

Getting Started with RoadSoft-GIS

RoadSoft-GIS: A Michigan Solution

RoadSoft-GIS is an integrated roadway management system developed for Michigan's local agencies, and is available to Michigan government agencies at no cost to them. RoadSoft-GIS comes pre-loaded with your agency's Framework base map so local agencies don't have to start from scratch to begin an asset management program. With the release of Version 6.0, the software has an all new look. It's now easier than ever for engineers, managers, and planners to manage their roads and related assets.

Objective

The training session is designed for the new user. We will provide an overview of *RoadSoft-GIS* and basic instruction on each of the modules. Participants receive hands-on experience operating *RoadSoft-GIS* using their own agency data.

Who Should Attend?

Technical staff and consultants who are responsible for managing the assets of transportation facilities including engineers, technicians, and managers of counties, townships, cities and villages should attend the training session.

What To Bring

Attendees should bring their own laptop computer loaded with the newest version of *RoadSoft-GIS*, also bring RoadSoft CD. If you need the newest version, please send an email to <roadsoft@mtu.edu> and request a CD. If you do not have access to a laptop computer, the LTAP office has a limited number of laptop computers available for the training. Please contact the LTAP office to reserve one.

To Register

To register contact the LTAP office at 906-487-2102. The cost of the training is \$50 for employees of local agencies or \$75 for employees of private companies. The registration fee includes lunch

Agenda

Morning Session

- 8:00 Check in and computer setup
- 8:30 Introduction to *RoadSoft®-GIS 6.5*
- 10:00 Road Module
- 10:30 *Break*
- 10:45 Crash Module
- 11:15 Culvert Module
- 11:45 Sign Module
- 12:00 *Lunch*

Afternoon Session

- 1:00 Point Pavement Marking Module
- 1:15 Linear Pavement Marking Module
- 1:45 *Break*
- 2:00 Guardrail Module
- 2:15 Generating Reports and Exporting Data
- 2:30 Overview of the Laptop Data Collector (LDC)
- 3:30 Adjourn



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for Michigan's Local Agencies***

Our Training Philosophy

People learn in many different ways – some by listening, others by watching, and still others by doing. Our training sessions, whether online or live, provide a comfortable blend of instruction, demonstrations, and hands-on exercises to meet the needs of all learning styles. Every session also provides plenty of time for questions and discussions. Our goal is simple: to provide you, our customer, the competence and confidence you need to use our software effectively.

Additional Training Opportunities

Web-Based Sessions

Watch your email for announcements

Live Sessions

Using RoadSoft to Create and Optimize a Pavement Management Strategy

June 12, East Lansing

June 13, Gaylord

June 14, Marquette

Cost: \$50 employees of public agencies

\$75 employees of private companies

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Dates and Locations

May 15, 2007

Crowne Plaza
5700 28th St. S.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49546
616-957-1770

May 16, 2007

Genoa Woods Conference Center
7707 Conference Center Drive
Brighton, MI 48114
810-225-8600

May 17, 2007

Ramada Inn & Suites
3325 Davenport Avenue
Saginaw, MI 48602
989-793-7900

May 22, 2007

Upfront & Company
102 E. Main Street
Marquette, MI 49855
906-228-5200

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Hands-on Training
for the new user

Everything you need to begin
managing your roadway assets:

- Introduction to RoadSoft® -GIS
- Overview of each module
- Generating Reports and Exporting Data

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