

STORET Conference Call – May 25, 2006, 12:00-1:00 PM Eastern Time

Introduction (Kristen Gunthardt)

- The minutes from all previous conference calls are available over the web: <http://www.epa.gov/storet/confcalls.html>
- The next scheduled call will be late June, 2006. The exact date will be emailed via the listserver later this month.
- Please email storet@epa.gov and let EPA know you have attended the call so that meeting rosters may be kept.
- If you have a special topic you'd like to lead for an upcoming call, please email Gunthardt.Kristen@epamail.epa.gov
- EPA would like to hear comments you have on the quality of these conference calls. Please send them to storet@epa.gov
- Please subscribe to the STORET automated listserver for announcements regarding conference calls: <http://www.epa.gov/storet/listserv.html>

SIM 2.0.2 Release

- STORET Import Module version 2.0.2 was released earlier this month and is available for download on the website. If you have any questions or comments regarding SIM 2.0.2 download, installation or operation, please contact us at storet@epa.gov.
- The Oracle Forms Runtime 6i patch, which addresses the random closing issue occasionally experienced in SIM 2.0.2, is also available on the STORET website. Before installing the Oracle patch, please read the “read me” and installation instructions. If you would like help installing or obtaining this patch, please contact the STORET team at storet@epa.gov.

Water Quality Exchange (WQX) Schema

- An interim WQX schema will be available for mapping purposes at the end of May 2006. Updates are currently being made to the XML schema to bring it into line with ESAR standards and accommodate several requests from the STORET community. Please check the web site at the end of the month for the schema and a summary of the changes made.

Water Quality Exchange (WQX)

- The remaining WQX outreach meeting schedule is as follows:
 - June 7-8, 2006 EPA Region 3, Philadelphia, PA
 - June 20-21, 2006 EPA Region 9, San Francisco, CA
 - July 12-13, 2006 EPA Region 5, Chicago, IL
- To attend one of these meetings or obtain additional information, please visit the website at www.epa.gov/storet/future_outreach.html.
- Please email the STORET team at STORET@epa.gov for any questions, comments or issues you would like to discuss. Additionally, please contact us with any issues you would like addressed at any of the WQX transition meetings so that we may tailor the agenda and transition solutions to the concerns of the data providers.

Open Q/A and Comment Period

1. Is the xml schema going to be provided in an .xsd file? (KS)
 - Yes. A data dictionary containing data elements and their descriptions will also be available on the web site.

Participants on call (based on who emailed storet@epa.gov)

Larry Merrill	EPA R3
Grace Hanrahan	EPA R3
Deb Soule	New Hampshire
Erik Leppo	Tetra Tech, Inc
Paul Koska	EPA R6
James F. Hudson	Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources
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Jeffrey S. White	Tetra Tech, Inc
Caroline Goughis	National Park Service Water Resources Division
Jim Porter	Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
Jolene Berscheid	Montana
Nancy Ragland	Texas
Arne Sjodin	Colorado Dept. of Public Health & Environment
Andrea S. Thomas	NC DWQ
Steve Mackie	National Park Service Water Resources Division
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Sanjay Shah	Acclaim Systems, Inc
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Rachel McDonnough	Florida Department of Environmental Protection
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