

Nebraska GIS Council Meeting Agenda

Virtual members/representatives **ARE NOT** eligible to vote.

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*Indicates an expected action item.

Monday, August 31, 2026

1:00 pm – 2:00 pm

Department of Water, Energy, and Environment

Room 023, 245 Fallbrook Blvd, Lincoln, NE

- I. Roll Call; Meeting Notice; Open Meetings Act Information
- II. ***Approval of minutes from 06/10/2026**
- III. Review Council Member Vacancies and Pending Appointments
 - a. Current Membership Status Report
 - i. Federal Geospatial Liaison –
 - ii. League of Municipalities –
 - iii. Member at Large (Jeff M, Mike S.)
 - iv. NEMA
 - v. Tribal Representative
- IV. Updates from GIS Council Working Groups
 - a. Boundary Working Group – Tim Erickson
 - b. NEGIS and NebraskaMap – Ryan Werner/Claire Inbody
- V. NGS 2022 Updates and Timeframe for Nebraska
 - a. Updates from State Surveyor's Office if available
- VI. Coordinator's Report
 - a. Updates from State GIS Enterprise
 - i. New Tiered GIS Plan has been delivered by OCIO to State Agencies
 - ii. GIS plan implementation and new COO - Mark L. Nelson
 - iii. FY28/FY29 biennium target (July 1, 2027)
 - iv. Charges for FY2027 resumed in July; 2FTEs removed from budget
 - v. GIS_Imagery and GIS_NESDI moved back to STN NAS (On-Prem)
 - vi. ESRI providing Named User licenses for Enterprise
 - vii. Discuss Power BI/Other Solution versus ESRI ArcGIS
 - b. Suggestions for Enterprise Solutions
 - i. Potential 3rd Party Managed Services (RFP this fall?)
 - ii. Coordinate by Committee (Governance and Review Committee)
 - iii. Funding opportunities
- VII. Updates from Federal Partners

- a. Update from Isaac Remboldt (USDA/NRCS)
- b. USGS representative (Cyndi Rachol - crachol@usgs.gov@usgs.gov)

VIII. Member Agencies and Representative Updates

IX. Other Business

- a. Upcoming Events

X. Public Comments

Upcoming GIS Council Dates:

2026 Dates –November 4th

The GIS Council will attempt to adhere to the sequence of the published agenda but reserves the right to adjust the order and timing of items and may elect to take action on any of the items listed.

Meeting notice was posted to the NITC website and the Nebraska Public Meeting Calendar May 29, 2026. The agenda was posted to the NITC website on August 26, 2026. [Nebraska Open Meetings Act](#)

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