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STAFF PRIMARY WORK AREA(S)

Travis Acklin Senior GIS Analyst

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Harry Redman GIS Coordinator

Sue Stoll Small Business Development Center Regional Director

Kristy Welker Clerical/Research/Web Site

ORGANIZATIONS AND DESIGNATIONS

- District III is a voluntary association of county, municipal, and tribal governments.
- **District III** is governed by a committee consisting of elected officials, association representatives, and private citizens.
- District III comprises the general membership for the Areawide Business Council.
- **District III** is a Procurement Technical Assistance Center.
- **District III** has been designated a U.S. Economic Development Administration "Economic Development District."
- District III is a South Dakota "Affiliate State Census Data Center."
- District III hosts the local Small Business Development Center.
- District III received the ESRI 2008 Special Achievement in GIS Award.

ROUTINE PROJECTS & PROGRAMS

- Economic Development (including tourism)
- Community Development (including infrastructure)
- Recreation
- Housing
- Solid Waste
- Social Services
- Health Care
- Transportation
- Government Management
- ▶ Full Geographic Information System (GIS) services
- Comprehensive Planning and Land Use Regulations

SERVICES

District III has a full service website.

District III offers several special services to its membership and the region, such as:

- Marketing Materials
- Rural Addressing
- Municipal Ordinance Compilation
- Zoning Ordinance Assistance
- Housing Needs Assessments and Plans
- Environmental Assessments
- Survey Preparation and Analysis
- Revolving Loan Fund Organization
- Map Creation
- Internet Mapping System (IMS)

- Site Plans and Project Renderings
- Management Assistance (i.e. Personnel Manuals)
- Grant Application Writing
- Grant and Loan Project Administration
- Water and Sewer Rate Analysis
- Capital Improvement Plans
- Strategic Plans (Parks, Transportation, Economic Development, Neighborhood)

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- Areawide Business Council, Inc. (ABC)
- Business Information Center (BIC)
- Small Business Development Center (SBDC)
- Prairieland Housing Development, Inc. (PHD)
- Procurement Technical Assistance Center (PTAC)