

North Shore CAD and RMS Implementation Project

Landscape

North Vancouver City	44,914	11.95 Square Miles
North Vancouver District	85,741	160.47 Square Miles
West Vancouver District	42.418	87.43 Square Miles
Bowen Island	2,957	49.94 Square Miles
Lions Bay	1,497	2.55 Square Miles

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Fire Departments

Municipality	Fire Stations	Personnel
North Vancouver City	1	61
North Vancouver District	5	142
West Vancouver District	4	97

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History

- Prior to 1993 each municipality did its own dispatching
- City and District were using GEAC
- August 1993 North Shore Dispatch Center
 - Management Group (Fire Chiefs)
 - Operations Group

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Benefits

- Cost savings 1/3 per municipality
 DNV, CNV, & DWV
- Closer cooperation between Departments
 Fire Departments, ITS, & GIS
- Independent of E-Comm
- Identify and track incidents/emergencies across borders

Process

- Identify Implementation Team
- Select Process CNV
- Select System Vendor FDM Software
- Identify Information Sources
 - Source of GIS Data (GIS Innovations)
 - Legacy Data (GEAC)

FDM Software

- Provided a Regional Solution
- Provided an Integrated Solution
- Provided a Flexible, User Definable Solution
- 13 years experience in BC and North America
- Provided an GIS Based Solution

Risks

- Multiple Municipal Jurisdictions

 Global vs Regional
- Lack of a single GIS coverage
 - CNV ArcInfo by ESRI
 - DNV ArcInfo by ESRI
 - DWV AutoDesk products
- Antiquated Network Infrastructure
- Agreement on Process

Map of the North Shore

 Map illustrating how the centerline from GIS innovations was used to bring the separate systems together and add Lions Bay and Bowen Island

Fire Zones



Fire Zones - Detail



Tactical Channels



Address Detail



Future Map Layers

- Map Grids (in progress)
- Parcels
- Hydrants
- Parks
- Pre-Fire Plans
- Aerial Photography overlay

Solutions

Purchased GIS Centerline coverage

- Municipal and Private Sector partnership

- Identified an Implementation Team and Manager
- Expanded and rebuilt the Network Infrastructure

Implementation

- Created a needs analysis
- Identified what each Municipality was to do
- Set time lines January to August, 2002
- DNV GIS assumed responsibility for GIS data

Go Live

- During the same time period that the CAD project was being implemented, the CNV Fire Department had undertaken a seismic upgrading project to the Fire Station.
- FDM CAD went live on August 30, 2002 at 2100 hours.

Call Process

- Call input 911
- Validate location on GIS MSAG
- Assign resources based on Location and Incident Type
- Manage the Incident
- Transfer Incident information to RMS

CAD Call Flow Process



The Next Phase

- Mobile Radio
- Status Screens
- AVL
- Interface to RCMP CAD System
- Interface to ECOMM CAD System

100 MB MuniLink











