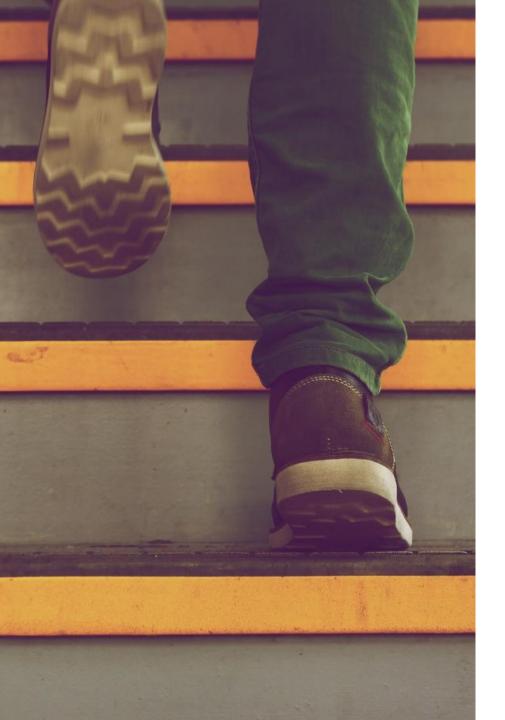


# EAHCP DATABASE MANAGEMENT PROJECT UPDATE



## DISCUSSION OUTLINE

What Are Our Goals For The System?

What Are Our Development Phases?

What Is the Status of Development?



## WHAT ARE OUR GOALS?

- Secure data collected in support of the EAHCP and administrative record,
- 2) Provide a complete and integrated source for analyses,
- 3) Provide a quality-assured and quality-controlled database for all EAHCP data.

# PHASES OF DEVELOPMENT











# Input

## GATHERING INPUT

- 1) Solicited input from
  - EAA
  - NAS
  - USGS
  - EAHCP Committee
  - Northern Temperate Lakes
  - Ecological Society of America
- 2) Input helped us create a robust
  - Scope of work
  - List of vendors



## NEEDS ASSESSMENT

#### **Purpose:**

Evaluate EAHCP stakeholder needs to improve the final deliverable.

#### Takeaways:

Most want access to data 1 to 2 times a year.

Individuals wanted to get data in order to:

- Perform research
- Evaluate the EAHCP on a regulatory basis.

Most want MS Office & GIS output



## Search

### SEARCHING FOR A SOLUTION

1) We solicited names of possible developers.

- 2) Based on their feedback we interviewed a short list of organizations to obtain input on an off-the-shelf vs. custom-built solution.
- 3) We vetted our options with USGS and ArcGIS.

# **EVALUATING SOLUTIONS**

Solutions	Off-the-shelf	Custom-built
Development Expertize	High	Medium
Ongoing Maintenance	Included In Cost	Not Likely Included
Learning Curve	Moderate	Possibly Smaller
Un-Supported File Types	Will store, but not display, <b>shape files</b> for later use	Likely not support real-time data
Data Knowledge	Moderate	High
User Size	Multiple	Single



## SELECTING A SOLUTION

We selected an off-the-shelf solution.

Select





## WE SELECTED AQUARIUS SAMPLES!



- 1) Will integrate Time-Series Data.
- 2) Will integrate with EAA & ArcGIS data.

3) Will hold all EAHCP data, including image and shape files.



## MIGRATION PLAN

- We will work with Aquatic Informatics to setup the database and characterize our data.
  - The data characterization will provide us with a data integration plan and data map.
- 2) We select a vendor who will use this data characterization to configure the EAHCP database and migrate EAHCP data.

## SUMMARY

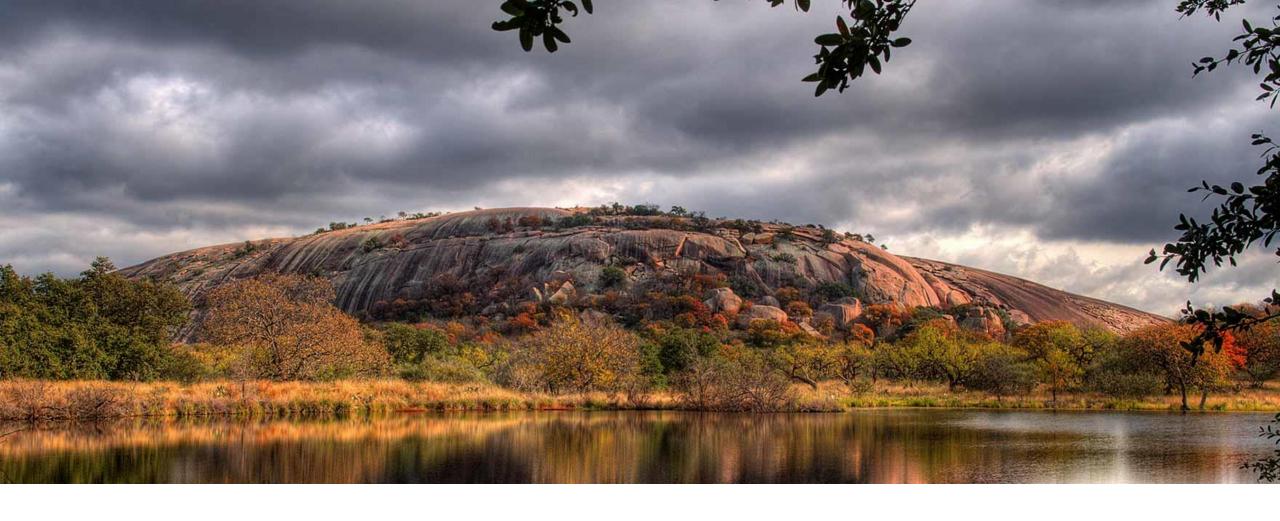
- We have selected Aquarius Samples for the EAHCP
- 2) Setup, inventory, and migration costs will be approximately 30 to 70 thousand dollars
  - Paid through the 2016 Applied Research budget as recommended by the Applied Research Work Group.
- 3) Setup and migration will, ambitiously, be complete by the beginning of 2017











THANK YOU

Questions?