

# Southeastern Minnesota GIS Users Group

## *Meeting Minutes*

Owatonna Public Utilities, Owatonna Oct. 26, 2023 8:30-12:00 pm

### Attendees:

Leanne Knott – Goodhue County  
Adam Derringer – Ayres Associates  
Mike Knudson - GSS  
Jackson Miller – Dodge County  
Teresa Blader – Olmsted County  
Lauren Cornelius – Dodge County  
Justin Fuchs - WSB  
Nick Flatgard – Steele County  
Dave McCollister – Olmsted County  
Bryan Byholm – Goodhue County  
Megan Sisko – MnGeo  
Allen Hendriks – FMEC  
Keven Maxa – Austin Utilities  
Mike Rask – City of Austin  
Tyler Caulum – Power Systems  
Shannon Petty - OPU

Kurt Berge – People’s Energy Coop  
Ryan Moore – RPU  
Eric Miller – Mower County  
Alex Johnson - WSB  
Curtis Webb – Austin Utilities  
Dave Wavrin – OPU (retired)  
Jill Bondhus – DPS-ECN  
Michelle Trager – Rice County  
Paul Zunkel – Rice County  
Travis Swanberg – Waseca County  
Kate Scheurer – Locana  
Zach Kosel – Winona County  
Gordon Robertson – RPU  
Nelle Dvorak – People’s Energy Coop  
Skyler Glynn – Olmsted County  
Tyler Grupa - OPU

9:00 am Meeting Started

### Greeting and Welcome

- Greeting and welcome from Leanne Knott.

### ArcGIS Enterprise Administrative Workflows

*Alex Johnson, WSB & Associates*

- Alex Johnson provided a high-level summary on configuring ArcGIS Enterprise Workflows, including system architecture, server extensions, licensing, and ArcGIS Enterprise upgrades. Alex also reviewed best practices for servers, services, and data management.

## Utility Network Conversion Experiences

*Shannon Petty, RPU*

- Shannon Petty presented a trial-and-error user experience on how to work through conversion of geometric network data to Esri's Utility Network information model.

## Introduction to Data Interop (FME)

*Tyler Caulum, Power Systems Engineering*

- Tyler Caulum presented on methods, approaches, and practical use examples of using the Feature Manipulation Engine (FME) for converting a geometric network to Esri's Utility Network information model.

## Gas Utility Workflows

*Tyler Grupa, OPU*

- Tyler Grupa presented on approaches and workflows for working with a gas utility.

## NG-911 Update

*Megan Sisko, MnGeo*

- Megan Sisko provided the latest updates on the State of Minnesota NG-911 program.

## State Updates

*Leanne Knott (GIS/LIS Consortium & Geospatial Advisory Commission)*

- Leanne Knott shared an update on MnGeo GAC initiatives and upcoming GIS/LIS Board events.

## Steering Committee Business Meeting

- **Kurt Berge and Nelle Dvorak will be hosting the Winter 2024 Meeting on March 7 at People's Energy Coop in Orinoco.**

12:10 pm Meeting Adjourned

\*\* Members are encouraged to present at a future meeting and to offer suggestions of vendors or other agencies to present. Please contact a Steering Committee member or the next meeting's host if you are interested in presenting.

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