

MnGeo State Government Geospatial Advisory Council

COMMITTEE AND WORKGROUP UPDATES

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In the interest of reducing the amount of information generated, from now on, we are going to provide only updates and new information for the committees and workgroups. To view complete information, please visit the [committee and workgroup websites](#). The following are the Committee and Workgroup updates reports of activity since September 29, 2010.

Digital Cadastral Data Committee: The DCDC met on October 1st and solidified the panel discussion for their session at the GIS/LIS Consortium Conference in Duluth. The panel discussion was well presented, well attended, and well received by about 45 interested parties from across the state. Those attending included data producers as well as data consumers.

The DCDC has been working to define and gather acceptance for a statewide cadastral data transfer standard modeled after the one used by MetroGIS. No opposition to their proposal was raised at Consortium Conference. A primary consideration in acceptance of a transfer standard was time and cost savings for everyone involved. The DCDC is making good progress working with two vendors that provide counties with property tax software to generate output from their systems that aligns with the proposed data transfer standard model.

The DCDC has a representative sitting on the newly-formed PRIA GIS Workgroup, a sub-committee of their technology committee. PRIA is the Property Records Industry Association, a nationwide association of public property data vendors.

The next Committee meeting will be on Friday December 3rd in the Centennial Building, St. Paul.

Geocoding Workgroup: Recent accomplishments include:

- First Draft of Requirements Document reviewed by full Workgroup; comments incorporated
- First Draft of Potential Benefits Document completed

Recent Meetings:

Workgroup Meeting: September 23rd, 2010

Meeting with Martha Wells from URISA on proposed Federal Address Standard: October 11th, 2010

There are no other committee or workgroup updates at this time.