

National Technology Transfer Team Teleconference

July 23, 2015

PARTICIPANTS

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DISCUSSED CURRENT STATUS

- Personnel
 - NTTT Senior Management Sponsor – Erv Barchenger (Mid-Continent Regional Director)
 - NTTT Lead – Mike Richmond
 - Mid-Continent Directorate NTTT Representative (Debbie Dale)
 - Grants Financial Specialist (Paul Fritsch)
 - Team Recorder (Tiara Neal, Arielle Avishai, Lavon Edwards, Jeff Trump to take turns) Notes to be placed on Technology Development and Transfer webpage.
- Subteams
 - Regional Teams, AR (Mike Richmond), MCR (Debbie Dale), WR (Duane Matt), HQ (Cecil Slaughter)
 - Applied Science Team (Mike Richmond)
 - Conference Team – ideas for seminars, conferences, and publications will be solicited by the Regional Teams
 - Publication Team (Web and Documents)
- Short-Term Goals
 - Issue Request for Proposals (RFP) in August
 - Have team up to speed before proposals are ready for evaluation
- NTTT Calendar
 - Active soon (working to put this on OSMRE webpage)
 - Submit items in project reports that should be included on calendar
 - Will include:
 - RFP release dates and proposal timeframes in RFP
 - Teleconference dates and times
 - National and Regional team meeting dates and times

Discussed updating Applied Science SOP

- Update needed
- Would need to be Section 508 compliant

Moving Forward

- NTTT Lead to contact heads of organizations represented on the team in the past to determine who their new representatives would be:
 - Technical Innovation and Professional Services (TIPS)
 - National Technical Training Program (NTTP)
 - Interstate Mining Compact Commission (IMCC)
 - Western Interstate Energy Board (WIEB)
 - National Association of Abandoned Mine Lands Programs (NAAMLPL)

Discussed generation of a Request for Proposals

- Debbie Dale volunteered to generate an RFP by updating the last version.

Next Call – July 23, 2015