ASPRS

Data Preservation and Archiving Committee (DPAC)

11 February 2016

Attendees: Dave Ruiz, Bill Teng, David Day, John Faundeen

Discussed where to place our catalog tagline of *The Source for Finding Aerial Collections*. Decided to modify the current welcome statement on the catalog and include the tagline there. **ACTION:** John Faundeen to relay text changes to the ASPRS web developer.

David Day shared that the catalog has been stable and his latest upload spreadsheet works for adding new records. This week Bob Pope indicated that he would start getting his multi-hundred records submitted with the spreadsheet. John will add 15 USGS collections. Once we get several hundred in the system, it will be easier to market the usefulness of the catalog. **ACTION:** All DPAC members solicit records from their own organization and/or from any other source. David Day (dday@kasurveys.com) has volunteered to receive the spreadsheet files and look for any problems before submitting them for loading.

Next month Cody Benkelman has volunteered to provide a presentation on ESRI’s involvement with the UAS field. The session will also be opened up to allow an ESIP (Earth Science Information Partner) group devoted to UAS to also connect. Thanks Bill Teng for suggesting this. Note that this DPAC meeting will be on **March 17th** at 11:00 CT.

Bill is also involved in trying to get Ruth Doerr to present on her concepts and thoughts for automating loading processes, which might help DPAC when we receive lots of files to be added to the catalog.

Once we hear back from ASPRS on our poster submission we can hopefully begin to design it. May have to share files through email to get this done. Dave Ruiz has agreed to print the poster for us.

Next DPAC Meeting is scheduled for **17 March 2016 at 11:00 CT**. Note that this a different week than our normal time!