

## SAGIC – Meeting Minutes

**Date** Wednesday, October 1, 2025  
**Location** Teams  
**Time** 9:00 am – 10:30 am  
**Facilitator** SAGIC Chair – [Alex Krebs](#) (WEM)  
**Minutes Preparer** SAGIC Secretary – [Nina Rihn](#) (DNR)

| OFFICERS   |                      |               |         |
|------------|----------------------|---------------|---------|
| Position   | Name                 | Voting Member | Present |
| Chair      | Alex Krebs - WEM     | Y             | Y       |
| Vice Chair | Bridget Lapham – DOT | N             | Y       |
| Secretary  | Nina Rihn - DNR      | Y             | Y       |

| Voting Members ( <i>Y = present; N = not present; NA = no rep</i> ) |    |                           |    |                       |    |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----|---------------------------|----|-----------------------|----|
| BCPL – Chuck Failing                                                | Y  | DOJ – Ty Krugman          | N  | PSC – Colter Sikora   | Y  |
| DATCP – Eli Samuelson                                               | Y  | DOR –                     | NA | SCO – Jim Lacy        | Y  |
| DCF –                                                               | NA | DOT – Tony Van Der Wielen | N  | SFP –                 | NA |
| DHS – Andy Swartz                                                   | Y  | DPI – Shelley Witte       | N  | UWSA – Paul Boehnlein | Y  |
| DMA –                                                               | NA | DSPS –                    | NA | WEC – Gregory Grube   | Y  |
| DNR – Nina Rihn                                                     | Y  | DWD – John Willis         | Y  | WEM – Alex Krebs      | Y  |
| DOA – Mike Friis                                                    | N  | LTSB - Zach Robinson      | Y  | WHS – Felipe Avila    | Y  |

### Other attendees

Andrew Faust (External)  
Apeku, Bernard - PSC  
Armstrong, Peggy A - DOR  
Barroilhet, Dan - DOA  
Bohn, Andrea - WHS  
David Vogel (External)  
Erstad, Kathryn - DOT  
Ginther, Katie E - DOT  
Hassler, Zachary - DMA (External)  
Hostetler, Benjamin - DOT  
Jackson, Timothy R - DATCP  
Koeller, Christine A - DOT  
Krebs, Alex - DMA (External)  
Matthew Krempely (External)

Matthew Rehwald (External)  
Nesbit, Scott C - DOT  
Nienow, Zach (External)  
Novinska, Tiffany - DOT  
Panduranga, Kishan - PSC  
Paulson, Alan R - DHS  
Shockley, Bill - DOT  
Strand, Peter T - DNR  
Van Der Wielen, Tony J - DOT  
VanMeter, Oindrila

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## ACTION ITEMS in red

### ***Introductions and Announcements (All)***

- WLIA Fall Conference is Oct 13-15

### ***Minute Approval***

- August minutes approved by unanimous consent (there was no meeting in September)
- July, 2025 minutes were approved by unanimous consent

### ***WROC 2025 Update (Andrew Faust - NCWRPC and Zach Nienow - Ayres)***

- Agenda Notes:
  - Andy and Zach went over status of 2025 WROC
  - 64 participating counties
  - Data should be sent to partners in Feb/March 2026, statewide in March/April timeframe
  - Partners and NG911 grant data were a big part of success
  - 2023/2024 high res data already delivered to partners
  - They will include a year on their status map and send to us.
  - Question: would it be easier if State Agencies had an annual aerial imager budget instead of big amounts every 5 years?
    - Some counties are flying in 2026-27 or 2028-30
  - Andy retiring in December
  - Early next year they will have a funding need projection
- Discussion Notes:
  - Question that runs into another topic... from Christine: what state border layer/buffer do you use? Ayres uses DNR state boundary and goes 500 feet beyond bnds.

### ***GIS Symposium debrief and survey (Paul Boehnlein)***

- Agenda Notes:
  - We were over our 75 in-person goal
  - ½ were new attendees
  - There were 50 survey responders

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- Content got an 8.5 rating
- Overall rating of 9/10
- 88% want this every year!
- Lots of responses related to time for questions, etc.
- 3.14 out of 5 for being willing to present.
- Venue 9/10
- Teams env 7.65 out of 10
- We didn't have a question about volunteering, but maybe next year.
- Panel: people wished there was more time to ask question.

- Discussion Notes:

➤ Let Paul Boehnlein know if you want to be part of Communications Workgroup

### ***Other Business (All)***

- State Boundary discussion (Christine) – there is no standard/common state boundary or county boundaries layer that all state agencies use.
  - Current options don't work for more detailed analysis, especially along Mississippi and coastlines.
  - Christine getting a group together to discuss.

### ***Next Meeting***

**November 5<sup>th</sup>**, via Teams

***Adjournment*** Meeting adjourned by unanimous consent.