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**Subject:** RE: STO slides  
**Date:** Thursday, October 15, 2009 9:53:28 AM  
**Attachments:** [DARPA STO slides 081209jm ds wlr ajh.ppt](#)  
**Importance:** High

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Please review updated slideset to include key 18 mo/36 mo metrics and budget slides. I tried to be as succinct as possible in the slides. Bob – we discussed keeping it to 15 slides, but I do not know if that is possible due to the sheer size and diversity of this project – right now it sits at 20 slides, so by my math that is [REDACTED]

There is a chance Dr. Giroir will not have the opportunity to review this before submission tomorrow due to his travels.

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**From:** Avant, Bob  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 15, 2009 7:44 AM  
**To:** Mullet, John E.  
**Cc:** McCutchen, Bill; Helms, Adam  
**Subject:** Re: STO slides

Also need to include budget and timeline slides. The PPT may be the most important thing we submit because it will be used to sell our proposal internally. I'm traveling today but can look at changes on my iPhone throughout the day

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 15, 2009, at 6:53 AM, "John Mullet" <[jmullet@tamu.edu](mailto:jmullet@tamu.edu)> wrote:

Bob,

The STO slides need to be reviewed by Brett to get his input.

John

On Oct 14, 2009, at 5:41 PM, Avant, Bob wrote:

> Adam,  
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> I just checked the Gantt chart on Project. It is well done. But the  
> Goals do not agree with the current narrative version. You need to  
> make  
> sure that the Gantt chart and PPT agree with the narrative before you  
> send it out.  
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> Everyone: you need to scan all documents for fatal flaws and provide  
> comments to Adam before COB tomorrow.  
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> Bob Avant  
> Program Director

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> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Avant, Bob  
> Sent: Wednesday, October 14, 2009 4:10 PM  
> To: Mullet, John E.  
> Cc: Helms, Adam; McCutchen, Bill; Avant, Bob  
> Subject: Re: STO slides  
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> Adam  
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> Check PPT carefully against narrative re goals. They are different.  
> Also at end there are several Goal 3 slides. Also make sure  
> milestones and metrics agree.  
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> Sent from my iPhone  
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> On Oct 14, 2009, at 3:51 PM, "John Mullet" <[jmullet@tamu.edu](mailto:jmullet@tamu.edu)> wrote:  
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>> Adam,  
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>> Attached is a revised STO slide set. We will need Dr. Giroir's input  
>> before finalizing. Right now there are two versions of the Vision  
>> slide (slides 2, 3), and three versions of GOAL 3 Deliverables/  
>> Metrics. Not sure exactly how much detail is needed or who will be  
>> using the slides.  
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>> Thanks,  
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>> John  
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>> <DARPA\_STO slides\_081409.ppt>  
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