

MEETING ANNOUNCEMENT AND AGENDA

Nevada State Mapping Advisory Committee (SMAC)

May 16, 2012; 3:30 PM

Location: Sam's Town Hotel & Gambling Hall, 5111 Boulder Highway, Las Vegas, NV 89122

Open meeting held in conjunction with the 22nd Annual Nevada Geographic Information Society (NGIS) 2012 State Conference in Las Vegas, Nevada.

For further information, please contact Jennifer Mauldin, Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology (NBMG), 775-784-6692, mauldin@unr.edu or Jon Price, NBMG, 775-682-8746, jprice@unr.edu

3:30 PM: OPENING REMARKS and Welcome by Jon Price (NBMG), Committee Chairman

OLD AND NEW BUSINESS

- **Update on Geologic Mapping Subcommittee**– *Jon Price (NBMG)*
- **Updates on Historical and U.S. Topo** – *Carol Ostergren (USGS)*
- **2013 NAIP** – *Carol Ostergren (USGS)*
- **Strategic and Business Planning: Follow up on 2012 FGDC Proposal**
 - **Elevation data/LiDAR** – *Luke Opperman (NV Division of Water Resources)*
 - **Parcel Data** – *Holly Smith (NV State Lands) and Jeff Hardcastle (Nevada State Demographer)*
- **Open discussion and comments.**

5:30 PM: AJOURN

Additional information about the Nevada State Mapping Advisory Committee can be found on the Web at: <http://www.nbmq.unr.edu/smac/smac.htm>

NEVADA STATE MAPPING ADVISORY COMMITTEE

ESTABLISHED AS AN EXECUTIVE ORDER IN 1983 The Governor of Nevada established the State Mapping Advisory Committee (SMAC) in 1983 to advise the U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) on state priorities for map products and to inform map users about the status of mapping programs and the availability of map products. The Governor named the Director of the Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology as the chair of SMAC.

OPEN MEMBERSHIP

Membership in SMAC and its subcommittees is open to anyone interested in mapping in Nevada. Participants have included representatives of numerous local, state, and federal agencies, community colleges and universities, and the private sector.

CHANGING FOCUS

In its early years SMAC advised the USGS on priorities for completion of 1:24,000-scale, 7.5-minute topographic maps throughout the state. With all these maps having been printed by about 1990 and with development of digital maps and Geographic Information Systems, SMAC has evolved. The USGS no longer explicitly seeks the advice of the state with regard to its mapping priorities but does request input from bureaus within the U.S. Department of Interior. SMAC now serves as a forum for discussion of state, local, and federal agency and private sector priorities for mapping. Generally a consensus on priorities is reached during an annual meeting. This consensus is forwarded to Department of Interior bureaus. In recent years, SMAC's top priorities have been met with approximately \$7 million worth of new digital map products during the 1997–2007 period, primarily in expanding urban areas, the Humboldt River Basin, northwest and central Nevada, and two statewide imagery programs.

If you have questions please contact Jennifer Mauldin, Executive Secretary, Nevada State Mapping Advisory Committee, 775-784-6692, mauldin@unr.edu or Jon Price, Chairman of the Nevada State Mapping Advisory Committee, 775-682-8746, jprice@unr.edu.

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Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology
Nevada Division of State Lands
Nevada Department of Transportation
Nevada Division of Minerals
Clark County Planning Department
U.S. Geological Survey
U.S. Bureau of Land Management