

Meeting Notes
FGDC Address Subcommittee
December 12, 2018
US Census Bureau, Suitland, MD

Attendance (21 Total):

Aisha Ahmad, US Postal Service
Carl Anderson, URISA
Andrew Bailey, Department of the Interior
Florinda Balfour, Department of Veterans Affairs
Dave Cackowski, Census Bureau
Jennifer Campbell, General Services Administration
Mike Dunlevy, White House Office of Science and Technology Policy
Michael Fashoway, State of Montana
Laurie Flaherty, Department of Transportation
Ben Gurga, Social Security Administration
Earl Johnson, US Postal Service
Steve Lewis, Department of Transportation
Lynda Liptrap, Census Bureau
Patrick McDonald, State of New Jersey
Jeremy McMullen, State of Vermont
Donna Pena, State of California
Rachel Rodriguez, Los Angeles County
Dan Ross, State of Minnesota
Ed Wells, URISA
Martha Wells, Spatial Focus/URISA
Matt Zimolzak, Census Bureau

Meeting Summary

GSA Broadband Planning: Jennifer Campbell

- MOBILE NOW is the “Making Opportunities for Broadband Investment and Limiting Excessive and Needless Obstacles to Wireless Act”
- The act directs GSA to study how to incentivize state and local governments to provide GSA with real property data on assets that could support a communications facility installation for inclusion in the Federal Real Property Profile database and the feasibility of establishing or operating a database to which state and local governments can voluntarily submit this data.
- Among the database options being researched are if the NAD can be leveraged.
- Draft report will be finalized in January. Feedback was due by December 14.
- Questions and comments

- Matt – are you looking for a comprehensive database of all real estate in the US?
Jennie – it will be defined by the act; we are focused on state and local government property, but may include right-of-ways on private land.
- Ed – Nancy Von Meyer would be helpful in this effort; FGDC Standard references link between parcels and addresses.
- Lynda – USGS Structures Database may be useful.
- Jennie – will forward the survey and update this group once things are finalized in March.

NAD Updates: Steve Lewis

- The new developer is on board.
- We have received 9.3 million records from Texas. 250,000 of those were corrupt, but Texas resubmitted them clean.
- Texas addresses are not parsed. Census is going to help with the parsing.
- We received a voluntary update from North Carolina.
- Feedback will now include a comparison of original submission to new submissions.
- We are on track to release the 2nd version of the NAD. It will include metadata, but not Texas yet.
- Questions and comments
 - Dan Ross – Minnesota is planning to make addresses available; NSGIC is doing a geospatial master assessment in 2019; NSGIC is setting up a NAD website.
 - Donna Pena – is collecting data from counties still in the plans?
 - Steve – yes, but we will need an exemption from the Paperwork Reduction Act requirements, which Census is going to help with.

Puerto Rico Address Data Working Group Update: Lynda Liptrap

- Purpose:
 - Identify address best practices
 - Data integration/standardization pilot
- Census Bureau to serve as Champion.
- Multiagency representation
 - We currently have HUD, FEMA, Census, and USPS. Contact Lynda to join.
- Kick off in January 2019.

The Opportunity Project (TOP) Local Address Data Project: Dave Cackowski

- Minimum Viable Product Demos – Nov. 29-Dec. 7
 - TomTom – Gave a presentation on their Centaur Data Logging App to collect address data. Auto generates MapCodes and US National Grid Coordinates.
 - Spatial Networks – Gave a demo of Fulcrum modified to use the NAD schema and NAIP imagery.
 - iCASA – Gave a presentation on their workflow and online tool for municipios in Puerto Rico to be able to standardize address data. They are planning to demo

the tool for Census later this month. iCASA plans to collect and develop Puerto Rico seed data for the NAD.

- Demo Day – Feb. 7
 - Spatial Networks and iCASA to give lightning talks
 - All 3 will demo their tools

Update from Workflow Subgroup: Matt Zimolzak

- We are working on refining state based address workflows and will discuss this at the next Address Theme Subcommittee Meeting.

Update from Address Content Subgroup: Dave Cackowski

- We are sending questions on the UUID proposal to the Workflow Subgroup.
- We are also continuing to compare various address standards to the NAD schema to determine what is required. We will be ready to present our findings to the subcommittee in January or February.

Action Item Review: Dave Cackowski

- Census, DOT – Schedule time for Census to help with TX address parsing.
- Lynda – Send Nancy Von Meyer’s contact info and Structures Database info to Jennie Campbell
- Jennie – update this group on MOBILE NOW once it’s finalized.
- Steve – release 2nd version of the NAD.

Next meeting: Wednesday, January 9, 2019, 11am, US Department of Transportation.