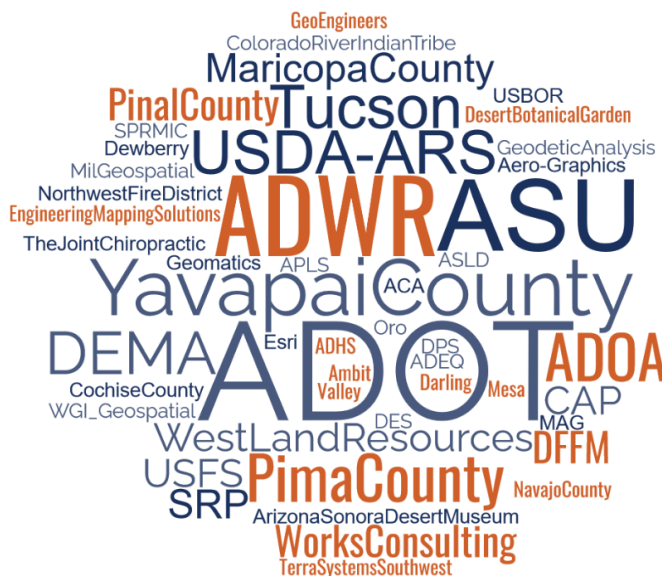


# 2023 AGIC Leadership Workshop Survey Results

## Participant Information

Participants: 83

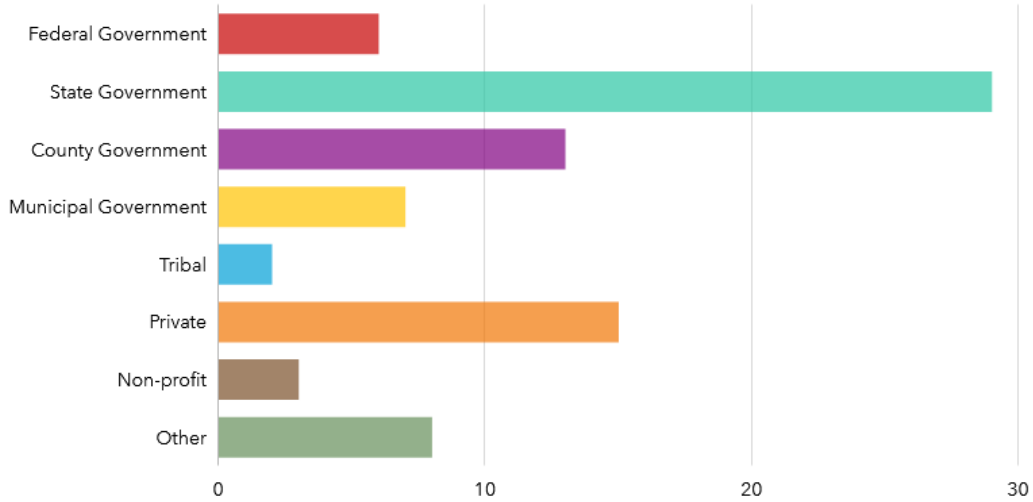
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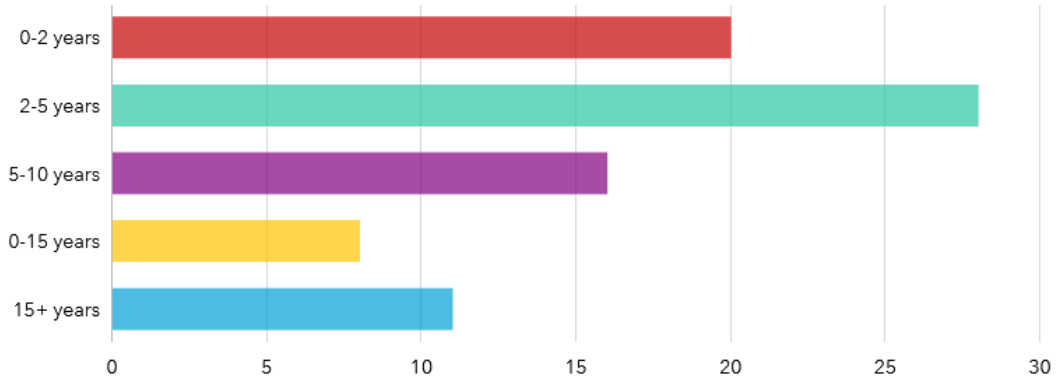
Positions:



**Sectors:**

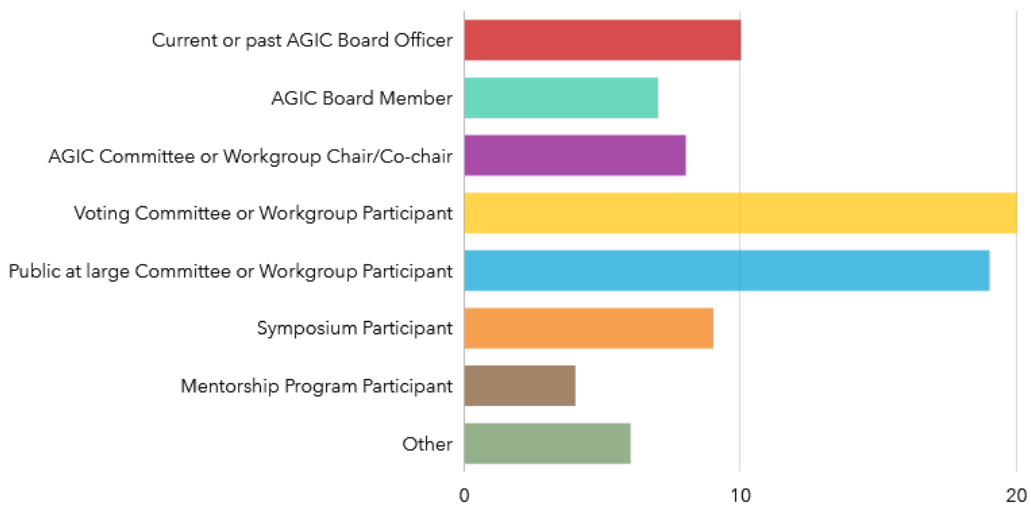


**Time in AGIC:**

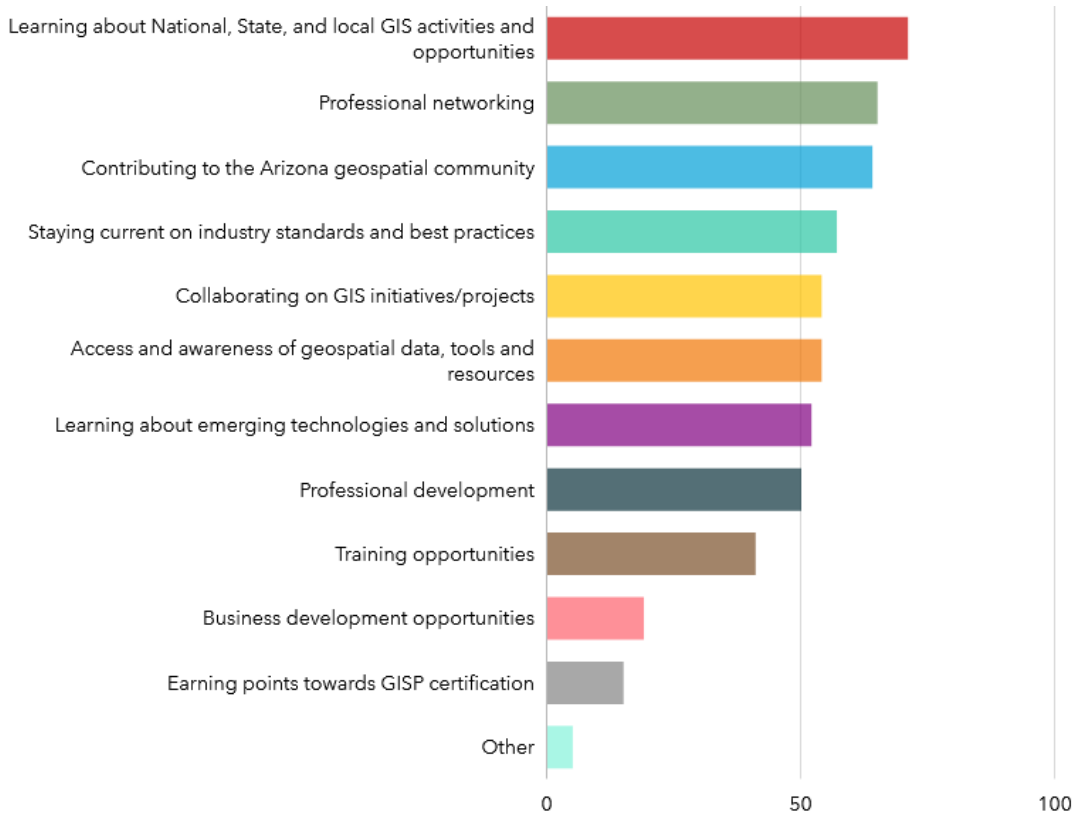


*Spikes in 0-2 and 2-5 years indicate AGIC's recent efforts have been effective. Increased participation supports our focus on collaborations, advancing GIS support throughout the state, and bringing in people to help keep AGIC sustainable over time.*

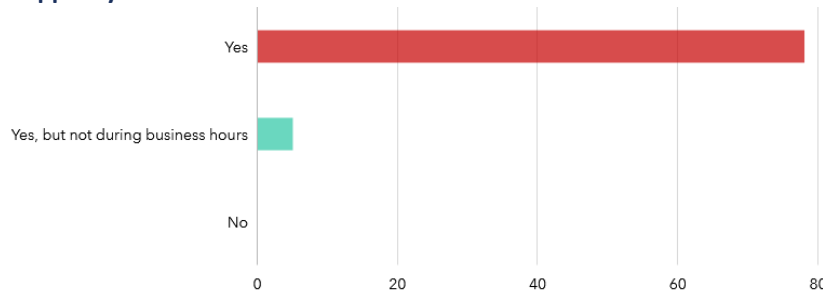
**Level of Involvement:**



### Why are you involved in AGIC and what do you get out of participating?



### Does your organization support your involvement in AGIC?



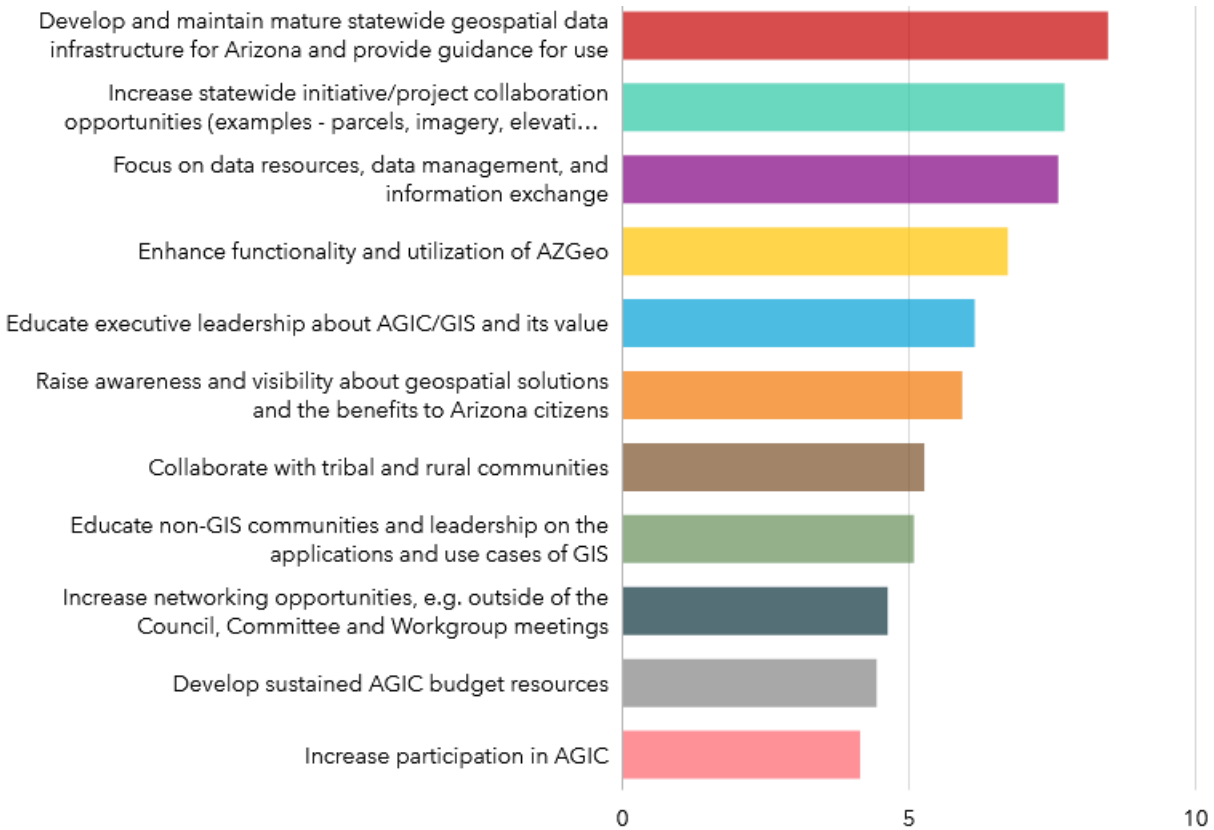
### Does your organization have business requirements or goals that AGIC activities could support? If yes, what are they?

- Providing access to **authoritative statewide datasets**
- Need a statewide **fire district boundaries dataset** - it would be great to know who else needs this data & come up with a plan to develop & maintain, and of course share on AZ Geo
- **Public health topics**
- Collaboration on **State Hazard Map**
- Yes. The Arizona **911 Program** partners with AGIC's Public Safety Committee to ensure **education and outreach** are happening. In addition to these items, we are **leveraging** the **AZGeo** infrastructure to support **geospatial data validation and aggregation for Next Generation 9-1-1 NG9-1-1**.
- Yes, I am with **the management of agency wide geospatial data and in initiatives** that AGIC supports helps my work greatly. For example, the buy up of **statewide imagery** is very helpful to keep my data of quality.

- Many of ADOT's needs have been and are being addressed by AGIC now. Primarily, AGIC continues to assist us with **growing collaboration efforts** with numerous external agencies and their support of AZGeo, a platform that allows us to accomplish our goals.
- **Enterprise Data Management**
- Access to frequently-updated **parcel data for the state**
- Access to **higher resolution imagery**
- We would like the best quality **LiDAR data** possible for Arizona state
- **Catalyze social change** by being connected to social needs. **Support communities** through mutually beneficial partnerships. **Engage with people** and issues **locally, nationally and internationally**.
- **Promote GIS education and student development**. Conduct and sponsor **GIS research** and development.
- Statewide **imagery** and potential for **collaboration platform for AZ urban land use**.
- **GIS data** as a resource for analysis and decision making
- **Collaboration** between state, county, and local jurisdictions to support **emergency response; building relationships** for **better communication** and **data sharing** amongst different levels of government
- Continue efforts towards better **collaboration** and unity in AZGEO and our new **Public Safety Group**. We need to emphasize the unity of all.
- **AZGEO and PORTAL!**
- As a consultant, the **data** that AGIC organizes are of great use to the public center for technical analysis and permitting.
- **Tribal Participation and rural community initiatives**, at AGIC to further inclusion, diversity and equal opportunity within our GIS community.
- Yes. **Sharing** Pima County's **GIS data**. Natural Resource group at the County interested in **Natural Resource** projects/initiatives occurring throughout the State.
- General use of **AGIC standards, best practices, guidelines and NG911**
- **AZGeo**
- Yes. **Data sharing and related collaborations**.
- Procuring **imagery**. **GIS data** development.
- Improving **watershed management** (improving the science used for management) across the state.
- **Collaboration** and **sharing/dissemination** of products.
- We publish some **data** to **AZGeo**

## AGIC Strategic Direction

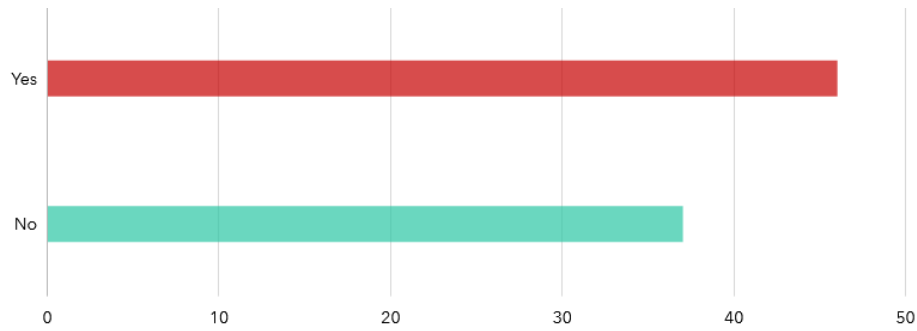
What do you believe the future priorities of AGIC and the AGIC Council should be?



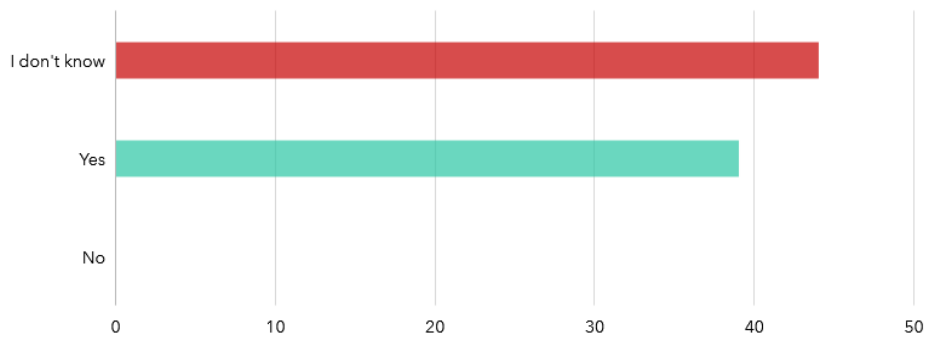
Please provide any additional future priorities you feel should be added that were not listed in the previous question.

- First, raising awareness and visibility of geospatial solutions could include a **focus on executive leadership, rural/tribal communities, and the public**. I also think raising **awareness with specific industries** would be beneficial. Perhaps add a priority to **identify which industries are the fastest growing or most vital to Arizona**, determine what level of GIS they are currently using, and focus on growing their awareness to how GIS, AZGeo, or any other AGIC benefits could help them.
- Promote **data interoperability to reduce data silos**
- Keep Arizona **geospatial databases and networks** on par with those in other states
- Look at how AGIC can **support Governor and Legislative priorities**.
- The perceived **need of Arizona, Opportunity/Cost analysis**, what activities have **motivated champions** (AGIC members) behind them.
- The only other thing I can think of is **creating a Data Authority Board** where AGIC can begin to **put weight behind their curated data** (AZGEO, etc.) and get buy-in from the greater community (or at least leadership) on the authoritativeness of such datasets with an "endorsed as authoritative by..." type approach. This might also include a contract of sorts (year at a time) where the data provider agrees (no legal teeth of course) to update and maintain an "authoritative" dataset at a specific cycle with a specific level of integrity.

**Were you aware of the 2022 AGIC Strategic and Business Direction (both the document and the goals)?**



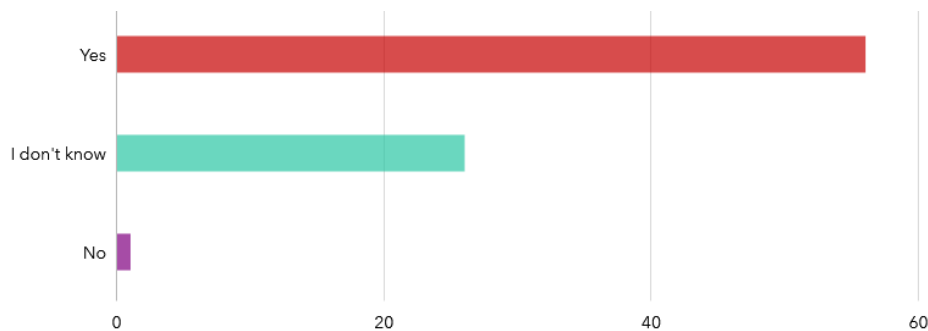
**Do you feel that AGIC met the 2022 priorities?**



**If you answered no to the previous question, why and what could AGIC do to serve the community better?**

- I think AGIC has done a good job at advancing collaborative efforts between agencies. On a side-note, we should **advertise our priorities more clearly**, such as adding a link directly on the homepage so they are more visible.

**Do you feel the priorities identified are serving the Arizona geospatial community?**

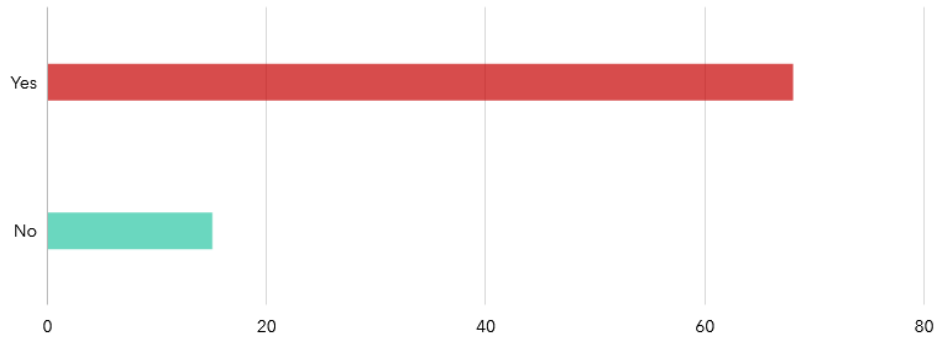


**If you answered no to the previous question, why and what could AGIC do to serve the community better?**

- Overall yes, I think the priorities have served our community well. I think it's worth **continuing to branch out the collaboration efforts** to include **additional agencies and industries**.
- **More Tribal Involvement with PSAP and GIS Data for DGB** and data sets for roads, center lines, address points, and satellite imagery

# AGIC Committees and Workgroups

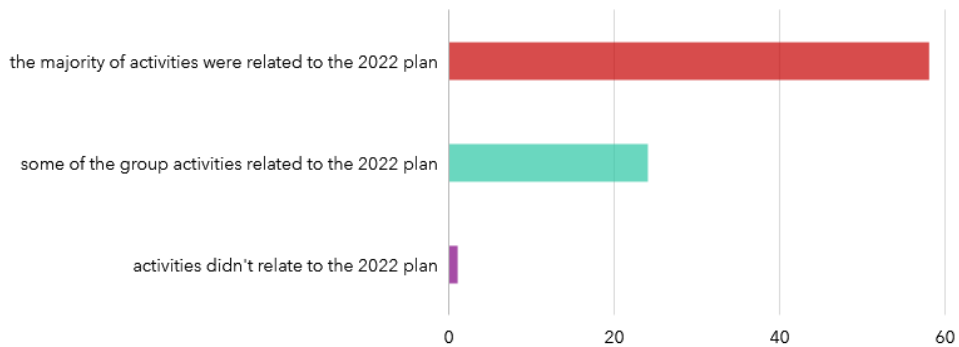
Do you participate in any AGIC Committee or Workgroups?



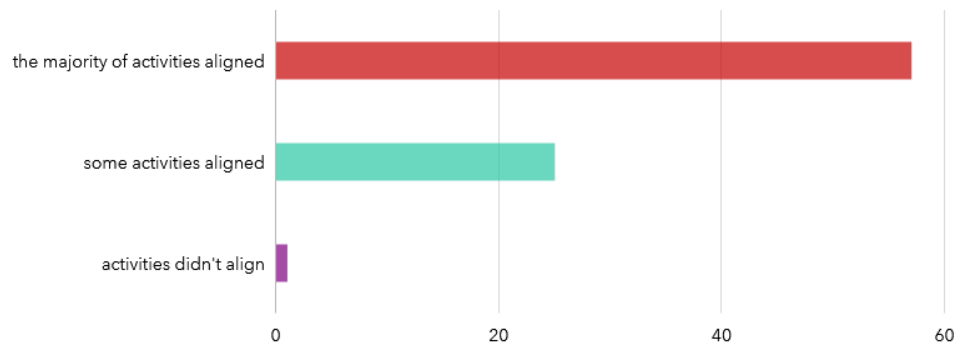
Which groups do you participate in?



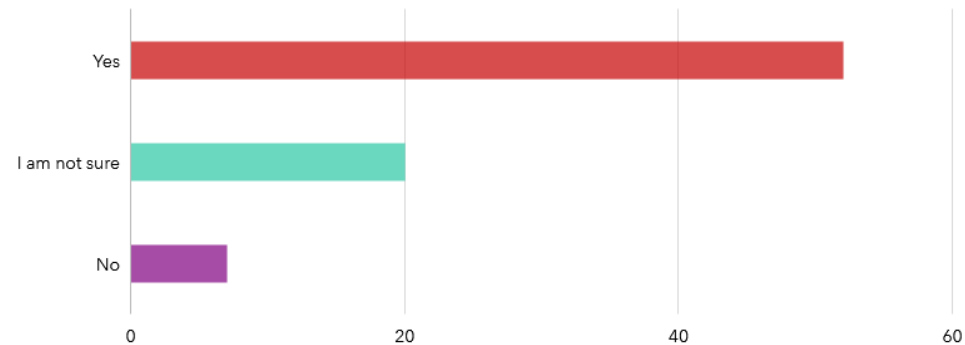
**Please rate how you feel the Committee and/or Workgroup activities (of the groups you participated in) supported the AGIC Strategic and Business Plan for 2022?**



**Please rate how the Committee and/or Workgroup activities (of the groups you participated in) aligned with their 2022 Work Plan?**



**Do you feel that the groups you participate in have sufficient participation and resources?**



**Please use the space below to provide suggestions on how AGIC could improve participation and/or activities**

- We would like to get more involved and facilitate **rural and tribal community participation** and inclusion.
- For me it's just **resources**. We have so many tasks, groups, meetings, that we **need more people to be able to participate** more. Or those that feel more comfortable participating. If I was to create a way to have more participation it would be sending out weekly or monthly newsletters. Upcoming GIS Workshops, GIS Training, Symposium; Did you know?; GIS Challenge (based off an image/topographic snip and a excerpt) where is this located; Topic of Interest.



Please use the space below to share any additional feedback

- The Cadastral workgroup does not seem to be very active.
- There is always **need for additional personnel** that wish to take an **active role in workgroups**.
- Could always use **more resources** and **support from management and decision makers**. I am **glad to see the continuing development of a stable GIS infrastructure and data** in Arizona.
- I am a **huge proponent of AGIC** and have **liked the direction the council has taken** in the last few years. Although I cannot participate to the fullest level, I believe the numerous training and network events demonstrate **AGIC's commitment to the GIS community**. I will continue to proudly tote the accomplishments and importance of this group to anyone in my sphere of influence who will listen. Thank you to the hard-working members of the AGIC Council.
- Continue efforts **to bring a friend** so to speak **More end-user involvement**.
- In the committees in which I participate, it seems like a few volunteers are doing the majority of the work. We need to have **more resources in the form of participants**. I speak as one who is likely not participating as I should.
- AGIC is clearly gaining steam, but **funding** is always an issue. While you have an **incredible volunteer pool** to pull from, that too never seems to be enough to satisfy the need (thinking the mentor program). Good problems to have!
- **Synopsis of each group would be great. Anticipated time commitment** to participate.
- I would like to see more sufficient participation, but I don't know how to **encourage "Active" participation**.
- **AGIC is amazing** and it is 100% due to the stable of **amazing people** that **passionately work for the greater community goals**. **THANK YOU for all that you do!**