

For those who were not able to attend our discussion yesterday, we missed you!

Extranet Visionaries meeting

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Attending: Tim Myers, Denise Rowan, Linda Feltes, Elly Pretzel

1. The site will be housed on the MMB Extranet: <http://extranet.doer.state.mn.us/>. (MMB is the new name for the combined agencies of DOER, Finance and MAD.)

It will sit under the Human Resources/Labor Relations umbrella.

2. We are pursuing approval for use of the Work Well name and logo for the overarching worksite wellness program. (MMB is discussing the use of many separate program logos.) Then state agencies that wish can use the name Work Well tagged with their agency name, such as Work Well Minnesota Department of Health, or keep or create their own wellness program name, such as MnDot Health and Wellness and P.O.W.E.R.

3. We discussed some technical aspects of the site. We would eventually like more interesting functions than the extranet site is currently capable. For now we will try to build in our ideas and expand the capabilities of the site over time. (KISS)

4. We will create a survey that will feed into a spreadsheet that will help us all see what is available by state agency. A caution we must keep in mind is that it will serve no agency to pit one against the other in terms of available facilities and other resources. Rather, we might share how these facilities were able to evolve, and also maximize our ability to make them available and used to the fullest. Denise will draft this survey based on content discussed at the meeting. All responses (and other Web content) will pass through Linda on it's way to Denise, who will maintain the site. We will work on ways for each agency champ to be able to access their own pages for updating.

5. Linda will send Denise an outline of what we might start out including on the site, so Denise can start playing with possibilities in the next few months, as her time allows.