



## Alabama Remote Sensing Consortium

February 28, 2017

Auburn Huntsville Research Center

530 Discovery Drive

Huntsville, AL 35806

### MEETING NOTES

#### Attendance:

Alabama A & M – Dr. Wubishet Tadesse

Auburn University – Mr. Mike Ogles, Dr. Hanqin Tian (WebEx), Dr. Susan Pan (WebEx), Mr. Tyler Jones (WebEx), Mr. Rod Summers, Ms. Vicki Kretzschmar

University of Alabama Huntsville – Dr. Robert Griffin, Dr. David Pan (WebEx), Mr. Timothy Klug (WebEx)

The second annual meeting of the Alabama Remote Sensing Consortium was held at the Auburn University Huntsville Research Center in Cummings Research Park, Huntsville. The primary purpose of the meeting was to update stakeholders at the member institutions with activities conducted over the past year and to provide an anticipated timeframe for the MUSES/DESI launch schedules and associated functions. The meeting agenda is below the meeting notes.

The following summarizes the proceedings of the meeting:

1. Mr. Mike Ogles welcomed everyone to the meeting and opened the meeting by reviewing the agenda and the format of the meeting.
2. Dr. Robert Griffin reviewed past activities from 2016, including outreach, letters of support written, and coordination activities between ARSC and TBE.
3. Mr. Ray Perkins provided an overview of the Multi User System for Earth Sensing (MUSES) and DLR Earth Sensing Imaging Spectrometer (DESI-30), the revised calibration and validation plans, and updates to the DESI performance measures. *The MUSES Platform is scheduled to be launched on Space X-11 currently planned for May 2017. The DESI-30 instrument is scheduled to be launched on Space X-13 in Q4 2017.*
4. Dr. Robert Griffin provided a brief review of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between ARSC and TBE, Organization and Governance, and contact information for member institutions, along with plans for upcoming events in 2017.



5. Mr. Mike Ogles concluded the meeting at around 1hr with lunch and wrap up session at Auburn’s Huntsville Research Center.

### Agenda

11:30-12:00	Arrive/Coffee	All	
12:00 PM	Welcome / Introductions	M. Ogles	
12:05 PM	ARSC Activities Past Year	R. Griffin	
12:15 PM	TBE Status Updates (Launch, Data Delivery, Cal/Val)	R. Perkins	
12:45 PM	ARSC New Business	R. Griffin	
12:55 PM	Wrap Up/Adjourn	M. Ogles	
1:00-2:00	Follow-on Discussions	All	