Database and Mobile Mapping for New Circuit Design and Construction

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- The project
- The system
- Example tasks
- Lessons learned



- Transmission line in northern BC
- 50km (31 miles) long
- Variable terrain & veg
- Difficult access
- Many considerations



Forestry Definition consultant/contractor:

- Clearing boundary layout
- Danger tree identification
- Access layout
- Timber cruising and appraisal
- Data summary and mapping



• Create a system to:

- save time
- \circ reduce effort
- ensure data integrity
- $\circ~$ reduce chance of error
- Enable data-sharing
- Facilitate communication

Architectural Summary



Webmap



ctures Assumed Guywires Propose	ed Circuit Stream Crossing Borrow Pit	Possible Spoil Site Road Crossing	Barrier Bridge Gate Culvert H	elipad RVMA Special Managment Zo	ne Machine Free Zone Wetland
BCH Clearing Standard	RVMA Comments	Pacific Crab Apple Present?	Field Marked?	Reccomended Prescription	Prescription By (Intials + Designatio
None Required	Wet seepage draw	No	No	Winter log or use low ground pressure equipment	
None Required	HH-1	No	No	Machines on designated non-bladed trail to fell and forward wood.	
None Required			No	wet ground, low ground pressure equipment only.	
MM-3 - Machine fall - Machine pile - Burn	not riparian	No	No	Portions of NCD complex is a water recieving site, aignificant portions are upland, NCDs very marginal, Machine	RM RPF
18 features 0 selected					



Webmap



Field Data Collection



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Line Security Trees

- Trees identified via LiDAR analysis
- ~6500 potential danger trees
- Direct database link saves time



- Location of access roads
- Portability of data
- Up-to-date data
- Shared data

- Made available to our subs and client
- Then to other consultants:
 - Environmental
 - Clearing
 - Stream Survey

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