



## Flight Planning Tool

Powered by:



Presented by: *Dave Isiminger*  
Site GIS & Environmental Systems

# AGENDA



**Background**



Radiological Assistance Program (RAP)



The Flight Planning Tool (FPT)



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF  
**ENERGY**

Established early 1950s for the production of materials used to fabricate nuclear weapons

Today the mission focuses:

- Cold war clean up & environmental stewardship
- Technology Innovation
- Energy independence



# AGENDA



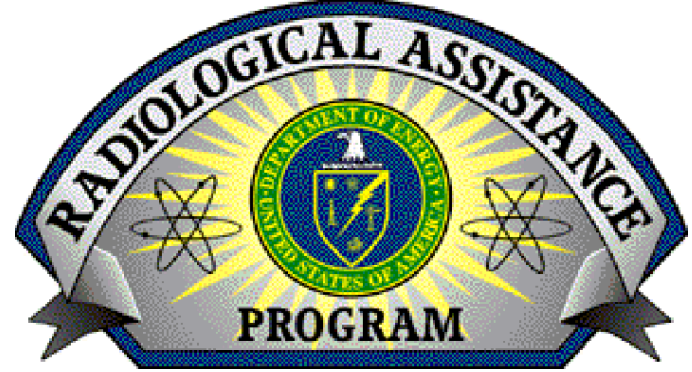
Background



**Radiological Assistance Program (RAP)**

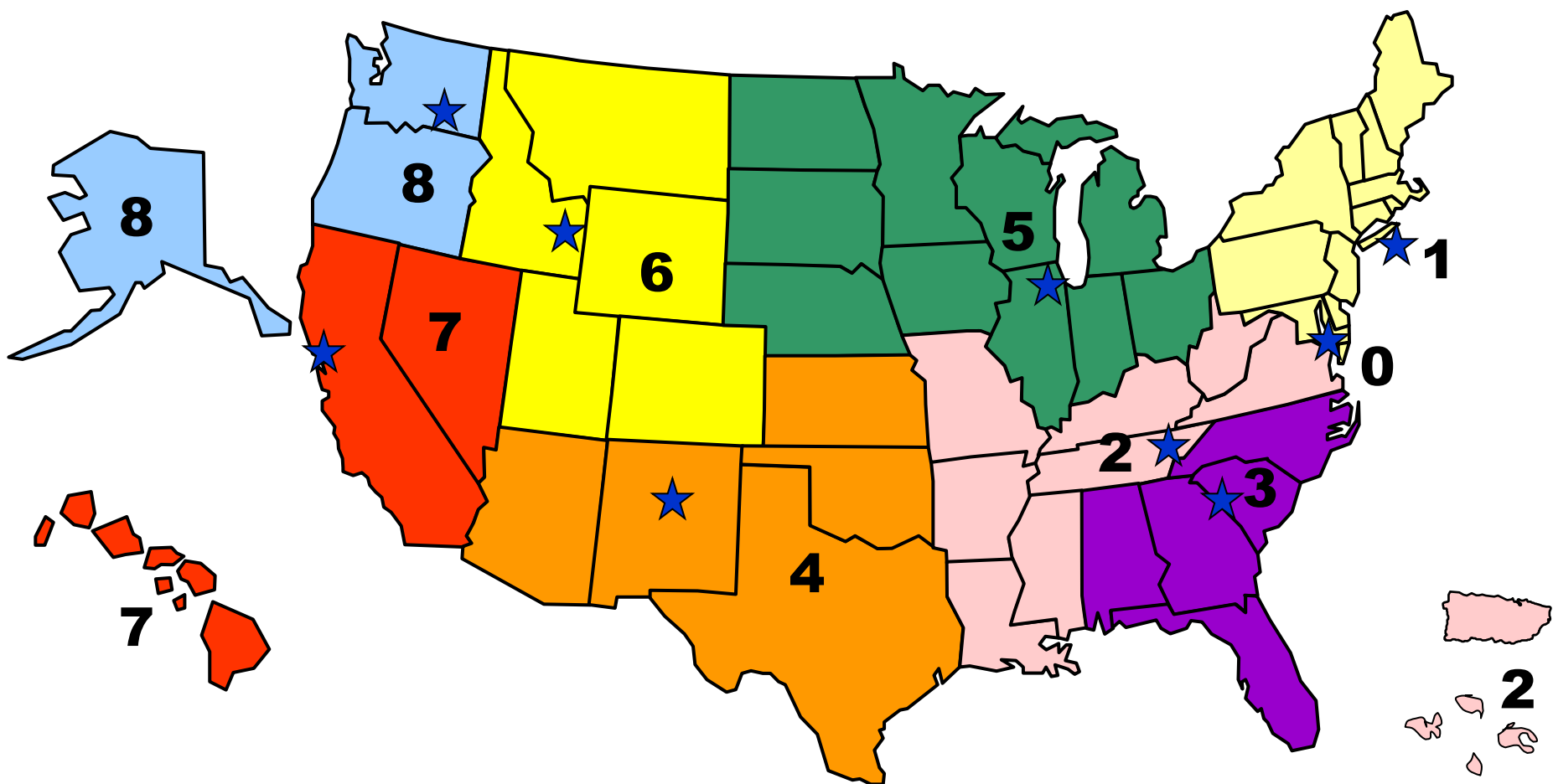


The Flight Planning Tool (FPT)



- DOE/NNSA Radiological First Responders
- Deployable within 2 hours.
- Regionally located to provide a timely response capability and foster relationships with other emergency response elements

# DOE Regional Map and Coordinating Offices



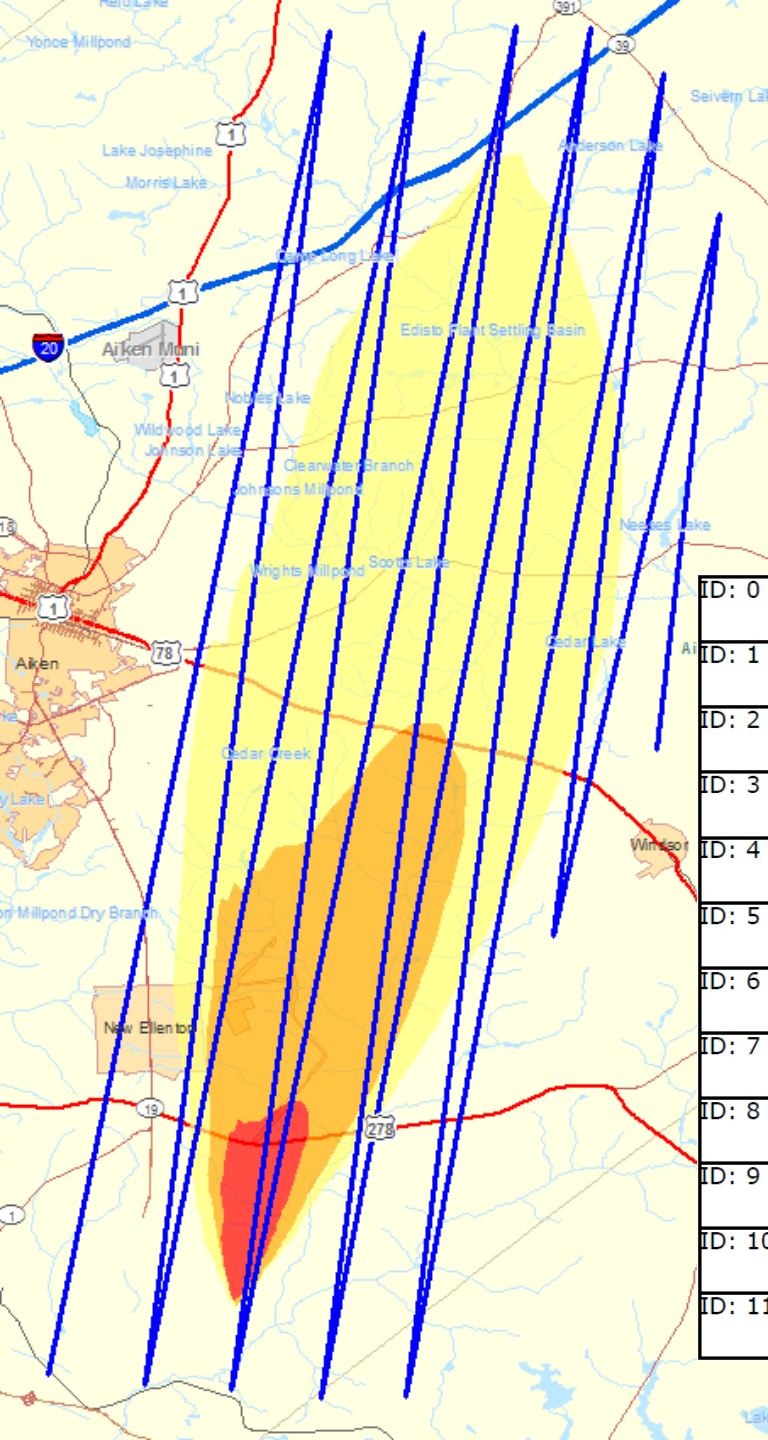
## Regional AMS



**Aerial Measuring System (AMS)**  
detects, measures and tracks  
radioactive material at an  
emergency to determine  
contamination levels







# Basic Map & Navigation Coordinates

ID: 0	Start Lon: 81° 43.17216 Start Lat: 33° 18.17401	End Lon: 81° 37.48430 End Lat: 33° 45.34555	Azimuth: 11.8231
ID: 1	Start Lon: 81° 37.48430 Start Lat: 33° 45.34555	End Lon: 81° 41.21910 End Lat: 33° 17.96843	Azimuth: 187.7684
ID: 2	Start Lon: 81° 41.21910 Start Lat: 33° 17.96843	End Lon: 81° 35.59977 End Lat: 33° 45.31129	Azimuth: 11.6134
ID: 3	Start Lon: 81° 35.59977 Start Lat: 33° 45.31129	End Lon: 81° 39.47163 End Lat: 33° 17.86563	Azimuth: 188.0299
ID: 4	Start Lon: 81° 39.47163 Start Lat: 33° 17.86563	End Lon: 81° 33.71523 End Lat: 33° 45.44834	Azimuth: 11.7882
ID: 5	Start Lon: 81° 33.71523 Start Lat: 33° 45.44834	End Lon: 81° 37.65562 End Lat: 33° 17.69431	Azimuth: 188.0806
ID: 6	Start Lon: 81° 37.65562 Start Lat: 33° 17.69431	End Lon: 81° 32.20761 End Lat: 33° 45.41408	Azimuth: 11.1191
ID: 7	Start Lon: 81° 32.20761 Start Lat: 33° 45.41408	End Lon: 81° 35.94241 End Lat: 33° 17.72858	Azimuth: 187.6829
ID: 8	Start Lon: 81° 35.94241 Start Lat: 33° 17.72858	End Lon: 81° 30.73425 End Lat: 33° 44.48895	Azimuth: 11.0134
ID: 9	Start Lon: 81° 30.73425 Start Lat: 33° 44.48895	End Lon: 81° 32.96142 End Lat: 33° 27.04845	Azimuth: 187.2774
ID: 10	Start Lon: 81° 32.96142 Start Lat: 33° 27.04845	End Lon: 81° 29.60353 End Lat: 33° 41.64501	Azimuth: 12.9553
ID: 11	Start Lon: 81° 29.60353 Start Lat: 33° 41.64501	End Lon: 81° 30.87130 End Lat: 33° 30.81751	Azimuth: 186.6783

# AGENDA



Background



Radiological Assistance Program (RAP)



**The Flight Planning Tool (FPT)**

# OBJECTIVES

1

Automate flight plan packages

2

Decrease creation time

3

Minimize human error potential



# ArcGIS® 9

ArcMap™ Version 9.3

Copyright © 2010  
by U.S. and Int'l

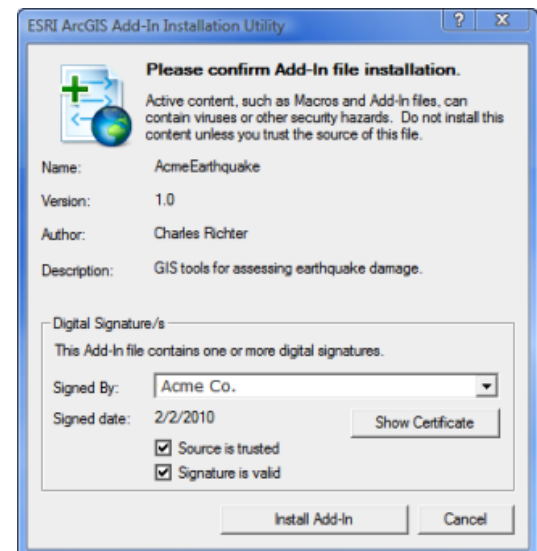
# ArcGIS®

ArcMap™ | 10



Copyright © 2010 ESRI.  
All Rights Reserved.

Microsoft®  
**.net™**



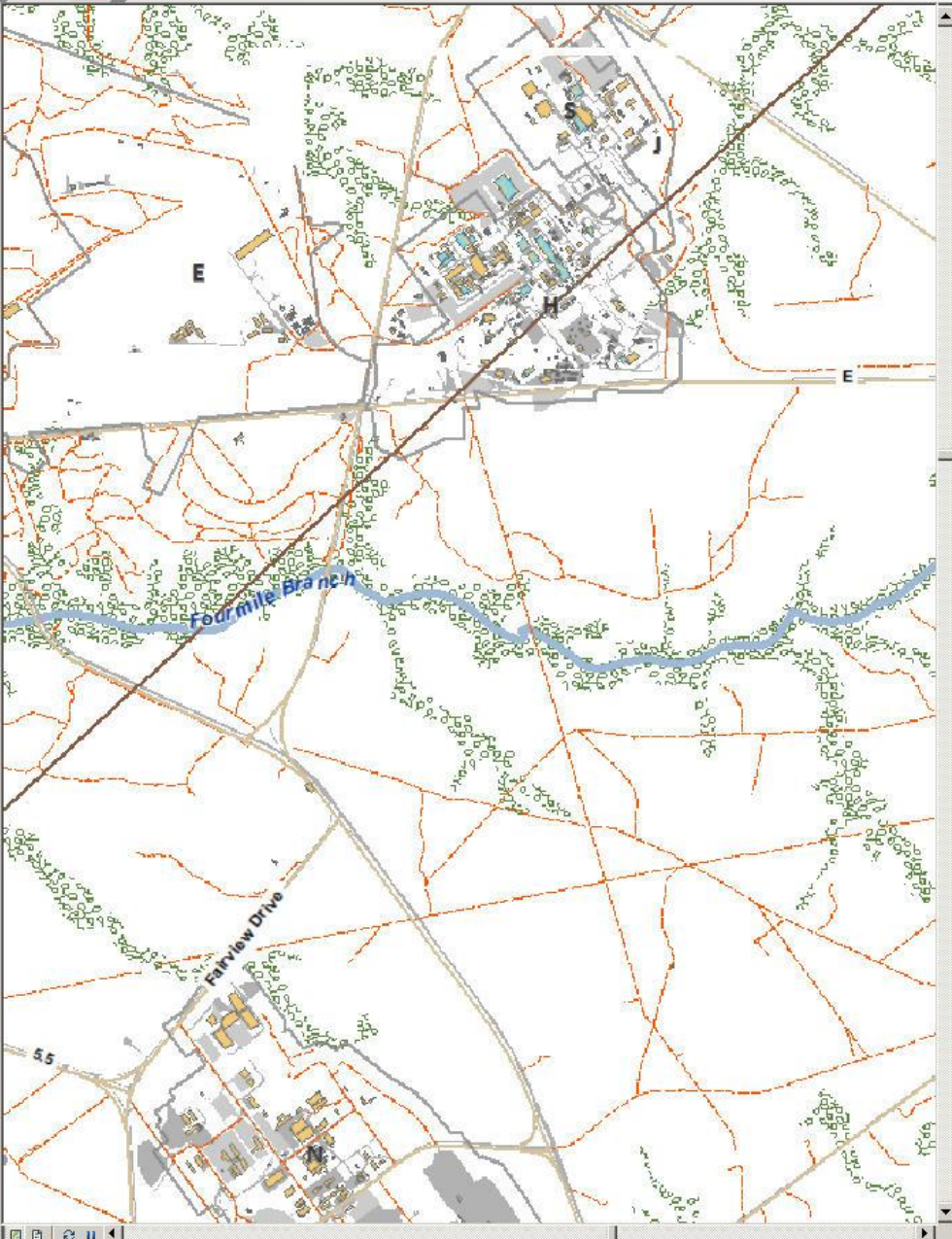
The Radiological Assistance Program (RAP) Flight Planning Tool is used to generate Lost Source, NARAC Deposition, and Road Stream flight plans.



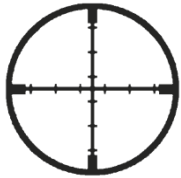
The RAP Flight Planning Tool was developed by The Savannah River Nuclear Solutions / GeoNEARing group to support the Savannah River Site / RAP Region 3 Team. To subscribe to application updates, support inquiries or to request training, please send us an email at [GeoNEARing@srs.gov](mailto:GeoNEARing@srs.gov).



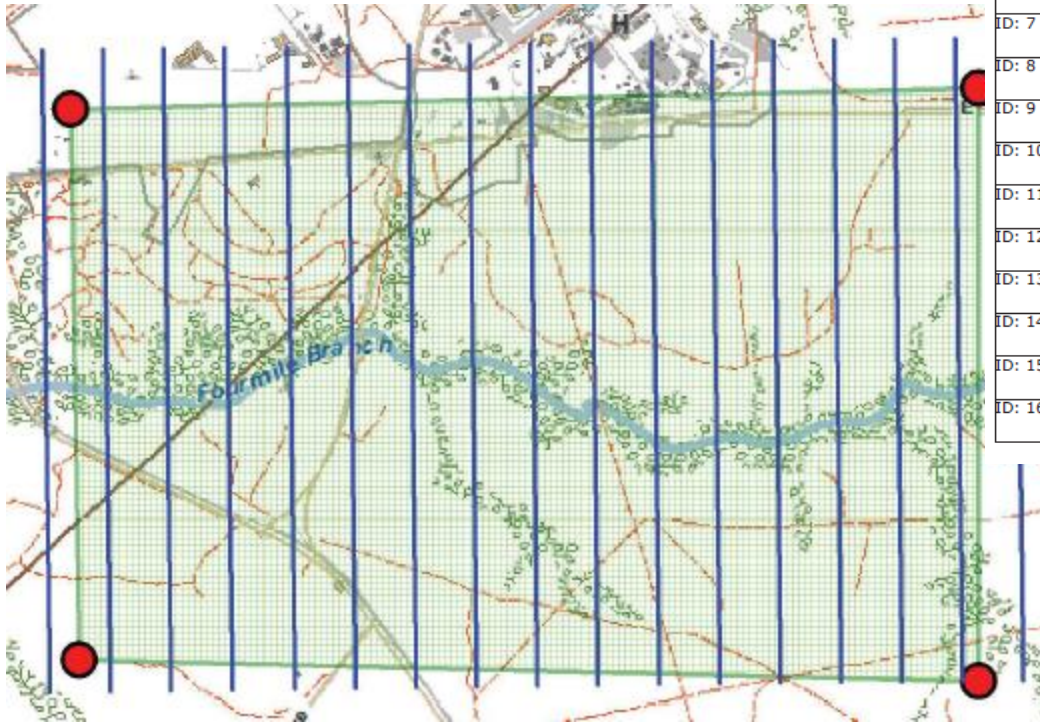
Layers
 BaseMap



# Scenarios



**Lost Source**



ID: 0	Start X: -81.664286297 Start Y: 33.261541106	End X: -81.664645953 End Y: 33.285716911	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 1	Start X: -81.661552911 Start Y: 33.261541106	End X: -81.661912567 End Y: 33.285716911	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 2	Start X: -81.658819524 Start Y: 33.261601253	End X: -81.65917918 End Y: 33.285777041	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 3	Start X: -81.656086138 Start Y: 33.261601253	End X: -81.656445794 End Y: 33.285777041	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 4	Start X: -81.653352751 Start Y: 33.261661401	End X: -81.653712407 End Y: 33.285837172	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 5	Start X: -81.650619365 Start Y: 33.261661401	End X: -81.650979021 End Y: 33.285837172	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 6	Start X: -81.647885978 Start Y: 33.261721548	End X: -81.648245634 End Y: 33.285897302	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 7	Start X: -81.645152591 Start Y: 33.261721548	End X: -81.645512248 End Y: 33.285897302	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 8	Start X: -81.642419205 Start Y: 33.261781695	End X: -81.642778861 End Y: 33.285957432	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 9	Start X: -81.639613887 Start Y: 33.261781695	End X: -81.639973543 End Y: 33.285957432	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 10	Start X: -81.6368805 Start Y: 33.261841842	End X: -81.637240157 End Y: 33.286017563	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 11	Start X: -81.634147114 Start Y: 33.261841842	End X: -81.63450677 End Y: 33.286017563	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 12	Start X: -81.631413727 Start Y: 33.261901988	End X: -81.631773383 End Y: 33.286077693	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 13	Start X: -81.628680341 Start Y: 33.261901988	End X: -81.629039997 End Y: 33.286077693	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 14	Start X: -81.625946954 Start Y: 33.261962135	End X: -81.62630661 End Y: 33.286137823	Azimuth: 359.2875
ID: 15	Start X: -81.623213568 Start Y: 33.261962135	End X: -81.623573224 End Y: 33.286137823	Azimuth: 179.2875
ID: 16	Start X: -81.667019684 Start Y: 33.261541106	End X: -81.66737934 End Y: 33.285716911	Azimuth: 179.2875

# Scenarios

## Road & Stream



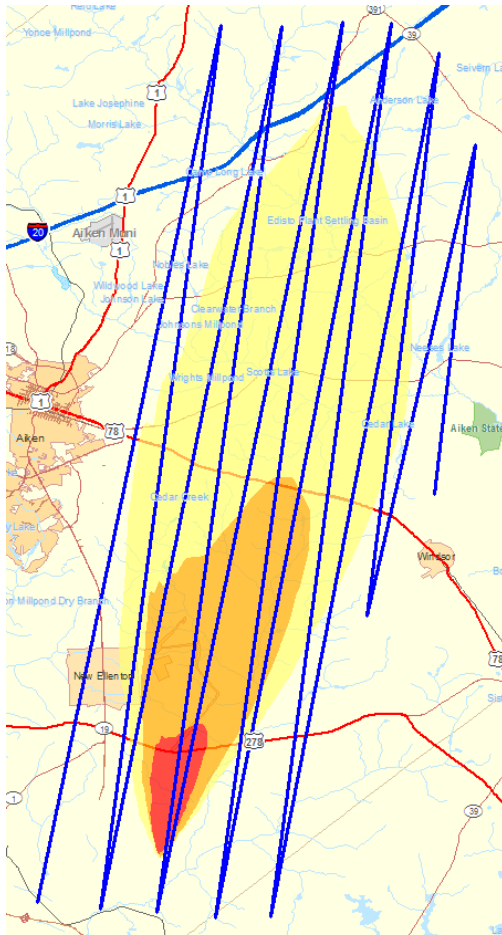
ID: 0	Start X: -81.66737934 Start Y: 33.273028455	End X: -81.668961827 End Y: 33.273329151	Azimuth: 79.0460
ID: 1	Start X: -81.668961827 Start Y: 33.273329151	End X: -81.665437197 End Y: 33.273629845	Azimuth: 99.4623
ID: 2	Start X: -81.665437197 Start Y: 33.273629845	End X: -81.668602171 End Y: 33.272848037	Azimuth: 101.7683
ID: 3	Start X: -81.668602171 Start Y: 33.272848037	End X: -81.665796853 End Y: 33.2738704	Azimuth: 92.1211
ID: 4	Start X: -81.665796853 Start Y: 33.2738704	End X: -81.663710848 End Y: 33.272848037	Azimuth: 91.7899
ID: 5	Start X: -81.663710848 Start Y: 33.272848037	End X: -81.661049392 End Y: 33.273028455	Azimuth: 60.9454
ID: 6	Start X: -81.661049392 Start Y: 33.273028455	End X: -81.658244074 End Y: 33.273449429	Azimuth: 62.5925
ID: 7	Start X: -81.658244074 Start Y: 33.273449429	End X: -81.65565455 End Y: 33.274471785	Azimuth: 61.8215
ID: 8	Start X: -81.65565455 Start Y: 33.274471785	End X: -81.652921164 End Y: 33.275373854	Azimuth: 109.2901
ID: 9	Start X: -81.652921164 Start Y: 33.275373854	End X: -81.651194814 End Y: 33.275013027	Azimuth: 125.8377
ID: 10	Start X: -81.651194814 Start Y: 33.275013027	End X: -81.649900052 End Y: 33.274171093	Azimuth: 85.9145
ID: 11	Start X: -81.649900052 Start Y: 33.274171093	End X: -81.647598253 End Y: 33.274110955	Azimuth: 96.3402
ID: 12	Start X: -81.647598253 Start Y: 33.274110955	End X: -81.645584179 End Y: 33.273449429	Azimuth: 124.9920

# Scenarios



## NARAC Deposition

National Atmospheric Release Advisory Center



ID: 0	Start Lon: 81° 43.17216 Start Lat: 33° 18.17401	End Lon: 81° 37.48430 End Lat: 33° 45.34555	Azimuth: 11.8231
ID: 1	Start Lon: 81° 37.48430 Start Lat: 33° 45.34555	End Lon: 81° 41.21910 End Lat: 33° 17.96843	Azimuth: 187.7684
ID: 2	Start Lon: 81° 41.21910 Start Lat: 33° 17.96843	End Lon: 81° 35.59977 End Lat: 33° 45.31129	Azimuth: 11.6134
ID: 3	Start Lon: 81° 35.59977 Start Lat: 33° 45.31129	End Lon: 81° 39.47163 End Lat: 33° 17.86563	Azimuth: 188.0299
ID: 4	Start Lon: 81° 39.47163 Start Lat: 33° 17.86563	End Lon: 81° 33.71523 End Lat: 33° 45.44834	Azimuth: 11.7882
ID: 5	Start Lon: 81° 33.71523 Start Lat: 33° 45.44834	End Lon: 81° 37.65562 End Lat: 33° 17.69431	Azimuth: 188.0806
ID: 6	Start Lon: 81° 37.65562 Start Lat: 33° 17.69431	End Lon: 81° 32.20761 End Lat: 33° 45.41408	Azimuth: 11.1191
ID: 7	Start Lon: 81° 32.20761 Start Lat: 33° 45.41408	End Lon: 81° 35.94241 End Lat: 33° 17.72858	Azimuth: 187.6829
ID: 8	Start Lon: 81° 35.94241 Start Lat: 33° 17.72858	End Lon: 81° 30.73425 End Lat: 33° 44.48895	Azimuth: 11.0134
ID: 9	Start Lon: 81° 30.73425 Start Lat: 33° 44.48895	End Lon: 81° 32.96142 End Lat: 33° 27.04845	Azimuth: 187.2774
ID: 10	Start Lon: 81° 32.96142 Start Lat: 33° 27.04845	End Lon: 81° 29.60353 End Lat: 33° 41.64501	Azimuth: 12.9553
ID: 11	Start Lon: 81° 29.60353 Start Lat: 33° 41.64501	End Lon: 81° 30.87130 End Lat: 33° 30.81751	Azimuth: 186.6783



# Benefits:

- Preflight briefings have been reduced from 1.5 hours to 15 min.
- Clear communications. Coordinates & headings for the aircraft computer.
- Prevents weather aborted flights by combining flight plan with weather data.
- A second location ( backup plan) can already be selected for monitoring.
- Optimizes and minimizes travel paths.
- Better planning. Better utilization of pilot and aircraft.
- Eliminated training. Tool is intuitively obvious to use.

# Summary:

The RAP Flight Planning Tool is used by DOE RAP Region 3 to respond to emergency radiological situations. The tool automates the flight planning package process while decreasing Aerial Measuring System response times and decreases the potential for human error.

Powered by:



Presented by: *Dave Isiminger*  
Site GIS & Environmental Systems