

NYS GIS Association Metro Albany Area Regional Meeting Agenda.

When? Wednesday May 30, 2007, 8:30 am until noon.

Where? Town of Colonie Public Operations Center,
347 Old Niskayuna Road, Latham ([Map](#))

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8:30 Arrival, coffee

8:45 Welcome to the NYS GIS Association Meeting. Introductions.

9:00 Presentation: **Philip Mogavero**, Regional Account Manager / Northeast, Azteca Systems

Abstract of talk:

The importance of a GIS-centric Asset Maintenance and Management System has become more and more evident as municipal infrastructure ages and new technologies advance. The ability to fully leverage a comprehensive GIS dataset is one of the most unique features of Cityworks, not to mention the ability to be fully integrated to the ESRI Geodatabase.

The town of Colonie, NY is one such example. Having recently implemented Cityworks to handle their sewer infrastructure, we will look at the process they have gone through and how this helped their workflow management. We will also take a look at the inner workings of the system and see more in depth, the functionality of the system.

9:45 Questions, discussion on presentation

10:00 Very short break

10:15 Presentation: **Eric A. Herman**, GISP, GIS Program Manager, NY State Thruway Authority

"GIS Certification Overview". This will be an informal discussion of the certification process, as Eric is planning on presenting a fuller description of the program and it's merits at the NYS GIS Conference in Albany in October.

11:00 Questions, discussion on presentation

11:15 **Josh Pierro**, fountains spatial, organizer of GIS "social" networking group, Schenectady

Short description of this group and the types of gatherings enjoyed by the attendees.

11:30 Discussion: What next for NYS GIS Association Metro Albany Regional Group. Ideas, suggestions?

11:45 Adjourn