

ABoVE SDT Leadership Meeting – 10/29/13

Attending: P.Griffith, D.Hayes, E.Kasischke; Rapporteur: E.Hoy

Upcoming Teleconferences

1. Upcoming ABoVE Leadership Telecons: November 12th, 9am eastern; November 18th, 9:30 am eastern; November 26th, 10am eastern
2. Upcoming ABoVE Full SDT Telecons (always at 1:30pm eastern): October 31st; November 13th; November 21st

Upcoming Meetings

1. Third SDT Meeting: December 3-5th in Ottawa, Ontario
2. AGU Town Hall on December 11th

Current Business:

1. Interactions with outside groups
 - a. E. Kasischke is currently attending the NSSI meeting in Fairbanks, Alaska and has had the opportunity to dialogue with members of NSSI and other groups (such as the Alaska LCCs) regarding ABoVE.
 - b. Finalizing the agenda for the 3rd SDT meeting will include a round-table discussion or side meeting with Canadian federal agencies with interest in ABoVE. The ABoVE leadership team is currently working to develop a list of potential invitees.
2. Discussion of Full SDT Telecon Agenda for October 31st, 2013:
 - a. Progress discussion on research requirements – groups will be given time on the telecon to discuss current progress on their research requirements table for Chapter 4 of the CEP
 - b. Status of Chapters 1, 2, and 3 of the CEP – The SDT Co-chairs will discuss current progress of the CEP and will allow SDT members to comment on the current document.
 - c. Field / spatial data collections and GIS demo – P. Griffith and E. Hoy will demo the ArcGIS Online (AGOL) system currently being used to store and display geospatial datasets relevant to the SDT. The demo will include a top level tour of the site and then will showcase the site assessments and discuss some of the relevant datasets still being collected. It will be asked that a member of each small group volunteer to have an account in AGOL to facilitate use of the system for their group.