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SIDWELL ANNOUNCES TOP MANAGEMENT APPOINTMENTS

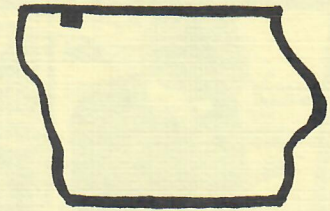
William H. (Bill) Barg elected President of The Sidwell Company

Bill Barg was recently named to the Presidency of The Sidwell Company. As President and Chief Operating Officer, Mr. Barg has overall control of all corporate operations, as they relate to mapping, aerial administration and mapping maintenance projects, as well as program development and management of new services



R. Louis Rex, Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer

With Mr. Barg taking over the Presidency, Mr. Rex will be more involved in the long range strategic corporate planning area. Mr. Rex will continue to direct the financial affairs of the Company.

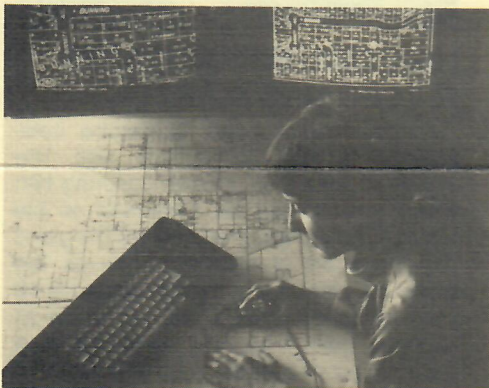


DICKINSON COUNTY, IOWA PUTS SIDWELL OVER 4.9 MILLION PARCEL LEVEL

With the recent signing of Dickinson County, Iowa, The Sidwell Company has now mapped over 4.9 million parcels of land in the U.S.

Dickinson is a special County for Sidwell because precision aerial photos at three different scales will be used in the mapping process. 1" = 400' for rural parcels, 1" = 100' for urban parcels, and 1" = 50' for selected lakefront parcels. The 1" = 50' scale is being used because many of the lakefront lots are very narrow and will require this scale to show them accurately.

County Auditor Nancy Reiman, County Assessor Barbara Alig, and members of their staffs, toured the Sidwell facilities and were pleased with the 1" = 50' scale solution for the special problems of the lake areas. They were shown that a quality product and services will be obtained.

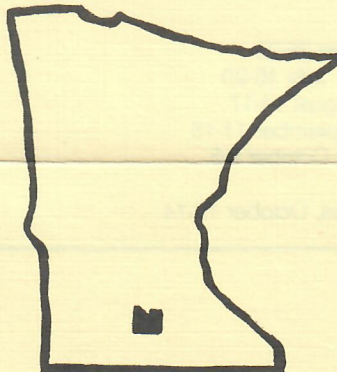


FIRST SIGNET™ CONTRACT UNDERWAY FOR MINNESOTA COUNTY

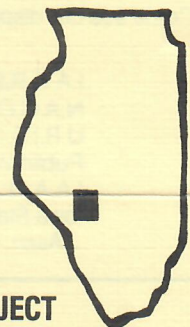
The Sidwell Company has been contracted by Blue Earth County, Minnesota, to prepare a geographic information data base as the first step toward installation of a SIGNET™ system in the County. Sidwell's state-approved permanent parcel numbering system will be included in the data base as well as all major physical features on the ground, recorded land data, and assessment information. The data base will utilize Sidwell's in-house SIGNET™ system. Initial

output from the information base will be a set of reproducible, fixed scale assessment maps, registered to an aerial orthophoto base, covering the County's 764 square miles.

Creation of the geographic information data base will lay the foundation for expansion into a complete SIGNET™ geographic information management system. For further information concerning Sidwell's SIGNET™ systems, write or call Ron Lampe.



MACOUPIN COUNTY, ILLINOIS 79TH TAX SIDWELL'S REPRESENTS MAPPING PROJECT



Macoupin County, Illinois, has recently signed a tax mapping contract with The Sidwell Company. The project is to begin this Spring with Sidwell securing new precision aerial photography of the entire County. Sidwell will then map the approximately 40,000 parcels contained in Macoupin County. The rural parcels will be mapped at a scale of 1" = 400', 20" x 30" in size covering two sections of land. The urban parcels will be mapped at 1" = 100', 20" x 30" in size covering 1/8 section of land. The project is expected to be completed in two years. The Sidwell Company looks forward to working with Macoupin County and having them as one of our very valued clients.



NEW SIDWELL DISPLAY UNVEILED

Although the picture above doesn't show our new "eye catching" display in living color, it will give you an idea of the kind of outstanding creative job done by Ms. Kim Penton of our staff in its development.

The new display points out all facets of Sidwell services, and is quite informative.

Come see our display at the following meetings during the remainder of 1983:

I.A.C.R.E.O.T.,	Detroit, June 26-29
N.A.C.O.,	Milwaukee, July 16-20
U.R.I.S.A.,	Atlanta, August 14-17
Public Works,	Detroit, September 11-15
I.A.A.O.,	Vancouver, October 2-5
Iowa State Assn. Counties,	Des Moines, October 12-14



GOLD WATCH AWARD FOR MARVIN KNOPP

Although Marv is nowhere near retirement, on May 13th he was awarded a beautiful gold watch in honor of his 20th anniversary with Sidwell. Marv's 20 years of experience have involved him in everything from quality control to drafting, to supervision for various types of maps.



LOUIS COULOMBE CELEBRATES 40 YEARS WITH SIDWELL

On May 26th, Louis Coulombe celebrated his 40th anniversary with The Sidwell Company at a lunch honoring him which was hosted by Chairman of the Board R. Louis Rex, President Bill Barg and Vice President of Mapping Services Ted Nunley. A plaque engraved to show his 40 year meritorious record, as well as an all expense paid three day weekend at a resort of his choosing, were only some of the gifts received. Louie was particularly appreciative of the flowers sent by several long-time clients.



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