

GISCC Meeting Minutes 03.21.07

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- I. Overview of general Requirements for new Clearinghouse
 - A. Main goal: move to Portal that ties in with NSDI
 - B. Incorporate "Stores" model, a la eBay (not for fee-based services, but rather for Agency branding)
 1. Will make more readily apparent how much data Agencies contribute
 2. Agency more easily receives credit or visibility for contributions
 - C. Have a true data Viewer
 - D. Community interaction capability via blogs, boards, wikis, etc.
 - E. Incorporate ability for contributors to manage/update Data and Metadata Directly (data contributor administration)

- II. Discussion
 - A. Capability desired for user to subscribe to a provider and receive automatic

notification when additions or changes are made to that provider's data contributions. (Clearinghouse to take present action to provide more regular notifications)

1. Related: server-side data changes would invoke automated process to propagate these changes to Clearinghouse
- B. Data Interoperability (be able to extract data in whatever format desired)
 1. Additionally, need capability to custom select extent of data
- C. Suggested that Clearinghouse support advertising and searching for Data Services (such as TRex)
- D. Capability needed for providers to be able to restrict data access levels to predefined user groups

III. Other Business:

- A. Clearinghouse Newsletter to be circulated
- B. All State Imagery will be made freely available on Clearinghouse April 1st
- C. Next meeting: April 18 at DCA