

National States Geographic Information Council 2008 State Summary
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 State of Indiana

Background Information

1	Please Choose the primary contact
Phil Worrall	

3	Please select the answer that most closely describes your role in statewide GIS coordination.
Generally Recognized Volunteer Statewide GIS Coordinator	

4	What is your job title?
Other (please specify) Executive Director	

5	Enter the name of your agency/organization.
Indiana Geographic Information Council, Inc.	

6	Please select the answer that best describes the affiliation of your office/agency in state government.
Non-Profit Organization	

11	Describe your state's top three geospatial accomplishments during the past year. (200 character limit per line)
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Accomplishment 1.
 Passage of GIS legislation
 Accomplishment 2.
 Hire of a state GIO (pending)
 Accomplishment 3.
 Committee restructuring with strong support of framework data

12	Describe your state's top three geospatial goals for the coming year. (200 character limit per line)
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Goal 1.
 To build the IndianaMap as a sustained program by securing funding and program development
 Goal 2.
 To successfully demonstrate a statewide address integration framework with at least 5 counties
 Goal 3.
 To complete review of 1 watershed of the NHD high-res, evaluate stewardship maintenance effort, and identify a steward

13	Describe the three most significant geospatial challenges for your state. (200 character limit per line)
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Challenge 1.
 Need for funding for the IndianaMap Program, to include local data integration and statewide data maintenance
 Challenge 2.
 Local-state data sharing policies (we now have legislation in place with a provision for data exchange agreements that will hopefully address this challenge)
 Challenge 3.
 Funding, funding, funding

14	Describe any significant cooperative efforts with federal, state or local partners. (200 character limit per line)
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Cooperative Effort 1.
 2007 CAP grant to complete a return on investment study for framework data
 Cooperative Effort 2.
 USGS Cooperative Agreement to complete a local address integration demonstration project with 5 counties
 Cooperative Effort 3.
 USGS Cooperative Agreement to review 1 watershed of the NHD-HR and identify potential stewardship
 Cooperative Effort 4.
 Worked closely with the State CIO Office, State Library, and State GIS Center of Excellence to support successful IndianaMap legislation
 Cooperative Effort 5.
 Empty
 Cooperative Effort 6.
 Empty

15	Describe any significant data development activities, innovative applications, cost saving measures, contracts, etc. that are on-going or that you have begun over the past year. (200 character limit per line)
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16	Please provide the URL link for the mission statement of your state GIS Council.
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URL:
<http://www.in.gov/igic/igic/index.html>

17	Please provide the URL link for your state GIS Coordination Office.
URL: http://www.in.gov/iot/directors/services-gis.html	
18	Please provide the URL link for your state GIS Coordination Council Web Page.
URL: http://www.in.gov/igic/igic/index.html	
19	Please provide the URL link for your state GIS Clearinghouse Node.
URL: http://in-ulib-clark.ads.iu.edu/metadataexplorer/	
20	Is your Clearinghouse Node set up to be harvested by the GOS Portal?
Yes	
21	Please provide the URL link to a list of GIS data stewards for your state.
No List Available	
22	Please provide the URL link to your state GIS Personnel Classifications.
No Specific GIS Classifications	
23	Please provide the URL link for your state GIS data distribution policies.
No State Data Distribution Policy	
24	Please provide the URL link for your state GIS Data Standards.
URL: http://www.in.gov/igic/standards/index.html	

Score Card for the fifty states initiative

1	Which of the following NSGIC Coordination Criteria are in effect in your state? 1 = We previously had this function and lost it over the past year 2 = No plans at this time for implementing this criteria 3 = We currently are planning to implement this within the next 12 to 18 months 4 = Progress has been made and we reasonably expect this to be fully implemented within the next 12 months 5 = Implemented at this time																																																																						
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2 Please identify the stakeholder groups that participate on your GIS Coordination Council and their level of participation.			
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Cities and Towns	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Statewide City Organization	-	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
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State Agencies	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Tribal Governments	-	-	-
Federal Agencies	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Utilities	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Academic (Colleges & Universities)	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Education (K-12)	-	-	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Private Sector (GIS Industry Vendors and Users)	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
General Business Community	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Surveying Community	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Non-Profit Organizations	Actively participates on our Council	Has an official 'seat' or voting privileges on our Council	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
General Public	-	-	Invited to participate in general meetings of our Council
Local URISA Chapter	-	-	-
Local ASPRS Chapter	-	-	-

3 Please provide the URL link to your current Statewide Strategic Plan for GIS.	
URL:	http://www.in.gov/igic/igic/plan.html

4 Please provide the URL link to your current Statewide Business Plan for GIS.	
Under Development - Not Available at this Time	

5 Please provide the URL link to your current Statewide Marketing Plan for GIS.	
No Marketing Plan Available	

6 Under what authority was your State Council created?	

7 Please provide the URL link to the Law or Executive Order that established your GIS Coordination Office and/or Council.	
URL:	http://www.in.gov/igic/policy/IndianaMapLaw.pdf

8 Please provide a URL link to your state's law(s) related to privacy issues as they affect data and information technology.	
URL:	http://www.ai.org/legislative/ic/code/title5/ar14/ch3.html

9	Please provide a URL link to your state's law(s) related to data security issues.
URL: http://www.ai.org/legislative/ic/code/title5/ar14/ch3.html#IC5-14-3-4	
10	Does your GIS Coordination Council have adequate funding to support its operation? (This refers only to the activities of the Council and not to your Coordination Office or projects like data development.)
Partially Funded	
11	What fund sources does your Coordination Council use to support its operations? (Check all that apply)
Membership Fees Federal Grants other grants and contracts as available	
12	Does your GIS Council officially endorse the use of appropriate OGC, FGDC, ANSI or ISO standards as appropriate?
Yes	
13	Does your state make its own GIS Inventory tool available to users?
Yes - All Users	
14	Does your state actively develop and promote the use of data sharing agreements?
Other (please specify) activities to address data exchange agreements are in progress	
15	Does your GIS Council or State Coordination Office actively participate in The National Map?
Yes	

Hot Topics

1	Does your state have a shared Orthoimagery Program that involves local and state agencies?
Other (please specify) A first generation was completed as a project, but not a sustained program; planning is in progress to develop a program (dependant on funding availability)	
2	Have you completed a Return on Investment (ROI) Study or Cost Benefit Analysis (CBA) to justify a shared Orthoimagery Program?
Other (please specify) A ROI for framework data is in progress	
3	Please provide a URL link so we can obtain a copy of your ROI or CBA study.
Digital File Available by E-mail	
4	Does your state have a shared Road Centerline file project that involves local and state agencies?
Other (please specify) a first generation project was completed but is not being maintained; plan are underway to develop a sustained program (pending funding)	
5	Have you completed a Return on Investment (ROI) Study or Cost Benefit Analysis (CBA) to justify a shared Road Centerline File program?
Other (please specify) in progress	
6	Please provide a URL link so we can obtain a copy of your ROI or CBA study.
Not Applicable	
7	Does your state have a statewide (or multi-jurisdictional) address database? (pick one)
No	
8	Is this database based on individual addresses or address ranges? (pick one)
Not Applicable	
9	Have you completed a Return on Investment (ROI) or Cost Benefit Analysis (CBA) to justify this Address program? (pick one)

Not Applicable

10 If applicable, please provide a URL link so we can obtain a copy of your ROI or CBA study. (fill-in if applicable)

11 Please tell us who was identified as the designated entity to apply for grant funds to map broadband access in your state.
Other

Role of State GIS Coordinators

1 Please choose the mechanism that created your position.
Action of Coordination Council

2 Please provide the URL link for the document(s) that created your position (Legislation, Executive Order or Other Action).
No Statutory Authority, Executive Order, or Other Action

3 Which choice most closely matches the title of your boss?
Other (please specify)
Statewide council (not for profit)

4 What choice best describes how closely you are aligned with the State CIO?
Very Close

5 Please select the number of staff that you supervise.
Less than 3

6 Does your GIS Coordination Office have adequate funding to support its operation? (This refers only to the activities of your office and not to the Coordination Council, or projects like data development.)
Not Applicable

7 What fund sources does your Coordination Office use to support its operations? (Check all that apply)
Not Applicable
other grants and contracts as available

8 When an administration change occurs following a statewide election is your position?
Not Likely to be Affected

9 Please rank the importance of these characteristics/skills to the effective performance of your job.

	Not Important	Not Very Important	Important	Very Important	Critical
GIS Evangelist/Cheerleader	-	-	-	-	Critical
GIS Architect	-	-	-	-	Critical
Political Savvy	-	-	-	-	Critical
Technological Savvy	-	Not Very Important	-	-	-
General Management Skills	-	-	-	-	Critical
Procurement/Contracting Skills	-	-	-	Very Important	-
People Skills	-	-	-	-	Critical
Understanding the Business Needs of Your Customers	-	-	-	-	Critical