

R&D TOPICS**E-Town Development Topics**

- **Model 597 Performance Improvement**
OBJECTIVE: Performance Improvement of 597
Action: **Diaz to advise of redesign efforts.**
Diaz indicated a plan to modify one of the M597 mag box mold cavities at AFT to test a design which narrows the stack in the mag box.
ACTION: **Diaz to advise Trull of results as soon as results are available. Will plan for implementation at January PTM.**
- **Model 7600 223 Rem**
OBJECTIVE: New Product
Action: **Diaz to update on DAT status. Guns were received from Ilion. Advise of anticipated completion date.**
Final modifications are being made to DAT guns now. Anticipate completion of test in January.
Action: **Update at next PTM.**
- **Remington Mohawk 22 Program**
OBJECTIVE: New Product
Action: **Diaz to advise of status on low cost design status.**
Action: **Findlay to search for drawing packages from old M511, M512, M513, & M514 and send to Diaz for review by Jan. 15th.**
- **Sourced Muzzleloader Design**
OBJECTIVE: New Product
Action: **Diaz to discuss options for pursuing a sourced break-action muzzleloader design. This is a critical juncture for Remington's presence in the black powder market. In-line muzzleloaders are no longer in favor with the consumer. They are perceived as difficult to maintain and use. Either we bring to market a low-cost item, or we will likely exit the category.**
Project was not discussed in detail at this meeting. Trull will follow up with Diaz off line prior to next PTM.

MAYFIELD BASED RIFLE PRODUCTS**2004 New Rifle Product – Mayfield**

- **Model 504**
OBJECTIVE: New Product
Action: **Golemboski to advise of production status.**
Product has been formally released from T&P. Transmittal is taking place now. First 65 guns to Gander Mtn. and Writer's sample guns have shipped from Mayfield. Production build is ramping up now.
- **Model 710 Magnum**
OBJECTIVE: New Product
Action: **Review status of DAT/T&P and build plan.**
Working to get T&P guns of .300 Win Mag to E-Town now. Will review status weekly.