AGIC 2022 Conference Committee Meeting Notes Thursday, July 21, 2022 10:00 am

In Attendance: **Brandon Barnett** Kevin Blake Robert Bush John Danloe Jami Dennis Sage Donaldson Shawny Ekadis Seth Franzman Nicole Funicello Teresa Gregory James Lambert Shea Lemar Jenna Leveille Seth Lewis Jennifer Psillas Steve Whitney **Troy Wiora**

Committee coordination and meeting operation:

No discussion

Action Items:

None

Outreach Committee Report:

- If anybody wants something specific distributed, contact them
- Emphasize the upcoming conference deadlines

Action Items:

None

Budget:

No discussion

Action Items:

None

Venue coordination:

- Menu is in progress, pending some questions to the venue, and will be distributed for review when ready
- Overflow hotels will be the same as last year

Action items:

Steve – Follow up on the overflow hotels

Steve – Follow up regarding hand sanitizer stations, and any existing requirements

Steve - Check on alternate hospitality areas

Cvent Coordination:

• The speaker portal can be challenging, and an email will be sent out with guidance.

Action items:

Jenna/Jami – Begin documenting processes, and planning for knowledge transfer

Jami – Send email to presenters with guidance for using the speaker portal

Website:

- Attendee hub is being set up, which relates to the mobile app
- Detailed agenda is posted

Action Items:

None

Agenda & speaker coordination:

- We were shooting to have 2 presentations per slot, so that is why it looks like we have some open slots
- We so still have some room in the lightning round
- Speaker bios have been collected as part of the presentation submission
- No special A/V needs to date
- Looking for moderators, and hands-on workshop management

Action Items:

All – Sign up to be a session moderator, and/or a hands-on workshop manager

Exhibitor/sponsor participation:

- Current status 17 exhibitors
 - o 1 Platinum
 - o 5 Gold
 - o 4 Silver
 - o 7 Bronze
 - Esri is a pending Gold sponsor, along with 2 others that are pending
- Other sponsorship
 - 2 student scholarship
 - 1 pending sponsor is interested in the hospitality suite
- We will begin to solicit for raffle donations
- We will begin to solicit for Wed. & Thu. night hospitality room sponsors
- A reminder will be sent to the qualifying sponsors for promotional literature for the bags, with a deadline of Aug. 22

Action Items:

John/Jen – Solicit for raffle donations, Wed. & Thu. night hospitality room sponsors, and remind qualifying sponsors about providing promotional literature for the bags

Materials and mail-outs:

- Email attendees regarding COVID testing -
 - Ask that they be vaccinated, test daily beginning 3 days prior to their arrival, do not come if they have any symptoms, and consider masking up as much as possible
 - Consider providing wrist bands
 - Green = hugs/handshakes/mask optional
 - Orange (or yellow?) = fist bump/social distancing preferred with masking
 - Red = no contact/mask required to talk to me
 - Esri example –



• Stickers are the preferred method

- o COVID related cancellations will qualify for a full refund
 - What about sponsor cancellations due to COVID? -> consider covering our overhead
 - Add verbiage to the terms & conditions
 - Need to ensure that we can accommodate refunds
 - What about at the conference? -> no refund
- Hospitality suite we will look into alternative locations, such as outdoors or using one of the breakout rooms (e.g. Granite Mountain)
- Free tests <u>https://covidtest.org</u>

Action Items:

Steve – Work with the outreach committee to reach out to rural communities

Steve - Note for the introductory comments to cover COVID safety

??? - Signage for the COVID stickers, e.g. poster, and flyer for bags

Steve - Calculate exhibitor overhead cost

Registration:

• Registration desk volunteers are needed

Action Items:

All – Sign up to help out at the registration desk

Maps & Apps Challenge:

• 4 submittals, so more outreach is needed

Action Items:

None

Awards:

• Only one submittal so far.

Action items:

None

Printing:

- Conference signage
 - ASLD again? -> Jenna will check
- Social flyer (kayaking), add Lynx Lake hike? -> never hurts to have options
- Mobile app flyer -> yes, one will be created for the bags
- Maps & Apps ballot -> no, online voting, but could use a flyer for the bag
- At-a-glance agenda

Action items:

Steve/Jenna – Determine printing resources/responsibilities

Computer labs:

• No discussion

Action items:

None

Conference program:

• Access via Cvent and/or the mobile app

Action items:

None

T-shirts:

• No discussion

Action items:

None

Attendee Packet:

• No discussion

Action Items:

Steve/Jenna – Order supplies Jami/Nicole – Coordinate the mobile app capabilities of Cvent

Social Events:

No discussion

Action Items:

None

General:

No discussion

Action Items: None