

# GIS to the RESCUE Weathering the Storms



KAMP Meeting – Friday, May 16, 2008 – 10:00am-2:00pm EDT

Pikeville Fire Department  
Training Center  
104 Chloe Road  
Pikeville, Kentucky

## **10:00am-10:45am**

**Doug Tackett** - Pike County, 911 Director/Emergency Management and GIS Director  
**Charles Maynard** - Pike County, GIS Manager

*Mr. Tackett will discuss how the Pike County GIS was established, the equipment that was originally used and where the organization is at today. Mr. Maynard will discuss current mapping projects such as the Hatfield McCoy proposed ATV Trail. As well as, providing a brief overview of Pike County's weather disasters in the last several years.*

## **10:45am-10:50am BREAK**

## **10:50am-11:30am**

**Kyle Snyder, GISP** – NKAPC, Principal GIS Specialist

### ***The GISCI Certification Program for GIS Professionals***

*This session will detail the GISCI Certification Program for GIS Professionals. This is a recognition program for established GIS professionals. It is a non-examination, portfolio-based system. Strategies for filling out the application as well as detailed information about the history of the effort and the Institute will be provided. The presentation will detail the application review process and offer current statistical information about certified GIS professionals. Learn about the Experience only (Grandfathering) Qualification for the GISP, available through 2008.*

## **11:30am-1:00pm LUNCH**

*Lunch provided by Southeast Telephone and MedFlight*

## **1:00pm-1:30pm**

**National Weather Service**

*Discussion on using GIS with weather, new mapping project of mapping tornados in Kentucky and talking about the super cell storm that moved through Kentucky on April 11, 2008*

## **1:30pm-2:00pm**

*KAMP Business*