

TO: **Ramona & WLIP Annual Survey Comparison Study
Information Policy Review Team**

Dear Team Members:

Attached are the pertinent policy related questions from the **Ramona web pages**, interlaced with the closest questions extracted from the **WLIP 2003 Annual Survey web pages**, for your comparison. Ramona questions always appear in a sans-serif font; WLIP questions always appear in a serif font.

The WLIP 2003 Annual Survey **Section 20: Institutional Arrangements**, is also included, although it does not have a direct correspondence to any section of Ramona.

A separate .pdf of **Ramona Data Categories and Layers**, sorted by Framework Data layers and Other Data layers, is also provided for your reference.

Ramona is intended for all geospatial data producers, not just county LIOs. Also, we can only add questions to a Wisconsin Profile in a section at the end of Ramona; we can not edit the questions as currently structured within Ramona.

Can any additional questions be structured to apply to all Wisconsin participants ?

Are there LIO specific questions which need to be included ?

Your 2 Requested Tasks:

Please identify up to 5 Questions concerning these themes which you think might need to be added to the Wisconsin Profile of the Ramona Survey Tool. (For example: Do you intend to place the geospatial data themes you produce in the public domain?)

Please identify any specific guidance to users of the Wisconsin Profile of the Ramona Survey Tool. (Have you established an off-site archiving relationship with a repository such as a public library or university library ?)

Policy Questions Comparison

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RAMONA GIS INVENTORY

1. Do you currently create FGDC metadata for your data?

2. If so, please indicate if you post your data to a metadata clearinghouse/portal.

- State/statewide clearinghouse
- GOS
- Other

Website (Please list the URL)

Does your county have plans to provide access to metadata about digital spatial data through the Wisconsin Land Information Clearinghouse (WISCLINC)?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to because:

3. Does your organization distribute its geospatial data?

Does your county use any of the following means to provide public access to digital spatial data?

Please check all that apply

- Public access terminal
- Electronic kiosk
- Compact disc or other media
- Internet web site --- please specify URL
- Dial-up or FTP access--- please specify IP Address
- Other --- please specify

Does your county have plans to provide access to digital spatial data through the Wisconsin Land Information Clearinghouse (WISCLINC)?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to because:

4. Does your organization have a written data distribution policy?

Has your county developed a formal information sharing policy that addresses issues such as pricing, copyright, privacy, liability, data sharing, etc.?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to do so

5. If yes, how is it available?

- E-mail
- Hardcopy by Mail
- Hardcopy by FAX

Website (Please list the URL)

Other (Please list)

Comment [PC1]: Does "It" = data distribution policy?

6. Do you make your data available for download?

If Yes Please list the URL

If your county has a web site for public access, what functions are available?

- View spatial data
- View tabular data
- View static maps
- View static tables
- Make maps
- Query tabular data
- View GIS product catalog
- View Metadata
- Download data
- Order data
- View information policies
- Track land information events
- Other, --- please specify:

Does your county have plans to provide access to digital spatial data through the Wisconsin Land Information Clearinghouse (WISCLINC)?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to because:

7. Do you normally copyright your data?

Has your county developed a formal information sharing policy that addresses issues such as pricing, copyright, privacy, liability, data sharing, etc.?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to do so

Does your county utilize any of the following when providing digital spatial data to other government agencies?

Please check all that apply

- Copyright
- License agreement
- Restrictions on dissemination of data
- Charge for the cost of reproduction
- Charge in addition to the cost of reproduction
- Other restrictions -- please specify

Comments?

Other public access policies include: disclaimers, privacy, cost

8. Do you normally license your data?

Has your county developed a formal information sharing policy that addresses issues such as pricing, copyright, privacy, liability, data sharing, etc.?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to do so

Does your county utilize any of the following when providing digital spatial data to other government agencies?

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- Other restrictions -- please specify

Comments?

9. If yes, how can your license agreement be accessed?

- E-mail
- Hardcopy by Mail
- Hardcopy by FAX

FTP download (Please list the URL)

Website (Please list the URL)

10. Do you normally charge for your data?

Comment [PC2]: Do they mean above the cost of reproduction?

Has your county developed a formal information sharing policy that addresses issues such as pricing, copyright, privacy, liability, data sharing, etc.?

- Yes
- No, but we plan to in the future
- No, we have no plans to do so

Does your county utilize any of the following when providing digital spatial data to other government agencies?

Please check all that apply

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- Charge in addition to the cost of reproduction
- Other restrictions -- please specify

Comments?

11. If yes, how can your price schedules be accessed?

- E-mail
- Hardcopy by Mail
- Hardcopy by FAX

FTP Download (Please list the URL)

Website (Please list the URL)

12. Do you normally restrict redistribution of your data?

Does your county utilize any of the following when providing digital spatial data to other government agencies?

Please check all that apply

- Copyright
- License agreement
- Restrictions on dissemination of data
- Charge for the cost of reproduction
- Charge in addition to the cost of reproduction
- Other restrictions -- please specify

Comments?

13. If you license and/or charge for your data, do you normally waive charges and distribution restrictions when working with governmental programs (local, state or federal) that benefit your organization?

14. What type of media do you use for data distribution?

- 3.5in Floppy
- 4mm Tape
- 8mm Tape
- CD-ROM
- DLT (digital linear tape)
- DVD-ROM
- External Hard Drive
- ZipDisk

Other (Please List)

Does your county use any of the following means to provide public access to digital spatial data?

Please check all that apply

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- Electronic kiosk
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- Other, --- please specify:

15. Do you typically distribute data in the same map projection, coordinate system, datums, and units of measure that are used for your organizations internal purposes?

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Section 20: Institutional Arrangements

1. Does your county have formal (written) or informal arrangements with other entities?

Yes

No

If no, please skip to next section.

2. Please list the institutional arrangements that exist for your county. Indicate which agencies participate and if the nature of the arrangement is formal (written) or informal (verbal) or are to be negotiated in the future.

Multi-Departmental/Single Governmental Unit	Nature of Arrangement
Cartographer	Informal
Conservationist	Formal
Data Processing Department	Informal
Emergency Government	Informal
Forest and Park Administration	Informal
Land Information Office	Formal
Planning and Zoning	Formal
Real Property Lister	Informal
Register of Deeds	Formal
Sheriff	Informal
Solid Waste Department	--Type of Arrangement--
Surveyor	Formal
Transportation	Formal
Treasurer	Formal
Zoning	Formal
Other (Please specify) <input type="text"/>	--Type of Arrangement--

3. Indicate the number of formal (written) or informal (verbal) arrangements your county has with each of the following types of entities.

	Formal	Informal
Municipalities within the county	55	61
Municipalities outside the county	0	0
Other counties	0	0
Regional agencies	2	0
State agencies	4	0
Federal agencies	1	0
Private sector organizations	0	1

4. Copy and paste a sample arrangement into the text box below, if applicable.

5. Comments?