

Public Safety Committee 2023 Work Plan

Mission (from statutes):

- Provide a forum to promote and support interagency coordination on matters related to Public Safety geospatial data, data sharing, and applications.
- Facilitate public safety educational outreach and best practice methods to state, federal and local government agencies to support a State-wide Arizona GIS functions

2023 Meeting Dates:

Public Safety Committee Meetings		April 13	July 13	October 12
Council Meetings	February	May	August	November

Public Safety Committee Participants:

Chairs: Brian Bond & Eric Shreve

Voting Members: Bo Guo, Brooke Serpa, Greg Denton, Howard Ward, Laura Herrera, Sandy Dyre, Sarah Hess, Steve Whitney, Steven Engle, Tom Homan, Dave Roby, Morgana Laurie, Teresa Villescaz

GOALS AND ACTIVITIES:

- 1. Facilitate interagency coordination in support of AGIC Council Goals that fosters collaboration between local, tribal, county, state government, neighboring states, and the national level particularly in emergencies when Government agencies must work together.
 - Collect public safety incidents where GIS staff collaborated with different levels of government with GIS data from AZGEO that improved interagency coordination efforts.
 AZDEMA could be a source for awareness of public safety incidents. Follow up to local agencies can be done by Public Safety Committee co-chairs if needed.

- Provide engagement to sharing Regional agencies to ensure these users are aware of the resources on AZGEO using someone that is already a GIS Specialist (GISS) in the Incident Command Structure (ICS).
- 2. Facilitates GIS and non-GIS users to communicate related to Public Safety and promotes all forms of professional development.
 - Number of GIS users who participated in professional development opportunities. Examples of opportunities include presenting at annual conferences with national organizations such as NENA, NAPSG, URISA, & NSGIC about the value of public safety gis and how stakeholders are implementing solutions and workflows in the State of Arizona.
 - Number of adhoc workshops & brown bag sessions to GIS & non-gis stakeholders about what public safety gis is and examples of solutions.
 - Attempt to bring GIS into the Legal courts. Examples using Lidar Scanners in Criminal Justice.
- 3. Transition all Arizona Public Safety Answering Points ("PSAPs") with the ability to geospatially route calls.