

Agenda 11/20/09

Tuesday, November 17, 2009
10:15 AM

Attending: Dan Green, Dan Evans, Billy Beaudoin, Joshua Gira, Joey Jenkins, Tom Farwig
Guests: Darrell Cooley (Physics), Jason Stough (OIT)

1. Approve minutes from last meeting (review doc attached)

Approved as it stands.

2. Home directory attributes and who gets to set them? [Billy Beaudoin - 10 mins]

(Tech Groups seg -- 2008 R2 DC updates coming, AD/Mac questions continue)

Home Directory comm decided to move M drive, Term Services, CIFS in Novell into WolfTech AD CIFS space. Want to know if they can now set the home dir setting for all user accounts. Rumor of 1GB default quota?

Exceptions? Override for depts? Expanding storage? Identity Management of where one's data is. How would apps react? How about laptops?

What happens when you set? Wants to be set to a drive letter?

Benefits to setting?

Group Policy vs User Attribute -- 50% of comm doesn't like User Attribute option. Other 50% quiet. 3rd option -- oit_homedir user attribute to store OITspace location. (or alt_homespace)

How would redirected folders react? We'd need to build massive DFS paths... 80,000+ dfs links...

[We want the AD Tech Comm to set the homedir setting on a couple account and test to see how laptops, redirected folders, applications who use homedir, etc, react.]

3. Remote Assistance Policy -- update to auto disable SD for RA application [Dan Green - 5 mins]

Not affecting everyone as we all have separate RA policies -- not centralized. More of an advisory for existing groups BUT would make it the default for future groups.

Worries re: security implications / holes? Let's run by NCSU Sec comm.

4. INTERACTIVE account and domain security [Dan Green - 25 mins]

PUNTED to next meeting.

5. Discussion of Windows 7 workstation baselines. (Josh)

Suggestion -- we need to do a diff on the XP and Vista MS Baselines with the current policies in place. Then look at how many of these would be applied to the Win7 baseline. Announce the MS baseline for Win7 to end-users -- along with the proposed "NCSU" settings that will overlay. Wait to see if anyone has objections and/or additional proposed settings. Discuss, publish, then implement.

Derek is currently working these diffs.

New Business:

6. #5 above (Josh)

7. Best Practices for Storage (Josh)

- a. *PUNTED to next meeting.*
- 8. **Time frames for working groups (Josh)**
 - a. **Billy: hard to pick date for SLA; Dan: I'd like SW to have first report back by end of March. Same for ADToolKit. SLA -- draft by May?**
- 9. **Web Presence -- talk to Stan re: Documentation assistance**