



Updates from Subcommittees

Technology Subcommittee – Jeff Law

Jeff has received half dozen requests for updates.

DP Meetings are on the web.

Updates:

Request for on-pager PDF of DP meetings for download.

Committee Updates.

Suggestion box – for Committee’s or website itself.

2016 DP Evaluation updated.

Education Subcommittee – Betty Jo Kiesow

Review of the CGA presentation for DP meetings

Baseball – youth baseball league – 32 teams all with 811 logo

Excavators – How to engage excavators. Suggestion was for a focus group – Michels or MN Limited. Perhaps an Excavator Committee? Focused on excavator issues.

ITIC Training post DP Meetings. Excavator input post meeting.

Best Practices – Jeff Murray

5.2 White-lining alternating

5.10 Locate replication- check for private facilities

Pilot option to utilize white/black markers

AG Awareness – Claude Anderson

Claude is presenting at National CGA. Next Ag meeting on 13th at Breezy Point

Marketing Subcommittee – OPEN

Reaching audiences – call to action – need someone to talk about CGA

Special Projects – Whitney Price

811 Run is working on getting food trucks and checking into having the Fulton Beer Tent – need committee members. Checking on a tool kit for use by other states.

Day of the Dozers is struggling to find affordable ‘special event’ insurance. ERX cannot bear the full brunt of the risk and MUCA, as a non-profit, does not have funding to support a \$10,000+ policy cost outlay.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- **811 Run – August 13th, Lake Calhoun**
- **Day of the Dozers – September 24th, ERX Motor Park**

GSOC Update

Involvement of MN CGA was key to resolving issues

Reprocessed tickets – wk of 2/29, 3 entities on one parcel. Update at 6 AM tomorrow.

Positive Response Update – will be eliminated

New format for Positive Response (time, facility, comments)

Korterra ticket search is on the GSOC website. Search less than one year old.

Survey –to anyone that's used the system or iMap since transition

Marketing campaign – large scale, with Strib –online & print, State Fair, Ag Fest, Iron Works

GSOC requested help with Home & Garden Show, and other upcoming events

Call for Leadership

Next Meeting:

MNCGA Leadership Team Strategic Planning Meeting Thurs. March 24th, 11AM-3PM, MUCA Offices (Ewald Consulting), 1000 Westgate Drive, 2nd Floor, Suite 252, Large Conference Room, St. Paul

Full MN CGA Meeting, Wednesday, April 13th, 9:35 AM– 11:35 AM, MNOPS Conference, Breezy Point Resort

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