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Re: US National Grid - wide use in Brevard for 2009

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Thu, Feb 5, 2009 at 8:22 AM

To: Emergency Operation Center Console 2 <eoconsole2@brevardcounty.us>, "Charles, Chris" <Chris.Charles@brevardcounty.us>

Cc: Rick Allen <firechief@cityofrockledge.org>, "Jordan, Dave" <dave.jordan@brevardcounty.us>

Bob & Chris,

Thank you for meeting with me yesterday. **Please spread the word to the entire county that USNG is here and needs to be utilized.** Please include USNG references in the 2/18 wildfire briefing and please set 6/1 as a goal for expanded USNG implementation for hurricane season. **We have all that is necessary in Brevard to begin using USNG.** If you need further information or justification references, please contact me.

Per your requests, the following information is provided and can be forwarded to others for use;

WEB TOOLS: (all fire/EMS/law enforcement dispatchers should have these for immediate use)

- 1) <http://www.fidnet.com/~jlmoore/usng/>
- 2) <http://www.floridadisaster.org/gis/kml/viewer.htm>

BREVARD MAP INSTRUCTIONS: (attached also, *includes HYDRANT ICON correction*)

http://rapidshare.com/files/175544100/Brevard_USNG_maps-FREE.pdf (Select Free User)

TRAINING PRESENTATION: (Used @ Fire-Rescue East, last week)

http://rapidshare.com/files/178877428/FRE-09_USNG.pdf (Select Free User)

USNG INFO AUTO-REPLY EMAIL:

USNG08@gmail.com

VEHICLE GPS WITH USNG: (Garmin Nuvi 500 series)

http://rapidshare.com/files/189895733/GARMIN_NUVI_500_USNG.pdf (Select Free User)

Note: any hand-held GPS will have MGRS or USNG

SPACE COAST FIRE CHIEFS ASSN USNG WEB SITE: (** update this week expected; to include both types of Rev1 maps)

http://www.spacecoastfirechiefs.org/Page_13x.htm

USNG USER YAHOO GROUP:

<http://finance.groups.yahoo.com/group/USNG/>

Please advise actions taken/intended 2 weeks from today.

Regards,

Al Studt
USNG Advocate & Instructor

On Mon, Feb 2, 2009 at 9:38 AM, Emergency Operation Center Console 2
<eocconsole2@brevardcounty.us> wrote:

Al, we are still struggling due to funding issues and other issues. However, I would like to talk with you this week or next week to determine all the successes you might have made and or the stumbling blocks. Chris Charles is putting together the in county wildfire briefing (initial) for Feb 18, so if possible I would like to meet prior.

Please coordinate with Chris for the meeting prior to the 18th meeting.

Bob

From: A. W. Studt [mailto:kf4kir@gmail.com]
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Mr. Lay or representatives;

All the tools exist within Brevard County to implement USNG for the 2009 wildfire season (Rev 1 maps & awareness training to many agencies).

I have worked with BC-GIS, BCFR, SCFCA, PBFD, MFD, Cbfd, etc. at mid-management levels or higher since May 2008 to educate due to the existence of the Rev 0, (now Rev 1) USNG map books. As of this month, I have initiated a grass roots effort for USNG use by deployed units and/or commanders in the field.

What steps are being taken by the EM office to put USNG into effect by all PSAPs / agencies? I request your support & and update from the EM office. Please advise.

Regards,

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2 attachments

 **USNG-Brevard-09.pdf**
184K

 **Brevard_USNG_maps-FREE.pdf**
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