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Posted by Brett Boston on Feb 5

FloridaNet Team:

We are getting a large number of requests to speak to various groups and associations in Florida.

We have had discussions with the Executive Committee and the Advisory Committee the need to have a speakers bureau of knowledgeable FloridaNet team members throughout Florida that can give a short pre-prepared presentation and occasional updates to these groups and associations. Some of these requests are for online presentations during conference calls.

The process will be simple:
1. We will centrally handle requests and scheduling with the requesting organizations.
2. We will ask our volunteer speakers bureau members if they are available on the date and time requested. Participation is voluntary and we try to not make too many time demands on any one volunteer.
3. We will provide a presentation for your use and any additional support material you may need.
4. We will cover your travel and expenses and support all associated paperwork and filing.
5. We can make a WebEx conference available for your use and set up the conference call.

If you are even marginally interested, please email me!

Thanks in advance for your ongoing support and participation in FloridaNet.

Brett

Discuss this message

Bill Stoye
Bret,

I would be happy to help out.

Regards,

Bill Stoye, MIT

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Michael Myers
If possible I can be available. I am getting a lot of these types of requests lately.
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john cracolici
Brett, I'm happy to help. but I think we might want to have an agreed upon message so any of us can represent FloridaNet in the best light.
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Brett Boston
All: I believe that private-sector participation in the bureau is a tricky, but solvable issue. IF there is any perception of industry or agency bias in the presentations, this will cause problems for the entire FloridaNet team. Presenters will be representing the entire FloridaNet project and NOT their respective agency or business perspective. We are a transparent team and our interactions have to be based on a commitment to the FloridaNet project. My perception is that all our Advisory Team members feel the same way about this.

This will be a great topic for our Private-Public Committee call next week.
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Bob Finney
Great point Brett...I have talked to individuals from other states where this perception is already spreading. Very negative feelings. Florida must keep this in check.
I may be able to assist with the presentations from time to time.

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Richard Steiner
Brett,

I am interested, please sign me up.

Rich

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Kevin McFadden
Brett,

I understand you last statements regarding industry support in this area. I am interested in supporting this as long as it does not cause issues for the group.

Thank you,
Kevin
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Greg Holcomb
I can be available as schedule permits.

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Colin Denney
I can help in central FL as schedule permits.

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Henry Erfurt
I would be will to help. Please let me know when and where.

Thanks,
Henry Erfurt
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Rob Fortner
Brett,

I'm willing to help where practical.

Rob

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Brett Boston
All:

My phone and email are both full of FloridaNet team members willing to volunteer to help.

For clarity:
1. We want everyone that is interested to feel they are welcome to assist; public sector and private sector.
2. We will attempt to cover all meetings with immediate staff resources, but we suspect that this will become a very hot topic after the statewide listening sessions and we are planning ahead to make sure we can fulfill as many speaking requests as possible.
3. Many of you are not posting to the basecamp site, which is fine. I am hereby requesting everyone send me a direct email versus responding via basecamp. That request will reduce the amount of email traffic to the full team and eliminate any "pressure" to respond publicly.
4. There are concerns that NOT volunteering or posting to this site might be perceived negatively. Not the case. We are simply looking for folks that might be able to fill in. We are aware that not every organization or company has the time and resources to assist. No issues.
5. We will take a minute to discuss this in our private-public conference call on Tuesday.

Thanks for all the support! We have a great FloridaNet team and working together, we will produce great results for Florida.
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Cindy Cast
If schedule permits, I would like to participate if needed.

Cindy-
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Kevin Herndon
I would like to participate.
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