

Thank you to all who attended the virtual stakeholder session. And those that were not able to attend, please review the material and let me know if you have any questions or comments. These notes, the presentation and a video of the presentation will all be made available to the public on the ADP website (www.abdatapartnerships.ca).

Stakeholder engagement is a fundamental principle of ADP and these events help the organization gauge our progress, as well as identify new opportunities that could provide business value to our stakeholders. ADP's goal is to have an in-person session during 2022 to gain a deeper understanding of the issues and opportunities that exist with government, municipalities and industry.

The agenda for the meeting was:

9:00 – 9:10	Welcome and Introduction	David Muddle Erik Holmlund
9:10 – 9:50	Alberta Data Partnerships Background and Business Update City of Edmonton Mapping	Erik Holmlund
9:50 – 10:00	Q&A	
10:00 – 10:30	Altalis Update	Jim Chorel Leah Lilley
10:30 – 10:45	Q&A	
10:45 – 11:30	Enhanced Titles Mapping RITL Update	Erik Holmlund
11:30 – 11:45	Q&A	
11:45 – 11:50	Closing Remarks	Erik Holmlund

The session was facilitated by David Muddle from M Consulting with support from Hannah MacKay as note taker.

Q&A

Below are the questions as transcribed, and in some cases, the answer below was revised to ensure the information was correct or more information was added.

Theme: Data Location and Access

Question: Does IHS data exist anymore? Replaced by badger?

Answer: Public Land Survey Plan distribution all moved to Badger. All other IHS data- unsure. Do not know.

Question: Crown vs Private. GLIMPS report. Best way to get the data?

Answer: Not an expert, from what I understand though, yes.

Question: 2023 is the re-negotiation phase?

Answer: Current agreement expires in 2023, need to start negotiation/discussions sooner.

Theme: Data for Post-Secondary Institutions

Question: Data available for academic or research purposes. Academic researchers could sign with province and get data with no cost. Fee attached? What data is opened for academic institutions?

Answer: Longstanding Education agreement with Universities (UofC, UofA, UofL, SAIT) with minimal fee - students and researchers have access to many Altalis datasets. This agreement is managed in the Information Services department at U of C. Partner products, like LiDAR15, LiDAR7.5 and imagery are not available under this agreement.

Question: Similar arrangement for smaller institutions?

Answer: Smaller institutions can apply for a 75% Educational discount for certain datasets or project areas. Again, Altalis cannot offer discounts for Partner products. There are several Open (freely available) datasets on Altalis.com and students are also encouraged to use Open Data Areas (opendataareas.ca), which hosts a wealth of datasets from many providers for 6 regions in the province.

Question: GoA MOU restricts data for specific use, does Altalis have a small fee for service, or do you take cue from the University?

Answer: Altalis is not involved in projects between GOA and their contractors or partners unless they ask.

Question: Email anyone specific at Altalis to gain access to from a student or researcher at a smaller institution?

Answer: Email inquiries can be sent to data@altalis.com. Altalis also has an extensive help/online support. Can submit a ticket, description, and questions.

Theme: Altalis Website Logistics

Question: Dataset that has city/town summer villages as one filter? Seem to be separate classes?

Answer: Municipal boundary file updated monthly, open dataset. Municipal layers are also maintained in Base Features.

Question: Corporate accounts- what does it take to open one? Financial requirements?

Answer: No cost to set up a corporate account, only charges are to purchase paid for products. There is a feature that says “set up corporate account” under personal account – easy to follow prompt. Under profile you can see company history (purchases will also show invoice). Also, anyone under the corporate account can access data. Can flip between corporate and personal.

Question: Pipeline data APR. GDM pipeline enhancement data better? Does Altalis include other kinds of pipeline data? What is the difference between open and freely available data vs GDM?

Answer: Spatial accuracy, crossings, data dictionary (under metadata) extensive set of attributes for enhancement. More information about the pipeline. GDM is a paid for data set.

Question: Products going to made available as a web service that are coming?

Answer: Pilot project in early 2020 streamed a few products. The Web Map Services (WMS) weren't super useful (can't manipulate data). Participants preferred Web Feature Services (WFS). Will be looking at services further in 2022. The only Altalis product currently streaming are the imagery services.