

Peter Gutowsky

From: Nick Lelack
Sent: Friday, September 25, 2015 10:38 AM
To: 'Nunzie'
Cc: Shad Campbell; Peter Gutowsky; Tim Berg; Sher Buckner
Subject: RE: age of Deschutes County Dial aerial maps

Hi Nunzie,

bcc: BOCC

I will look into CDD creating 1 email for both the Planning Commission and Board. As you may know, the email will not include Planning Commissioners personal email addresses, rather it will go to a general email address that CDD staff will forward to Commissioners.

Please know I really appreciate your support for adequately funding the Planning Division, including the tools necessary to perform all functions. I believe our GIS budget is adequate to cover our GIS needs. Based on previous emails and the one below, I understand one of your frustrations to be our reliance on third party sources for data and maps. The County cannot afford to replicate and maintain those data sets and maps. As you may know, Deschutes County's DIAL is on par with the best online property record systems in the Country.

I think we can improve our tracking and reporting systems and need to identify the appropriate funds/resources necessary to perform this important task. For example, last night I suggested, and the Planning Commission appeared to support, the Planning Division's presenting the annual Destination Resort overnight lodging reports to the Planning Commission, including an update on how all resorts are complying with overnight lodging requirements (i.e., financial security, number of units built, Improvement Agreements).

Thanks again. I appreciate your comments.

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From: Nunzie [mailto:nunzie@pacifier.com]
Sent: Friday, September 25, 2015 8:20 AM
To: Tim Berg; Nick Lelack
Cc: Board; Shad Campbell
Subject: age of Deschutes County Dial aerial maps

Hi Nick:

It's nice that the BOCC has 1 centralized email and it would be possible for the County to establish one central email for the Board of County Planning Commissioners?

In the absence of this, please forward this email to the Deschutes County Planning Commissioners and enter it in the Eagle Crest T.A. file. As Deschutes County changes language to its land use code; it is important to understand what costs are needed to keep the County's planning tools up to date and to fund the planning department with necessary funds for baseline GIS technology which is heavily relied upon by planners and those enforcing our County code.

Hello Tim:

I understand you gave a presentation to the Planning Commission last evening on the County's Dial.

Would you kindly advise whether the Esri aerial images available on the County's Dial as of yesterday 9-24-2015 are more recent aerial data than the 4 year old data from year 2011 referenced below?

Thanks

Nunzie Gould

Begin forwarded message:

From: Shad Campbell <Shad.Campbell@deschutes.org>

Date: June 2, 2015 10:59:26 AM PDT

To: "'nunzie@pacifier.com'" <nunzie@pacifier.com>

Subject: Re: county website aerial maps

Hello Nunzie,

Jeff Segeser forwarded us your email regarding our aerial photography in Dial. As you can imagine, contracting to have aerial imagery flown for Deschutes County is an expensive endeavor. We are in the process of evaluating the interest among County departments as well as other cities and quasi-government agencies within Deschutes County to cost share this expense. We have a quote from one vendor for around \$225,000 dollars to fly the entire county. In order to get the backing of other government agencies to cost share this expense, it's likely they would require higher resolution than this quote provided. So, the expense would likely go up to about \$250,000. Budgets are still tight in many departments and they are limited to what kind of funds they could contribute to a project like this. I'm not very confident at this point that we will come up with the money for this within the public sector, but we are still very early in the process. I've not had a chance to meet with all the potential contributors.

County staff would **love** to have better aerial imagery to assist them with their jobs. Dial and related mapping projects used throughout the County rely heavily on it as a base map. If we can't find a way to fund it within our public sector agencies, we might look into seeking donations from private companies/individuals who use Dial and would like better imagery.

In the meantime, we continue to use the FREE service provided from Esri. They compile data from a variety of sources as it becomes available. Here is a description of the service <http://www.arcgis.com/home/item.html?id=10df2279f9684e4a9f6a7f08febac2a9>. It is mostly from 2011 imagery flown by the NAIP. Here is a link regarding the NAIP program <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/FSA/apfoapp?area=home&subject=prog&topic=nai>. Here is a link to what imagery is available in the state of Oregon <http://imagery.oregonexplorer.info/>. We could use Bing or Google's aerial maps in Dial and we are looking into that. Google is a bit more up to date right now than Bing or Esri, but that could change in the next few months. These services come with a fee as well.

Please let me know if you have any other questions or comments.

Regards,

Shad Campbell



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Jeff Sageser <Jeff.Sageser@deschutes.org> wrote:

Good Morning GIS Team,

This one may be for you folks.

Thank you,
Jeff

-----Original Message-----

From: Nunzie [<mailto:nunzie@pacifiercom>]

Sent: Sunday, May 31, 2015 7:44 AM

To: Jeff Sageser

Cc: Nick Lelack

Subject: county website aerial maps

Hi Jeff & Nick

County's website's Dial aerial map could be well over 2 years old...

Hi Jeff

Cascades Academy built their several million dollar campus on this property, yet by looking at the aerial map shown today on dial, you would think it is just a treed lot.

<<http://dial.deschutes.org/results/taxlot?value=1712060000701&map=true>>

What is needed to update the County's overlay aerial maps?

Nunzie