Date: September 23, 2021

Time: 10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Location: Teleconference meeting via Microsoft Teams

**Constituency Group Announcements**

**Andy Rowan, State GIO**

* Imagery published on the state data sharing sites.
* Announcement of meeting for County and Municipal Constituency groups on October 28, 2021 on Teams. Focus of meeting is NJOGIS and NJDEP data development projects and tools and utilities. Tom Rafferty at the State Police OEM will discuss an ArcGIS online Hub initiative.
* NJOGIS is set to return to office on October 18, 2021 with NJ Geospatial Forum meetings will continue remotely for the foreseeable future.
* Hard drive elevation data delivery will continue to be suspended. Data is available for download.
* NJOGIS continues to support DOH covid and vaccination dashboards.
* Census Bureau has released redistricting census data.
  + NJ did not lose or gain any seats in Congress.
  + State Statute was passed; inmates are to be counted in location of their last known residential address instead of in the location of incarceration.
* Permanent change to the timing of the annual MOD-IV finalized tax list publication from spring to summer.
* Daniel’s Law. December 10th is compliance deadline for MOD-IV. Temporarily, all owners’ names will be removed from MOD-IV where published publicly by the state. OwnerName field will still be present in the schema, but value will be empty. Next summer, when the state can identify all induvial who are covered by the law, those names should be added back in, with eligible names redacted.

**Brian Embley, OGIS**

* Update on Elevation data downloads
  + Quality Level 2 collections and Legacy collections are available for download.
  + South NJ and Northwest NJ 2018 projects have an interactive web app for downloading tiles.
  + For the other QL2 collections, there is a feature service of the collection grid, which is accessible in a webmap, allowing easier identification of tiles to download via a link in the identification pop-up.
* MACURISA webinar on September 29, 2021, titled Racial Equity, Social Justice, and GIS.

**Trish Long, Federal Constituency Group**

* USDA return to office plan. Set to return In December.
* Awaiting federal budget decisions to avoid government shut down.

**David Tulloch, Education Constituency Group**

* No announcements.

**Municipal Constituency Group**

* Vacant seat. Executive Committee is looking to fill this seat.

**Joseph Smalley, County Constituency Group**

* Job announcement for Atlantic County.

**Ann-Marie Falkowski, State Constituency Group**

* Since licensing Nearmap, DEP programs have valued its current, large-scale imagery, with several programs looking to use the imagery as a primary resource in decision making.  But Nearmap normally acquired imagery for only approximately 70% of the state, and mainly in urban areas.  This was a problem for DEP since a large part of its mission is focused on protecting critical natural habitats found in many of the rural areas not covered by the Nearmap flights. Through the support of the Compliance and Enforcement program, Nearmap was contracted to include all areas of the state in their spring 2021 imagery collection.  Statewide imagery for NJ is now available to anyone licensed to use Nearmap.  Complete statewide overflights will also be done in the spring of 2022 and 2023.

**Calen Daugherty, Private Sector Constituency Group**

* No announcements.

**Dom Elefante, Regional Authority Constituency Group**

* Meadowlands (NJSEA) was awarded EPA grant for lidar and hyperspectral imagery collection.

**Mike Shanahan, Non-Profit Constituency Group**

* Seeking increased participation and nominations for executive committee.

**Gary Veenstra, Surveyor Constituency Group**

* No announcements.

**Task Force Announcements**

**Edith Konopka, Geodetic Task Force**

* Task Force put on hold.

**Doug Schleifer, Elevation Task** **Force**

* Plans are underway for development of elevation data products. This will be the basis for discussion at the next Elevation Task Force meeting.

**Trails Task Force**

* No announcements.

**Dom Elefante, Public Works/Water Utilities**

* A mission statement is beginning to be discussed.

**Other Discussion/Announcements**

**Ann-Marie Falkowski, Executive Committee Elections**

* Announcing executive committee elections. Nominations open for 2-year term for the following seats:
  + Federal
  + Land Surveyor
  + NGO
  + Regional Authority
* Key Dates
  + Nominations opens – 9/23/2021
  + Nominations closes – 10/15/2021
  + Voting opens – 11/8/2021
  + Voting closes – 11/22/2021
  + Results announced – 12/2/2021

**Presentation**

**New Jersey, Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) and GIS: How NJDEP uses GIS products to gather and disseminate information about HABs**

Leigh Lager, GIS Specialist 1, NJDEP Bureau of Freshwater and Biological Monitoring

Ed Apalinski, GIS Specialist 1, NJDEP Bureau of GIS

**Future Meeting Dates**

General Meeting Dates:

* December 2, 2021 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
* March 3, 2022 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Executive Meeting Dates:

* December 2, 2021 1:00pm-3:00pm
* January 6, 2022 10:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
* March 3, 2022 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.