

NEW INITIATIVES

BLMWO Windows NT Domain:

All users at the Washington Office (MIB E. Street and 1620 L Street), will be migrated from the Novell Server to a Windows NT Domain. WO-500 (Denver), will also join the newly established BLMWO Windows NT Domain. Existing Novell Server profiles and "Home Folders" will be migrated to new "Home Folders" on BLMWO Domain. WO-500 (Denver) users, will have "Home User" accounts created and configured on the BLMWO Domain. The Home Folders are necessary for "Roaming Profiles" to work properly.

Scheduled Completion Date: September 18, 2000

Roaming Profiles:

All users will have a personal "Roaming Profile", a roaming profile is a directory of scripts that define fonts, email, colors, macros and other individual settings based on user preference. This profile will allow users to login at any computer (client) within the domain, including Denver and receive the same preferences as they are defined at the users personal computer (client).

Scheduled Completion Date: W0-500 - September 18, 2000
BLMWO Domain - October 16, 2000

Telephone Extensions:

Employees at 1620 L Street will have their telephone extension reset to match the phone number that they currently have. There is **no charge** to the office, for dialing a internal extension. When the full seven digit number is dialed internally, the charge is **\$.07 per call**. You will be required to reset Voice Mail personal options, and re-record any greetings associated with your current extension.

Scheduled Completion Date: September 11, 2000

DHCP: Currently "Static" IP address are used at the Washington Office. A static IP address is assigned to a computer (client), and cannot be used anywhere but on the assigned client. DHCP allows the client computer to broadcast a request for an IP address lease, the DHCP receiver then receives the request, and offers a IP address for lease. After a period of inactivity for the leased IP address, the DHCP server regains control and may lease the IP address to a different client.

Scheduled Completion Date: September 18, 2000

Microsoft Windows 2000:

Several workstations in the WO-580 test lab will be configured with Windows 2000 as the OS. Three individual users identified as "Super Users", will be testing the Windows 2000 OS on the WOBLM Domain.

BLM Screen Saver:

This Screen Saver highlights different programs in BLM and will be installed by default. It is not mandatory.

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