Notes for January 13, 2017 FOSTERRS Telcon

Telcon participants (11):

Cathleen Jones, William Boll, Davida Streett, Ira Leifer, Carver Struve, LT Becca Brooks, Jordan Bell, Tim Stough, John Murray, Michael Goodman, David Green

1. Membership follow-up. No new members to report and none nominated.

2. Website (William Boll)

A. J. Murray needs to provide William notes December 2016 Telcon

B. Website changes or updates – none.

3. Old business

A. Next steps to provide USGS with a list of data to make available on the hdds site during a spill. (Centralized source of all govt aircraft and satellite datasets pertinent to a spill). USGS has provided a HDDS spec. document to NOAA which we will review and address.

NOAA going first. William working NOAA IT to see about tiff, metadata, and shape file uploads to start. We’ll continue this discussion once we can get with Brenda.

B. SAGE Evaluation discussion

i. William, Becca and John have just been credentialed and are awaiting log-on account info. Other members are encouraged to obtain accounts and evaluate. It take 1-2 weeks to establish account and get access.

ii. Members will evaluate this month and dialog via email as needed. Discussion of evaluation set for next Telcon.

C. Oil Spill Workshop.

i. Date selection to be finalized 3PM Friday January 13, 2017. Second week most likely.

ii. Agency buy-in desired.

iii. Workshop to include broader disasters context.

iv. On Disasters Program and Disasters Response websites, John will put a banner and link to the FOSTERRS website page for the Oil Spill Workshop. Other agencies requested to do same to get the word out.

v. Workshop core planning committee (Cathleen, Sonia, Vickie and Jordan) being formulated and first Telcon will occur in 2 weeks. Additional volunteers may contact Ira.

4. New business

i. Presenters for 4-5 slides in future FOSTERRS. Eg., Ira - Oil Spill Workshop topics, George to present overview on ERMA, Brenda on HDDS.

ii. CA Oil Spill Response Workshop will be in February 22- March 2. San Ramon CA (bi-annual). Ira will provide additional information. We will post link on FOSTERRS event page. Possibly use main-page banner to point to event page so as to also advertise workshop.

5. Participant’s Roundtable Comments - none

6. Adjourn

Thank you,

John