 7, 2000. The results of that meeting will be discussed at the next Geonet meeting. (Information)
- VIII. Work Remaining - Discussion was raised about the E-911 street file not being maintained. The Assessor's office plans on updating the Valley Wide data set. Budgeting for the County Wide base map has been approved. The money won't be available until January (this includes funding for 4 positions) Updating of the Valley Wide project can not occur until the base map is available. There was some additional discussion about updating data format and parcel attribute standards.
- IX. Next meeting scheduled for October 5, 2000 at 1:30 p.m in the Development Services 1st Floor Conference Room. Meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

Jim Ellis. Postal Service.



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**October 5, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes
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The following agenda items were discussed:

- I. Roll Call – The following voting members were absent Bruce Deeter, Frank Lane, Mark Sabin, Jim Isbel, and Randy Worley.
- II. Introduction/nominate new voting members - None proposed.
- III. Review and approve minutes from last meeting - Minutes were approved from the September 7th, 2000. There was some discussion about the E-911 project and how it will be maintained in the future. Responsibility for maintenance of the data has changed from County Fire to County Engineering and Survey Services. Bob Mills has informed us that there is not available resources to continue maintenance. There were no changes proposed. (Group vote)
- IV. GIS used for Kern Regional Population Forecasts – Rob Ball presented a slide showing how KernCOG geocoded parcel centroids to attain population distribution and employment locations. The data generated was used as part of the revised regional transportation model. (Information)
- V. Rob Ball “encouraged” the technical committee to present reports/articles for the next annual report. The emphasis was on cost savings, productivity increases, accuracy improvements, and reduction of redundancy. The reports are due as soon as possible (already past the deadline). (Information)
- VI. In-kind services for conversion of the 1995 DOQQ's to Photo Mapper format and creation of wall murals are commencing Except City of Bakersfield, which chose to receive a refund rather than the in-kind services product. (Information)
- VII. Kern URISA is planning participation in Geoweeek/National GIS Day on November 14, 2000. (Information)
- VIII. Work Remaining – no discussion
- iX. Other Business – Sharon Scooley discussed a product available from Oracle called Spatial Cartridge, which is designed to support imagery. The product may be worth looking into in the future. (Information)
- X. Next meeting scheduled for November 3, 2000 at 1:30 p.m. in the Development Services 1st Floor Conference Room. Meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.



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**November 2nd, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Minutes
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No minutes available.



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December 7, 2000 Technical Committee Meeting Notes City of Bakersfield, Development Services Building

The following agenda items were discussed:

- I. Roll Call – The following voting members were absent Mark Sabin. (Note: Bob Amos was present at the November 2nd, 2000 meeting – sorry Bob)
- II. Introduction/nominate new voting members – Bob Amos and Michael Heimer of KernCOG was instated as a voting members for Juan Tobar and Michelle Bitner respectively.
- III. Review and approve minutes from last meeting - Minutes were approved from the November 2nd, 2000 meeting as submitted. (Group vote)
- IV. Kern Geonet Annual Status Report – The draft report was approved by the Executive Committee. The final version was distributed at this meeting. A copy of the report is to be sent out to all elected officials with a cover letter. (Information)
- V. Kern Geonet Executive Committee meeting Report – The following issues were discussed:
 - The Technical Committee was commended on our progress and accomplishments.
 - Approval of the Annual Report (mentioned above).
 - Considered a request from Aerial Photo USA to allow marketing of the one-foot imagery for less than the cost of participating in the Multi-Agency Imagery MOU. They decided this could not be done at this time because it would require a complete rewrite of the MOU and subsequent re-approval of all 16 parties involved.
 - They discussed the RFI for a proposed multi-agency web portal. There were eleven responses received. All proposals will be reviewed by a separate multi-agency steering committee. RFP should be received and circulated early next year.
 - They discussed issues concerning maintenance of the E-911 master street file. There have been questions raised concerning the following:
 - What future positions are being proposed for this purpose?
 - A City position is being funded for City/Metro maintenance. How will this position be coordinated into the overall scheme?
 - How will the process be coordinated between City/County Fire, County ESS, and Emergency Dispatch?
 - New Valley Connection/Great Valley Center and Spatial Data Standard issues. (see discussion below)
- . (Information)
- VI. Leveraging Local Government Data using SDS – KernCOG is awaiting a grant from the US Army for creation of an implementation guide for SDS (Spatial Data Standard) within the region. The a matching grant is being applied for from the Great Valley Center as follow up to their

New Valley Connexions Project. (Information)

VII. Imagery Status Report and Update Initiative – Most of the DOQQ's have been delivered. Wall murals are now being created. The murals are being customized based on individual agency's requirements. There was discussion about when the next image update should be created. It is recommended that updated imagery be an important issue for consideration by this committee. (Information)

VIII. Eighth annual California GIS Conference will be held in Sacramento – February 21-23, 2001. The early registration deadline has been moved to December 15, 2000. (Information)

VIII. Work Remaining – No discussion

X. Other Business – An ArcView class called "Introduction to ArcView GIS", will be available at Bakersfield College starting in January. A flyer was distributed at the meeting outlining the details. (Information)

X. Next meeting scheduled for January 4, 2001 at 1:30 p.m. in the Development Services 1st Floor Conference Room.