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| FGDC LOGO | **Federal Geographic Data Committee**  **Standards Update**  **May 2013**    **Julie Binder Maitra,** [**jmaitra@fgdc.gov**](mailto:jmaitra@fgdc.gov)**, 703-648-4627** |

# FGDC

The FGDC Standards WG met Thursday, April 25. At the meeting, the SWG made the following recommendations to the FGDC Coordination Group:

* Approve the U.S. Government Real Property Asset Data Standard for public review
* Approve the following standards for FGDC endorsement:
  + Time-Space-Position Information (TSPI) standard version 2.0
  + Wetlands Classification Standard revision

The next SWG meeting is Tuesday, September 17, 2013.

Contact Julie Maitra, FGDC Standards Program Manager.

# INCITS Technical Committee L1, Geographic information systems – U.S. Technical Advisory Group to ISO Technical Committee 211, Geographic information/Geomatics

L1/U.S. TAG met on May 17 to prepare for the ISO/TC 211 plenary and meetings. The next ISO/TC 211 plenary and meetings are scheduled for 2013-05-27/31 in Korea.

The U.S. will host the ISO/TC 211 plenary and meetings in November 2013. Venue is Esri, Redlands, CA.

Please refer to the standards tracking spreadsheet for progress on individual domestic and international standards projects assigned to L1/U.S. TAG.

Contact Julie Maitra, principal FGDC rep to L1, or your agency’s representative to INCITS L1 for more information. INCITS L1 Chair: Liping Di, Ph.D, [ldi@gmu.edu](mailto:ldi@gmu.edu).

# Open Geospatial Consortium

Comments are due on Open Modeling Interface (OpenMI) standard on June 2. OpenMI defines a means by which independently developed computer models of environmental processes can exchange data. Potential stakeholders include USGS, NOAA, and EPA. For more information, see <http://www.opengeospatial.org/pressroom/pressreleases/1822>.

The GeoServices REST API standard has been the most contested OGC standard of recent years. For more information, see <http://wiki.osgeo.org/wiki/Geoservices_REST_API>. The page was collaboratively edited, and delivered by the board of the OSGeo Foundation (OSGeo) to the OGC and OGC voting members on Friday 17 May 2013.

Refer to the standards tracking spreadsheet for progress on select OGC standards.

Contact your agency OGC representative for more information.

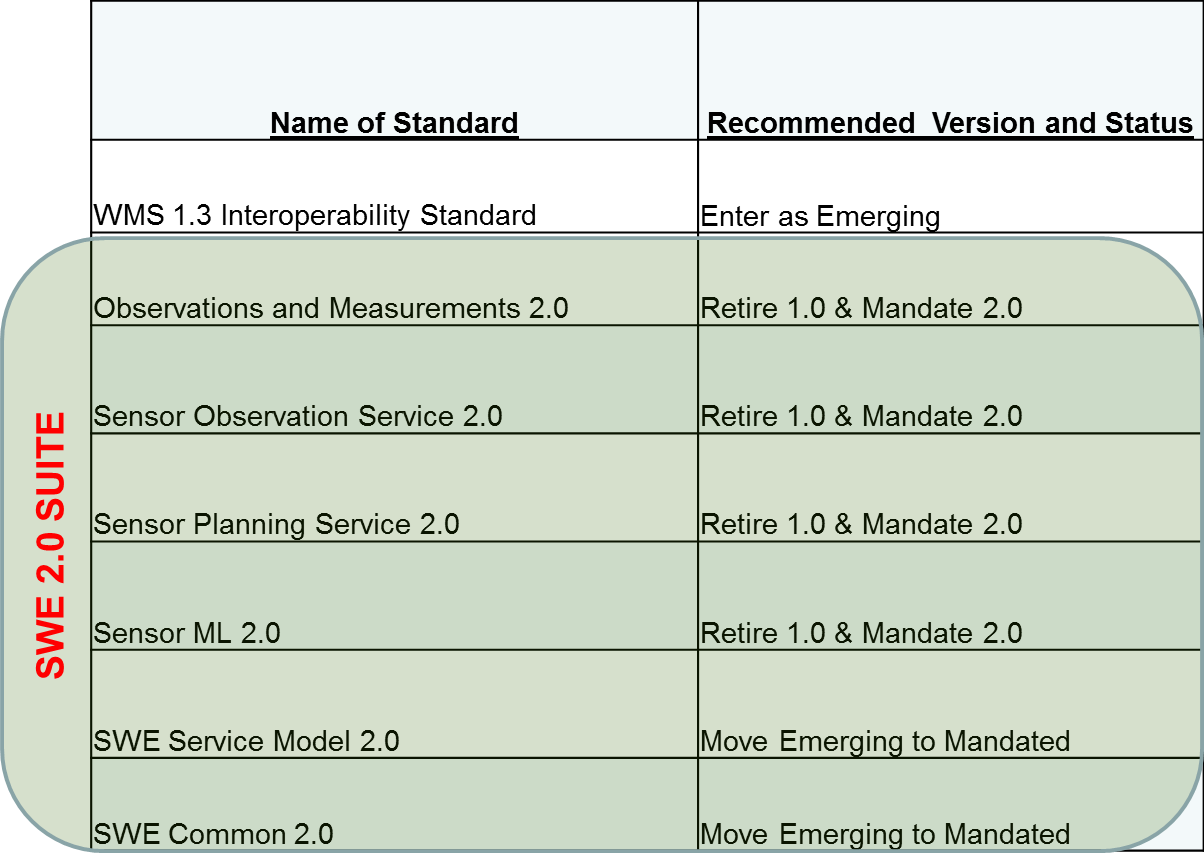
# Geospatial-Intelligence Standards WG (GWG)

The 13-2 GWG voting session was held May 21 at CACI, Chantilly, Virginia. The FGDC voted “yes” on the following standards:

* TIFF Revision 6.0
* WFS 2.0
* ISO 639-2:1998, Codes for the Representation of Names of Languages-- Part 2: alpha-3 code
* ISO 80000-1:2009, Quantities and units - Part 1: General, 2009-11-17
* ISO 80000-3:2006, Quantities and units - Part 3: Space and time
* ISO 80000-4:2006, Quantities and units - Part 4: Mechanics
* IEC 80000-6:2008, Quantities and units - Part 6: Electromagnetism
* ISO 80000-7:2008, Quantities and units - Part 7: Light

These standards will be put on the agenda of the September 17 SWG meeting for recommendation for FGDC endorsement.

The GWG identified the following OGC Sensor Web Enablement (SWE) 2.0 standards as “on-deck” standards, that is, candidate standards for inclusion in a future DISR/ER2 update:



SWG members should be reviewing these standards for consideration at a future SWG meeting.

For more information, contact Julie Maitra, FGDC representative to GWG