

**MINUTES OF PUBLIC MEETING OF THE
ARIZONA GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COUNCIL
OUTREACH COMMITTEE EDUCATION WORKGROUP**

A public meeting of the Arizona Geographic Information Council Outreach Committee Education Workgroup was convened on November 26, 2024 at 11:00 am on Google Meets. Present at the meeting were the following members or designees of the group:

Workgroup Voting Members

Member	Agency/Company	In-Attendance
Lucas Murray, Co-Chair	AZ Dept of Transportation	Yes, Virtual
Emily La Sala, Co-Chair	Mil Geospatial	No, Excused
Sage Donaldson	AZ Dept of Transportation	Yes, Virtual
Chuck Powell	WestLand	Yes, Virtual

Recording of meeting (Minute each item occurs in the video is highlighted in red below):
<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ZaKnWjPkasnZiG0xYpHefb8vIRplCx9u/view?usp=sharing>

- I. **Call to order**: Meeting was called to order at 11:01 am; Introductions were made by the workgroup ensuring attendance list was managed and quorum established.
- II. **Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes (Minute 0:15)**: July and October minutes were unanimously passed as written.
- III. **Resource Site for Educators (Minute 0:41)**: Lucas requested the group send him links to resources that are available for K-12 educators that would help them use or teach GIS in their classrooms. Chuck provided links during the meeting and Sage said she would forward a list at a later date.
- IV. **AZGeo Student Competition (Minute 2:14)**: Lucas informed the group about AGIC doing an Arizona-only competition for 4th-12th grade students, modeled off the Esri ArcGIS Online Student Competition. He asked the group for help in reaching out to teachers. Chuck and Sage have contacts they will reach out to. Chuck also requested to be added to the next competition meeting on 12/2.
- V. **Surveys Review (Minute 11:59)**: Lucas presented a Google Doc with the proposed survey questions. The group reviewed the questions and made edits. Lucas will work on implementing the questions into a survey before the next meeting. Chuck, Sage, and Lucas also said they will add questions to the Google Doc for use in a survey targeted towards educators.
- VI. **Meeting Time Discussion (Minute 38:31)**: At the previous meeting, Chuck requested we discuss moving the meeting to a later time. Meeting times after 3pm will be easier for educators and teachers to attend if they would like. The group decided to move future meetings to Wednesdays at 3:30pm.

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- VII. **Comments or Items for Future Agendas** (Minute 43:40): The group decided to cancel the December meeting. The next meeting will be January 22nd at 3:30pm.

Chuck will talk with contacts at the Arizona Geographic Alliance, Green Drone, and some community colleges to see if anyone would be willing to attend a future meeting and potentially present on their GIS education programs.

- VI. **Adjourn** (Minute 46:14): Meeting was adjourned at 11:47 am