

The Agenda
For a Meeting of
The Mesonet Steering Committee

9:30 AM – 2:30, PM
Plaza Conference Room A – Sarkeys Energy Center
The University of Oklahoma
September 1, 2000

- I. Welcome
 - Approval of Current Agenda
 - Introduction of New Member of Steering Committee – David Stensrud
 - Appreciation of Immediate Past-Member of Steering Committee – Mike Elits
 - Approval of Minutes from December Meeting in Stillwater on 15 December 1999
 - Approval of Minutes from Executive Session in Guthrie on 2 March 2000
 - Other Comments by Ken Crawford
- II. Financial Issues and the Oklahoma Mesonet
 - Budget Projections for 6/30/01
 - Budget Projections for FY02 and Beyond
- III. Status Reports Regarding the Basic Foundation of the Oklahoma Mesonet
 - Mesonet Inventory, Near-Term/Longer-Term Issues: Scott Richardson and David Grimsley
 - Computer Operations: Inventory, Near-Term/Longer-Term Issues Sridhar Kulasekharan
- IV. Brief Reports on Other Support Elements to the Oklahoma Mesonet
 - Software and Web Development: Renee McPherson
 - Educational Outreach: Kevin Kloesel [+ deregulation in FY02]
 - Service: Howard Johnson/Mark Shafer
- V. Lunch at Noon
- VI. Policy Issues Requiring Decisions and/or Helping Prioritize Mesonet Operations
 - Soil Moisture
 - Summary of Processing: Jeff Basara and Gary McManus
 - What do we Share with Future Cooperators? – Ken Crawford
 - Real-Time Soil Moisture on the Web: Gary McManus
 - LoggerNet, Second Frequency, Next Generation Software, Radio Upgrade
 - Issue of Ag/Natural Resource Programming Support: Ron Elliott
 - Proposal by Mark Shafer
 - Public/Subscriber/Premium Web Pages: Mark Shafter
 - New Pricing Structure for Archived Mesonet Data via CDs: Mark Shafter
 - Web Access to MDC Archive and Customized Data Requests: Ron Elliott
 - USDA Initiative from OUS/OU on Drought Decision Support: Ron Elliott
 - Drought Information Web Pages: Derek Arndt
 - Mesonet User Workshops: Ron Elliott
 - OASIS: What do We Share with Future Cooperators? – Ken Crawford
 - Response to the AAAS Report: Ron Elliott
 - Funding Initiatives for FY02 – Lunch with Jan Montgomery: Ron Elliott
- VII. Mesonet Partners and Other Important Issues
 - DEQ, OWRB, DOT, Quebec, WDT, Brazil, Campbell Scientific
 - Brotzge/Basara Proposals: To the NWF and to NASA
 - Mesonet Support of NOAA/PORT? – Ken Crawford
- VIII. Miscellaneous Issues
 - BAMS Manuscript
 - New Meeting in Stillwater: January 2001?