

**MINUTES OF PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
ARIZONA GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COUNCIL
AZGeo Advisory Committee**

A public meeting of the Arizona Geographic Information Council AZGeo Advisory Committee was convened on July 30, 2025 at 1:00 pm on Google Meets. Present at the meeting were the following members or designees of the group:

Committee Voting Members

Member	Agency/Company	In-Attendance
Member Name	Member agency or company	Yes, Virtual
Ryan Johnson, Co-chair	ASLD	AZ State Land Department
Lucas Murray, Co-chair	AGIC Chair	AZ Dept of Transportation
Sage Donaldson, Secretary	AGIC Outreach Committee	AZ State Land Department
Shiloh Johnson	AGIC Vice-Chair	Arizona State University
James Meyer	AGIC Data Committee	AZ Dept of Transportation

Public Members At-Large

Member	Agency/Company
Ian Vadeventer	ASU
Patrick Whiteford	ADOT

Recording of meeting (Minute each item occurs in the video is highlighted in red below):
https://drive.google.com/file/d/17BX_ejPjsF_I2Llx46rTgrW2dkOrDDr4/view?usp=drive_link

Call to Order (Minute 0:00)

Meeting was called to order at **1:02 PM**. Introductions were made, attendance confirmed, and quorum was established.

Approval of Meeting Minutes (Minute 1:30)

Motion to approve previous meeting minutes made by **Lucas Murray**, seconded by **Sage Donaldson**. **Motion passed without changes.**

Announcements (Minute 3:00)

- **Data Curator Position Updates**
Sage Donaldson was announced as the new Data Curator.
- **Targeted Priorities Updates**
Vote postponed until November. Discussion to occur during council meeting.
- **NAIP 2025 Imagery Update**
USDA will provide 60 cm resolution imagery.
The 30 cm statewide imagery purchase did not go through.
The Land Department will purchase media, process it, and provide it via services.
- **August Council Meeting**
Meeting will take place at MAG in Phoenix and in Flagstaff, with virtual participation options available.

Committee Updates (Minute 15:00)

- **Outreach Committee**
Mentor program is active and currently working on projects.
Next social event is planned for August.
- **Data Committee**
Hosted an OpenStreetMap (OSM) presentation.
Committee discussing whether to continue or sunset the Imagery Program.

AGIC Symposium Announcements (Minute 20:00)

Two AZGeo-related presentations are scheduled for the upcoming AGIC Symposium.

AZGeo Updates (Minute 25:00)

- **Current Statistics**
Usage numbers are increasing. The team will begin tracking how AZGeo is used in applications.
- **Planned Updates/Changes**
Addressing attachment issues with premium data store.
Hosting server is outdated; new server to be built using version 11.3.
Plans include launching a dedicated imagery server and a secondary server.
- **User Engagement**
Planning a 2025 AZGeo User Meeting to collect feedback.
Feedback to be collected after the conference sessions.
- **Accessibility**

Shea is leading work on digital dashboard accessibility and WCAG compliance. Land Department to consult with the AG's Office on how to proceed. Admin & Legal Committee has requested a mentee to research and assess AGIC accessibility requirements.

AZGeo Technical Group Activities (Minute 35:00)

Committee agreed to remove this standing item from future agendas.

AZGeo Feedback/User Submissions (Minute 40:00)

Reviewed feedback submitted via a tracking spreadsheet. Feedback will inform future platform improvements.

Targeted Priorities Discussion (Minute 45:00)

Council members ranked priorities; officers reviewed and categorized them.

Action Items:

- Members are encouraged to complete surveys to provide input.
- Conference Committee will host a half-track on AZGeo enhancement.
- Council to present examples of AZGeo usage and data needs.
- Outreach Committee will organize "Lunch & Learn" events.
- Data Committee will continue developing data layers.
- Discussion of AZGeo funding, resources, and new hub initiatives.
- Platform improvements will include enhanced search capabilities and better documentation.
- Discussion on ways to increase executive engagement with AZGeo.
- Metrics will be developed to support high-level goals.

Comments or Items for Future Agendas (Minute 55:00)

Topics proposed for future meetings:

- Categories and Authoritative Data
- NSGIC Update

- Rescheduling September meeting to **September 23**

Call to the Public (Minute 57:00)

No public comments were received.

Adjournment (Minute 58:00)

Meeting was adjourned at **1:59 PM**.