

Part B

LEAD AGENCY/BUREAU AND/OR SUBCOMMITTEE/WORKING GROUP REPORT (Agencies with Lead Responsibilities Assigned under the new Circular A-16 in Appendix E - <http://www.fgdc.gov/publications/a16final.html#appendix>) (Please provide a separate report for each activity for which you have the lead)

1. Program/Activity Name: Facilities Working Group
2. What are the specific federal programs this data supports?
Facility Management activities on Federal Installations
3. Uses of Data: How does your data benefit customers and support agency missions?
The Facilities Working Group does not collect data, but develops standards for the Facility management community.
4. Charter/Plan: Do you have a current charter or plan for collection? If so - please describe (include how recently the charter/plan was implemented and whether it is in need of update).

The CADD/GIS Technology Center for Facilities, Infrastructure, and Environment (i.e., CADD/GIS Center) was adopted as the FGDC's Facilities Working Group in October 1999. The CADD/GIS Center's original Charter was established in 1992. The CADD/GIS Center's Charter was updated in 2000 for the purpose of expanding the Center's mission beyond the DoD to other Federal Government organizations. The current Charter does not require an update. The CADD/GIS Center's charter members currently include the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army, U.S. Air Force, U.S. Naval Facilities Engineering Command, U.S. Marine Corps, U.S. Coast Guard, Defense Logistics Agency, Environmental Protection Agency, National Aeronautics & Space Administration, General Services Administration, State Department, and National Institute of Building Sciences.

5. Metadata Status: Is metadata discoverable and served through the NSDI Clearinghouse? What percentage of this theme's data has metadata and is in a Clearinghouse node?
N/A
It is the responsibility of agency's to serve metadata not subcommittee or working groups.

6. Standards: What is the status of this theme's data, process, transfer, and classification standards?

The FGDC Facilities Working Group (through the CADD/GIS Center) has developed, and provides annual updates to, the "Spatial Data Standard for facilities, infrastructure, and environment" (SDSFIE) and the "Facility Management Standard for facilities, infrastructure, and environment" (FMSFIE). The most current update is the SDSFIE/FMSFIE Release 2.22. Release 2.30 will be out in Oct 2003. The SDSFIE/FMSFIE is available for download from the CADD/GIS Center's Internet website (<http://tsc.wes.army.mil>), and on CD-ROM.

7. Progress: List FY 2001/2002 activities/progress to date (quantify where possible).

The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) adopted the SDSFIE as a national geospatial data classification standard for use in Geographic Information System (GIS) implementations in November 2001. The ANSI designation is NCITS 353 (or INCITS 353).

8. Policy: Do you have a formal agency policy in place for full and open access or data sharing? Are you able to fulfill this policy and provide public access with your current agency financial resources as allocated or are you in pursuit of collaborative federal partnerships to support data access?

It is the responsibility of individual agencies to develop policy.

9. Are there areas or issues regarding lead responsibilities for spatial data themes that require attention, or lessons-learned that you would like to share with others? Please describe.