## A Summary of State DOT GIS Activities 2011

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## Purpose

- To take inventory of the current state of the practice in particular areas of interest
- To determine what potential needs are
  - Research
  - Capacity Building
  - Training
- To quickly obtain information for topic discussions (Panel Sessions, Emerging Issues)

## **Information Sources**

- AASHTO GIS-T State Survey
- 46 Responses
- THANK YOU!

## Summary of Presentation

- Staffing Resources
- Software & Application Areas
- Road Base Networks
- General Trends



## **GIS Deployment in Agency**



- We have GIS Unit(s) responsible for core functions and multiple end users in various program offices
- We have integrated most agency databases through an Enterprise GIS, and have developed GIS applications throughout the agency
- We have a single unit responsible for both GIS core functions and applications
- We have specific individuals involved in GIS applications, but no agency-wide coordination

## **GIS Core Unit Staffing**



## Location of GIS Core Staff



## **GIS Staff Expertise**



## **GIS Professional Certification**

	Yes	Νο	Not Sure
Is anyone on the GIS core staff a Certified GIS professional? 2010	<b>45%</b> 35%	<b>48%</b> 52%	<b>7%</b> 13%
Will GIS Professional Certification be an important consideration in hiring future GIS core staff? 2010	<b>13%</b> 6%	<b>60%</b> 59%	<b>27%</b> 35%

## **Civil Service Job Titles**



## **GIS Staff Time Allocation**



## Outsourcing GIS Application Development



**Percent of Development** 

## Annual Expenditures for GIS Application Development Contracts



**\$** Thousands

### **SOFTWARE & APPLICATION AREAS**

## Software Products Used by Agency



## Managing Spatial Data



#### Relational Database Management System

Spatial Data Management Software

## Internet Web Mapping Services

Annual Cost	Hardware	Software	Services	Data	Other
Maximum	\$200,000	\$250,000	\$800,000	\$500,000	\$200,000
Average	\$44,972	\$68,152	\$103,714	\$112,290	\$43,833
Minimum	\$1,500	\$5,000	\$5,000	\$30	\$63,000

## **GIS Web Applications**



"Other" includes Mapserver, Flex, Bing, Google Maps/Earth Enterprise, & GeoServer,

# Where will geospatial technology add the most value in the future?



# What areas are benefitting the most from geospatial technology?



# Where is geospatial technology the most costly/difficult to implement?



### **ROAD BASE NETWORKS**

## **Road Network Coverage**



## Base Map Scales (2011)



"Other" includes 1:2,500, field data collected w/ GPS, Best Available Scale

## Base Map Scales (2003-2011)



### **GENERAL TRENDS**

## Some Trends

- Consistency
  - Core Unit Location
  - Staffing Background
  - Software used

## More Trends

- Focus Areas for Geospatial Technology Implementation
  - Asset Management
  - Enterprise Data Integration
  - Public Information Web Portals
  - CAD/GIS Integration
- State DOT Road base networks moving towards 1:5,000 scale resolution

## State Survey

 This presentation and survey results will be made available on the AASHTO GIS-T website

– www.gis-t.org

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