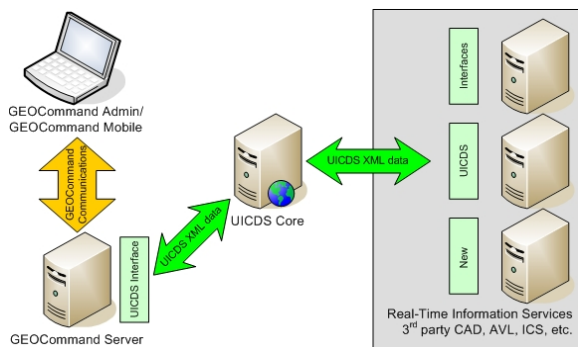


Animas Geographic Technology, Inc. Participates in Unified Incident Command and Decision Support (UICDS) Prototype Demonstration

Durango, Colorado – May 2009 – Animas Geographic Technology, Inc. (AGTI), a GIS consulting company specializing in planning, designing, developing, and implementing spatially enabled information systems, participated in a demonstration of the prototype reference implementation of the national architecture for emergency information sharing that was conducted by the Unified Incident Command and Decision Support (UICDS) program. The Virginia Department of Emergency Management (VDEM) hosted the demonstration at the Virginia Emergency Operations Center (VEOC) in Richmond on April 29.



As the primary technical subcontractor responsible for the development of the GEOCommand software suite, AGTI was called upon to extend the capabilities of GEOCommand Server. The existing server application was designed to function as an extremely flexible broker of critical emergency data and this design allowed for a relatively smooth integration path with UICDS. The development team at AGTI worked closely with the group responsible for the development of the UICDS framework from prime contractor SAIC and GEOCommand management. AGTI was able to

develop functionality to handle the packaging, sending, receiving, and decoding of UICDS-specific XML data. GEOCommand Server is now able to provide site pre-plans, digital maps, location data, and other documents to the broader UICDS user community during a multi-jurisdictional emergency to support all first responders involved.

James W. Morentz, Ph.D., Director of UICDS Outreach, said, "Despite all the efforts devoted to data interoperability in recent years, the 23 technology providers represented in the demonstration came to the UICDS program with virtually no instances of sharing data with each other. Using the software development kit for the UICDS middleware and the National Information Exchange Model data exchange formats, these "first adopter" technology providers successfully demonstrated nearly one hundred real-time information exchanges. This demonstration points the way to a successful continuation of this government-sponsored, technology provider-driven information sharing across the full range of prevention, protection, response, and recovery."

About Animas Geographic Technology, Inc.

Animas Geographic Technology Inc. (AGTI) is a Colorado based provider of geographic information system services. AGTI serves a variety of clients ranging from small private sector companies to large federal government agencies. AGTI's goal is to provide our customers with a high-quality product and outstanding service through a strong work ethic. AGTI is committed to understanding the technical and organizational needs of clients to help them effectively leverage technology solutions.

Services include: Custom Cartography, Data Collection, Needs Assessment Implementation Planning, Implementation Assistance, Database Design, Geodatabase Implementation, Application Development, and Training.

About GEOCommand, Inc.

GEOCommand (www.geocommand.com) designs, develops and markets their GEOCommand™ suite of software products as a cost-competitive solution for the public safety sector. Incorporating engineering excellence in both the field of GIS and wireless integration distinguishes GEOCommand as an industry leader. GEOCommand serves as an advocate for America's First Responder Community and has filed comments in support of the development of a nationwide voice, data and video network. GEOCommand is an ESRI Authorized Business Partner. For more information please visit www.geocommand.com.

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About UICDS

UICDS is a middleware foundation that enables commercial and government incident management technologies to share information and support decisions for the National Response Framework and National Incident Management to prevent, protect, respond, and recover from natural, technological, and terrorist events.

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