

# Non-Profit Steering Committee Report Out

## Committee Members:

- Barney Krucoff
- Virginia Peterman
- Sandi Stroud
- Jim Cannistra
- Patrick McLaughlin
- John Campbell
- Tim Quinn
- Charlene Howard



# Membership: Benefits

- **What are the benefits of MSGIC Membership**
  - Documented membership (like ability to verify you are a member; card holding)
  - Networking with peers
  - Directory of GIS users in MD
  - Voice in Maryland GIS
- **Suggested added benefits**
  - Virtual membership space
    - Expanding website to feature membership access area
    - Technical user support/knowledge based
  - Branding on website for member organizations
  - Access to workshops and training
    - Cooperative purchasing of training
  - Assistance with GISP and/or other professional affiliations
  - Discount on attendance at other conferences (TUGIS, ESRI-MUG)

# Membership: Dues and Levels

- **Membership Dues**

- One vote per member

- Dues

- Student - \$10

- Individual - \$50 (organization or personal)

- Tier one group - \$200 (5 members)

- Tier two group - \$300 (open members)

- Assign individuals to member slots (organization only)

# Subcommittee and Caucus Organization

- **Subcommittee/Caucus guidance**
  - **Caucuses**
    - Chairs will be asked to attend executive meetings
    - Caucuses will not be required to draft a charter or have regular meetings.
    - When the need arises to elicit views or thoughts from specific caucuses, chairs will be responsible for polling their membership and acting as liaison with executive committee.
  - **Subcommittees**
    - Each subcommittee should be tasked with drafting a short charter (template to be provided) that is submitted to the executive board and voted upon.
    - Upon passing, the subcommittees will engage in outreach to its members and craft short-term goals to be achieved that year and subcommittee chair will present this to the board.