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Patrick Callahan
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MSGIC Executive Committee Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, September 9, 2020 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Conference Call-in Only

(Call info at the end of the agenda)

Attendees

Julia

Julie

Graham

Shawn

Jen

Erik

Roger

Katy

Niki

Erica

Julia F

JB Churchill

John Lesko

Cheryl

Anthony

Logan

Patrick C

Charlie Wrenn

Al Wainger

Brad Spittel

Joe DeLuca

Pat M

Mara

Bolded topics will require a vote.

1. Open Meeting & Announcements – Graham Twibell
 - Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes
 - **August 2020**
 - **Motion to Approve - Patrick C**
 - **Second - Niki**
 - **Approved without Objections**
 - New Topics & Open/General Discussion
2. MSGIC Treasury Report – Jen Chadwick-Moore
3. MSGIC Business
 - 2020-2021 Elections – Julie Spangler & Graham Twibell
 - Election Schedule



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- Call for Nominees is Closed
 - Co-Chair Discussion (having a second person in a position to share the responsibility)
 - Feedback from JB and Katy was positive
 - JB made a point that JB is in Western MD and Katy is in the Eastern MD, which worked out well for in-person quarterlies
 - Patrick C - also positive feedback from a Data and Resources position he held with David Gillam a few years back
 - Mara - Made the point that if one of the co-chairs flakes out or is not pulling their weight
 - Julia F - More involvement is always better. By the nature of the organization, competition doesn't make sense.
 - Pat M - Would the co-chair position count as a single vote or as 2 votes?
 - Julie - Is there any language in the by-laws that would restrict us from having one vote per each member (regardless of co-chair)?
 - Pat M - Would need to check, but does not think so
 - Would need to look at this again during the by-law review
- Will be using Google Forms, but we can always shift back to Survey Monkey if anything goes wrong
- Have some slack with the schedule, but need to keep the voting open for at least 2 weeks according to the by-laws
- Vote Distribution
- Membership Year & Invoicing Update – Shawn Pickett
 - **Discuss Extending Memberships 1 Year**
 - Julie - Most of the organizations that have not paid are private organizations, but there are some government orgs as well
 - Most equitable approach would be to:
 - Extend members that have already paid to 2022
 - Extend members that have NOT already paid to 2021
 - All changes would need to be done manually in Membee
 - **Motion to Approve - Graham**
 - **Second - Katy**
 - **Approved without Objections**
 - Need to do a review of the nominees to see who, if any, is not in good standing (according to by-laws EC members must be a member)
 - Need to create messaging
 - Membee Database Administration
 - Sponsors & Org Contributions
- G Suite/Google Groups – Shawn Pickett
 - **1Password Authorization**





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- Up to \$750 for annual service - Shawn will work with Jen C to get this setup and paid
 - Motion to Approve - Graham
 - Second - Katy
 - Approved without Objections
- TUGIS 2020 - Advisory Committee Debrief 9/16 3:00 PM
- Website Working Group – Sean Lynn/Patrick Callahan
 - No Updates
- Intern Support Summer 2020 – Sean Lynn/Shawn Pickett
 - Email has been sent out revamping the description and reaching out to interns
- Fall Intern Search - Erica McMaster/Sean Lynn
 - If anyone else is interested please contact Erica/Sean
- 2021 Training Schedule Planning - Anthony Dowell
 - Had a recent meeting to talk about wrapping up the year
 - 2 Topics have been flagged
 - GIS Program Management - Rebecca (URISA)
 - Geodetic Datum Updates - Bill (MSS)
 - If anyone is interested in participating in meeting next Thursday, email Anthony
 - Julia - Would like to learn more about the geodetic datum updates; Her team has been in touch with USGS (Rich) regarding some ongoing efforts related to administration / legislation. Wants to ensure we are all in alignment regarding this topic; Anthony and Julia will coordinate
 - Roger - Would be good to get Rich to speak about these changes specific to Maryland. This topic will have impacts with contract negotiation
- Quarterly Meeting Updates—Niki Miller & Pat McLoughlin
 - Fall (Annual) Meeting – Wednesday, October 14, 2020 (Virtual)
 - Meeting to Draft Agenda (MSGIC Business & Speakers)
 - Presenters:
 - Shawn Pickett, Century Engineering (QGIS)
 - Rich Ortt, Maryland Geological Survey (Upcoming Changes to the National Spatial Reference System and Maryland State Plane Coordinate System)
 - Niki to reach out to Rich about the length of his presentation
- Membership in the Maryland Nonprofit Organization
 - Legal Services Update – Graham Twibell/Jen Chadwick Moore
 - Last meeting was to go over forms and timeline
 - Everything has to be submitted via mail, will be printing everything out
 - Will need to include a \$400 check for the IRS to process our request to change over from Private Foundation to Public Charity
 - Insurance Update – Graham Twibell
 - Directors & Officers Insurance Authorization



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- 2 quotes for annual premium covering EC for \$1 million - \$809 (Sandy Spring); \$605 (ANI)
 - Google search suggests non-profit with 0 employees should be about \$600
 - Ceiling of \$700
 - Motion to Approve - Niki
 - Second - Jen
 - Approved without Objections
- Tabled Topics; will follow up in time
 - By Law Review—Joe Agenbroad/Graham Twibell/Julie Spangler
 - Strategic Goals – Julie Spangler
 - Standard Operating Procedure Requirements – Julie Spangler
 - Authority for County Boundaries – TBD
 - MSGIC Scholarship Idea Update – Julie Spangler
 - Business Entity Data Working Group – Doug Adams
- 4. Conferences
 - a. Delmarva Conference – Virtual 9/21-9/22
 - i. Julia K working on materials for the digital advertisement
 - ii. Will be submitting it to Sean Lynn by this Friday
- 5. Caucuses & Subcommittees
 - Advocacy – Logan Hall
 - No Updates
 - Data and Resources Subcommittee – Cheryl Knott
 - Working Groups
 - Emergency Management/Public Safety Working Group – Peter Hanna & Shelby Roberson
 - No Updates
 - Maryland Elevation Working Group – Erin Silva & Roger Barlow
 - Task Order for Queen Anne's, Cecil, and Harford county project is completed; Out for bidding by vendors; Vendor should be selected in about 30 days
 - Geospatial Career Outreach Working Group – Mike Herzberger
 - No Updates
 - Maryland UAS Working Group – Jonathan Austin
 - No Updates
 - Education Subcommittee & Education Caucus – Erik Hovland & Anthony Dowell
 - No Updates
 - Federal Updates – Roger Barlow
 - Baltimore Urban Waters Group had a meeting this morning about an effort coordinated by Johns Hopkins. Looking at the impact of vacant lots on the mental health of teenagers
 - Will be presenting at the Delaware User Group in November as opposed to the Delmarva Conference



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- Outreach Subcommittee – Patrick Callahan
 - No Updates
- Private Caucus – Niki Miller
 - No Updates
- State Caucus – Julia F
 - John Lesko - Revised Howard County data has been delivered; Data will be uploaded and will be working with ESRGC to generate the DEMs / other derived products that will be made available on iMap
 - Julia - Making good progress on NG911; Focus is on cross-border validation of data between county and/or state boundaries.
- Regional Caucus – Erica
 - No Updates
- Local Caucus – Katy
 - No Updates

6. Next Meeting: Wednesday, October 21st, 2020 10 am - 12 pm (Conference Call only)

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