

DATE: 6/9/2006
TO: DALNET Board
FROM: MUG Board
RE: MUG Web site

Dear DALENT Board,

I am writing to you on behalf of MUG (Michigan Users' Group). MUG is the official interest group of users of SirsiDynix, Inc. products in Michigan. At the suggestion of the DALNET Director, Steven Bowers, the MUG Board would like to ask the DALNET consortium to consider the opportunity to host the MUG web site on a DALNET server. Currently MUG does not have a web site and such a site may be a convenient and useful tool to serve the MUG membership, including DALNET.

The MUG Board would like to make the following stipulations regarding this request:

- Web hosting services provided to MUG would be free and/or voluntary.
- The web site would contain links to third party web sites, as well as a link to DALNET, as web site host.
- Agreeing to host the MUG web site at present in no way requires DALNET/Wayne State University to host the web site in the future, nor for any defined minimal period of time.
- Agreeing to host the MUG web site in no way makes DALNET/WSU responsible for loss or corruption of any data that may be hosted in MUG web site files.
- Agreeing to host the MUG web site in no way requires DALNET/WSU to work on the web site other than posting files to the DALENT/WSU server.
- Currently, Steven Bowers has volunteered to handle creation/maintenance of the MUG web site and associated files. He has agreed to do this on his own time, not as an employee of DALNET/WSU. Agreeing to host the MUG web site in no way makes DALNET/WSU responsible for maintaining the web site should Steven Bowers decide to discontinue as volunteer to maintain the site.
- If DALNET agrees to host the MUG web site and wishes to discontinue hosting the site at a future date, it is asked that DALNET notify the MUG Board of its intent to discontinue hosting services, and provide the following for the MUG Board, if at all possible: three months notice prior to discontinuation of hosting and digital copies of all MUG web site files and documents hosted by DALNET/WSU.
- MUG would have no access to the DALNET/WSU web server other than the publicly viewable web site.
- MUG would retain copyright of the web site and its associated files.

A favor of a response to this proposal is requested by July 1, 2006. The MUG community would greatly appreciate a freely hosted web site for the use of its members. This would be a great opportunity for DALNET to serve this group throughout Michigan.

Sincerely,



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MUG President