**ICUC & Tesera Conference Call – August 28, 2015**

**Participants**

Tamara Biggs (Tesera), Mandy Ferrari (Tesera), Jim Latimer (EPA), Shannon Patterson (Tesera), and Christine Tilburg (ESIP).

**1. Design Questions**

Tamara Biggs opened the call by asking if there were any design questions. Christine Tilburg wondered if users in general answer questions in apps. Tamara thinks that if the questions have one click answers and the users will likely go through the brief questions. Christine also wondered about color blind users. Tamara stated that there are a couple of different types of color blind manifestations. Shannon Patterson agreed and stated that the contrast between background and questions is the most important thing.

**2. Follow up from Steering Committee**

Mandy Ferrari walked the call participants through the app as it is currently. She explained (and showed) how a user can access the ‘background’ page. She also showed how the app connects to the ESIP webpages through the “boxes” on the bottom of the view. ***(Action to be taken: Christine needs to put together the webpage for the “how this helps ESIP” box.)*** Christine also wondered if ESIP should be building a corresponding webpage. The group discussed how this might be the next phase of the project. ***(Action to be taken: If more funds are found I would prefer that Tesera builds the webpage).***

**3. Timing**

The group discussed how the prototype testing will be done (and some complications with respect to running the prototype on iPhones). ***(Action to be taken: Christine needs to plot out schedule for the release of the app).***

Christine stated to Jim Latimer that ESIP needs to plot out how the picture posts are going to be placed around the region (an aside – do we need to get permission for these? Probably would be easier using picture posts already available: <http://picturepost.unh.edu/> ~ these are all in the US so would need help on the CA side). ***(Action to be taken: Christine needs to look into where existing picture posts can be used and draw up a time table for using the sites (or adding new sites)).***