

**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 Eilts  
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 to 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 Shafer

New Pricing Structure for Archived Mesonet Data via CDs: Mark Shafer

Web Access to MCD Archive and Customized Data Requests: Ron Elliott

USDA Initiative from OSU/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 NSF and to NASA

Mesonet Support of NOAA/PORT? — Ken Crawford

VIII. Miscellaneous Issues

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New Meeting in Stillwater: January 2001?