

## STORET Conference Call – October 28th, 2004 12:00-1:00 PM Eastern Time

### Introduction (Cary McElhinney)

- 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 held after the Thanksgiving holiday, in early to mid December. Exact date to be announced.
- If you have a special topic you'd like to lead for an upcoming call, please email [mcelhinney.cary@epa.gov](mailto:mcelhinney.cary@epa.gov)
- EPA would like to hear comments you have on the quality of these conference calls. Please send them to [storet@epa.gov](mailto:storet@epa.gov)
- Please subscribe to the STORET automated listserver for announcements regarding conference calls: <http://www.epa.gov/storet/listserv.html>

### Update from STORET Team

#### National STORET Users Conference

- Conference is to be held November 15-17, 2004 in New Orleans, LA.
- It is not too late to register and get a hotel room. If you are considering attending, let Cary know.
- The agenda has been updated and posted on the STORET website. Links have been added to access presentation abstracts. The agenda is still changing but is becoming more stable.
- Over 100 people have registered. We are still finalizing an accurate count. There will probably be around 110-120 people, which is the same number we had at the Las Vegas conference.
- For those not attending, there will be a post op on what happened in December. Materials and proceedings will be posted on the web. You may provide feedback to Cary directly or on the next call.

#### Conference Agenda Overview

##### MONDAY

- Technical workshops in the morning broken out based on skill level.
- The afternoon will consist of high level presentations given by EPA management.
- We will end the day with a group discussion in which we will be soliciting feedback about what we are working on and improvements that can be made.

##### TUESDAY

- Presentations will be given by the user group. There are 20+ presentations.
- There will be a wide range of presentations. Topics include how to begin planning to use STORET, issues for new users through advanced users, and applications.
- There will be concurrent sessions with presentations ongoing. The agenda will soon have times posted.
- Tuesday late afternoon will be the STORET Solutions Expo and Reception. This is where users can show off their own resources and tools developed over the last few years. Laptops will be available for anyone who wants to show off their wares.

##### WEDNESDAY

- Future events for STORET will be covered. We'll show what EPA is working on and try to get feedback from the user group for high priorities.

### **Open Q/A and Comment Period**

1. Will there be a presentation on the product that creates SIM ready files?  
(NM)
  - Do you have a name for that product?
  - No. (NM)
  - There are other products and tools that will produce batch files. There are a couple of presentations in that vein. There will be additional time in the agenda where developers can show off those tools.

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

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<b>Terry Frohm</b>	<b>FL DEP</b>
<b>Joan Aguilo</b>	<b>FL DEP</b>
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<b>Mike Butler</b>	<b>KS DHE</b>
<b>Bruce Tuttle</b>	<b>Idaho Dept of Water Resources</b>
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