

# Potomac Region of the American Society for Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing

## Meeting Minutes

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**Date:** September 13, 2005

**Time:** 4:30 PM

**Location:** Teleconference

**Attendees:**

Nate Smith  
Dave Kohlbrenner  
Doug Howard  
Yogen Singh  
Cliff Greve

**Agenda Topics:**

1. Approve meeting minutes
2. GeoTech 2005
3. Newsletter
4. ASPRS PR Website
5. VA Tech Support

**Topic 1: Approve meeting minutes**

Correct Yogen's last name spelling  
Change of Irelands 4 Corners to Provinces  
Dave offered \$400 dollars to speakers instead of \$300

Motions: All approved  
Follow-up: None

**Topic 2: GeoTech 2005**

Dave updated us with details. Still looking for more exhibitors and speakers. Discussion about why exhibitors are not continuing to come to conference. Thirty-one people signed up for the conference to date. No official agenda to date, due to speakers dropping out. Discussion of signs for conference. Nate will get these.

Dave needs help with the program – call David Symanski and Amy Becker  
Cliff will call Nancy at Pictometry about having someone help with conference items.  
Dave concerned about no documentation about the GeoTech conference set-up process.  
Call David Zilkoski of NGS for a distribution list to assist in marketing the conference and ask for a Welcoming speaker.

Name badges from Reg-online – Dave will do it before the conference.

Motions:

Follow-up: Call above named persons.

### **Topic 3: Newsletter**

Needs content. Mention of using the GeoTech program for the September newsletter content.

Motions:

Follow-up:

### **Topic 4: ASPRS PR Website**

Sponsorship information is now on the website. Needs to be improved.

Motions:

Follow-up: Need to contact website administrator about improving sponsorship link

### **Topic 5: VA Tech support**

Virginia Tech, Department of Forestry, is hosting “Silviscan – Lidar Applications in Forest Assessment and Inventory” conference from Sep 29 to October 1, 2005. The conference co-chair Dr. Randolph Wynne has requested financial support from the Region for the conference. The co-chair and several other VA Tech staff and students are active Society and Region members. Yogen proposed that Region provide \$1500.00 support to the conference.

This needs to go out before the Board for lack of quorum

Motions:

Follow-up: Nate will send out an email for a vote.

**Adjourn: 5:51 PM**