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Capital Wireless Information Net

Building a Bridge in Transportation and Public Safety Communications

CapWIN Mobile News

CapWIN Support of the

Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center

The Maryland State Police (MSP) were recently advised that they have received grant funding to improve key information management capabilities essential for the effective functioning of the statewide Maryland Coordination and Analysis Center, known as MCAC.

MCAC is an operational multi-agency fusion center and as such, requires a secure and reliable means to communicate, share, and analyze information efficiently to enable the informed and timely reports, decisions, alerts, and actions needed for effective response to counter the persistent threat and risk of suspected terrorist activity and crime. The project will leverage multiple service-oriented, statewide public safety information sharing initiatives to increase MCAC capability in two mission-critical requirement areas: *1) Suspicious Activity Reporting (SAR)* – by automating essential information exchanges with Maryland law enforcement agencies (LEAs); and *2) Integrated Analysis*, through a controlled demonstration and evaluation of predictive analytics operating across multiple data sources in real-time to detect otherwise hidden patterns, threats, and suspect entities.

REPORT SUSPICIOUS ACTIVITY

We are pleased to announce that MSP has chosen the University of Maryland's Capital Wireless Information Net (CapWIN) as the administrator of the project. The decision to use CapWIN was based on three criteria:

- CapWIN's infrastructure that supports the data communications needs of MSP and 78 other law enforcement agencies in Maryland;

- The established Memorandum of Understanding between MSP and the University of Maryland that creates a framework for CapWIN to support development and implementation of information technology projects for MSP;

- The University's experience and CapWIN's skills in particular, with administering federal grants in accordance with BJA requirements.

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Are you on LinkedIn? Never heard of it? LinkedIn is a professional social media tool used primarily by businesses for networking. Think of it as Facebook, only without all of the games. We are pleased to announce that CapWIN now has a LinkedIn Company page. We are pleased to announce that CapWIN now has a LinkedIn Company page. If you currently have a LinkedIn account we invite you to search Companies and begin following us.

If you have not yet explored this rapidly growing form of social media we encourage you to take a moment, create a free account and take a look around. The contact network is superb and has been designed to allow for ease of use. It has been designed as a business information sharing location. Once you have created a free profile, simply search companies and begin following CapWIN. As a side note, they also offer mobile applications for most smart phones.

CapWIN Services

When you think of CapWIN is the only thought that comes to mind that of our Mobile Client? We appreciate that, but if it is you may be missing out on a much larger picture. CapWIN's staff and on-going partnerships allows us to provide cutting edge consulting services for all of your information and technology needs. As an example, a few of the technology projects we are currently offering assistance with include;

- Providing support for the MSP Automotive Safety Enforcement Division

- Integration with the Maryland State Electronic Traffic Citation program

- Website redesign

- Development of an electronic Automated Crash Reporting System

- Predictive Policing

- Support of the Maryland Statewide Computer Aided Dispatch/Records Management System

- Cross Boundary Information Exchange

In each of these initiatives we have been able to provide valuable resources that have had a positive effect on the outcome of the projects.
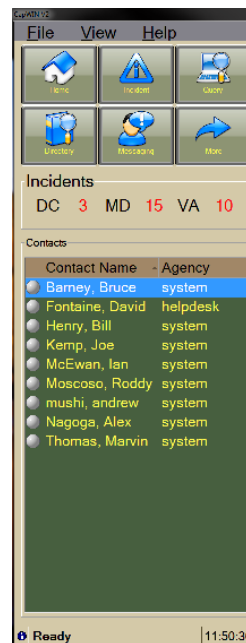
If you have any sort of technology need do not hesitate to touch base with us.

CapWIN Welcomes New Staff Member

CapWIN is pleased to welcome our newest employee, Ameya Bhende. He carries with him a bachelor's degree in economics with a background in mechanical engineering and computer science. Ameya started as a Student Intern in March and, upon his graduation this past August, became the newest addition to our staff as a Junior Programmer. He is very excited at the opportunity to be working with us and we believe he will be a promising addition to our program.

Upcoming Training

CapWIN offers training every month. Scheduled dates are listed and updated on the event calendar contained on the CapWIN website. The CapWIN V2 Mobile Client course is designed for all users of the CapWIN System, both sworn and non-sworn. This is the main course recommended for all CapWIN Users. This hands-on course will present students the general knowledge and skills needed to actively use the CapWIN System and its complete functionality.

Upcoming Training Dates

November 2011
Tuesday, November 8th
Tuesday, November 15th

December 2011
Thursday, December 8th

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