Subcommittee for Cadastral Data
Update to Coordination Group

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Introduction

Subcommittee for Cadastral Data (hereafter called the Subcommittee) will assist the lead agency to coordinate federal agencies, Tribal, state and local agencies and the private sector interests in cadastral data, including the facilitation of exchange of information and transfer of data; the establishment and implementation of standards and guidelines for quality, content and transferability of data; the identification of business requirements, the construction, publication and maintenance of the national cadastre and the collection of spatial data to minimize duplication of effort where practicable and economical.
Introduction

Membership (from the Charter) include:

- The Subcommittee shall consist of representatives designated and accepted by the existing membership who collect, or finance the collection of, cadastral data as part of their Agency’s mission or have direct application of these to meet legislated mandates. Each member agency/organization on the Subcommittee shall designate its representative, an alternate if necessary, and changes thereto, to the Subcommittee Chairperson. Other organizations may be added with the concurrence of the Subcommittee Chairperson. The Subcommittee shall be chaired by the Bureau of Land Management Cadastral Survey.
Introduction

Membership (from the Charter) include:

- Don Buhler BLM
- Robert Ader BLM
- [http://www.nationalcad.org/membership.asp](http://www.nationalcad.org/membership.asp)

38 members – regular participants
Approximately 100 interested parties
Recent Meetings

- The Subcommittee for Cadastral Data last met as a full Subcommittee December 2009 by conference call.
- Work Groups on focused topics have been meeting and making progress:
  - Federal Parcels – Doug Vandegraft lead
  - PLSS Standardization – Bob Ader Lead
  - State Parcels – NSGIC Lead (Stu Kirkpatrick)
  - Private Parcels – Jon Sperling Lead
  - Tribal Lands – TBD
  - Metadata – Bob Ader Lead
- The Subcommittee for Cadastral Data workgroups held over 35 conference calls and meetings in 2010 and approximately 10 conference call meetings thus far in 2011.
Recent Developments/Projects

**Federal Parcels**

- Draft Report on the status of federal land parcels completed and published for Work Group Final Review
  (http://www.nationalcad.org/showdocs.asp?docid=1163&navsrc=Project)

- The goal of the Working Group is *to develop a publication standard for federal agencies.*
  The first step is an assessment of the current status of automated parcel records from the federal agencies that maintain property records.
Recent Developments/Projects

Federal Parcels - Findings

- **Web Sites and Published Data** – Most of the agencies are currently providing public access to individual parcel data for the lands the agency manages. Most agencies also provide agency internal access to more detailed data to support the internal operations of the agency.

- **Federal Core Parcel Data** – Based on the interviews and investigations it is possible to define an essential or core set of information about federally managed land.

- **Flair Act – Reintroduced** – In a related development, The Federal Land Asset Inventory Reform ("FLAIR") Act, H.R. 1620, was introduced April 15 by U.S. Representatives Ron Kind (D-WI) and Rob Bishop (R-UT), and four other bipartisan cosponsors.
Recent Developments/Projects

♦ PLSS Standardization

- Publication guideline published and documented

*Washington-Oregon and California are being done internally*

*South Dakota and Oklahoma and federally managed lands in the remaining states are the next priority.*
Recent Developments/Projects

- **State Parcels**
  - There is a need to define a set of core attributes for state owned lands. An inventory of existing state owned/managed lands is being developed.
  - A review of the status and availability of state owned lands for Marine Cadastral Information was completed in April 2011.
  - State Contacts have been entered into Ramona and continued maintenance and support for this site is ongoing.
Wildland Fire Parcel Standardization

- **Green** – counties with completed standardized crosswalk
- **Red** – data sources identified but crosswalk not completed or incomplete.

**NOTE:** All of Montana is completed but crosswalk not needed because data is provided in standard format.
NGAC Update

- Cadastral Status for the NGAC Meeting in June
- An A-16 Status Report Card has been requested.
  - Report Card includes current theme plans and resource needs
  - The Cadastral A-16 Report Card includes the PLSS, Federal Lands, State Lands, Tribal Lands and Private Parcel data
Utah Cadastral Mapping Efforts Featured in POB Magazine

Cadastral group's efforts to coordinate with local, state, and federal agencies to provide publicly available, high quality, Public Land Survey System (PLSS) and parcel data that form the basis for land ownership descriptions within the state.

http://www.pobonline.com/Articles/Cover_Story/BNP_GUID_9-5-2006_A_1000000000000001037278
Next Meeting

- The next meeting of the Subcommittee for Cadastral Data will be held when the work group leads request a meeting of the full Subcommittee.
- The topics to be discussed will be established when the need for a meeting is determined.
Next Steps

In the coming months, the Subcommittee for Cadastral Data hopes to accomplish:

- Continue to support the development, publication and use of standardized PLSS data
- Continue to support parcel data for wildland fire
- Support states in developing standardized parcel data
- Complete the core data standards for federal and state owned lands
- Support the Federal Reserve Board as requested
Questions?

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