



Winnebago County Geographic Information System

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE MINUTES  
January 20, 2022  
9:00 A.M.

**PRESENT:** Chris Dornbush (Winnebago County); Jonathan Oelschlager; Justin Kink (Four Rivers Sanitation Authority); Steve Thompson (Loves Park); Rockford Park District (Tim Bragg)

**ABSENT:** Village of Cherry Valley, Village of Machesney Park, North Park Public Water District

**OTHERS PRESENT:** Scott Sanders (Village of Roscoe), Sarah Stromberg, Justin Emerson

### **CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 9:09 AM

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

Motion to approve the November 18, 2021 minutes made by **City of Rockford**: Seconded by **City of Loves Park**. **Motion passes by a 5:0:3 vote.**

### **ACTION ITEMS**

### **PRESENTATIONS & PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

### **OLD BUSINESS**

#### **a) Contours**

Sarah reported that she has been continuing to work on the performance time(s) for the new contours. She has involved Esri support and they are helping troubleshoot the possible issue. As she (Sarah) has stated previously, a last option would be to tile the layer as we do for Aerials and Streets.

#### **b) Aerial Photography**

Mr. Gregg reports that he has been in contact with Kucera and they volunteered to adjust the contrast of the new aerials for us and send us the new files.

#### **c) New Public Site Preview**

Mr. Gregg reported that the new site is now available for preview/review on WinGIS' old public facing server. The internal address is <http://ags.wingis.org> while the address for anyone not on the network is <http://map.wingis.org>. The main header image on each page rotates between various images representing WinGIS agencies. Mr. Gregg informed the committee to send any images they would like included in the rotation.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### **a) Staff Update**

Mr. Gregg reported that Pragna Patel is no longer an employee of the Region 1 Planning Council. She went home for a two weeks during the holiday season and decided not to return. Mr. Gregg goes on to say that the search for a replacement will begin shortly.

#### **b) NHTSA GIS Initiative**

Sarah Stromberg reports that the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) created an initiative to assess the status of GIS data within 911 communities, with a goal of defining what is required to achieve interoperable GIS sharing nationwide. NHTSA selected Mission Critical Partners to facilitate meetings and draft a final report. NHTSA and Mission Critical selected NG911 data stewards around the country to help draft a final report.

## OTHER MATTERS

## NEXT MEETING

The next Technical Meeting will be held February 17, 2022 at 9:00 am.

## ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn made by **Winnebago County**. Seconded by **City of Loves Park**. Motion passes by a 5:0:3 vote.  
Meeting Closed.

Respectfully submitted,  
WinGIS

### **WinGIS Participating Agencies**

Winnebago County – City of Rockford – Rockford Park District – Four Rivers Sanitation Authority -  
City of Loves Park – Village of Machesney Park – North Park Public Water District – Village of Cherry Valley –  
Village of Roscoe – City of South Beloit – Village of Rockton – Village of Pecatonica

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