# MAGIP BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING MINUTES

Monday, December 12, 2016 Online Teleconference 3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

#### Attendance:

**Board Members** 

**Brian Andersen** 

Robert Ahl

**Curtis DeVault** 

**Gerry Daumiller** 

**Karen Coleman** 

**Jeff Hedstrom** 

**Jenny Connelley** 

**Leslie Zolman** 

**Jessie Fernandes** 

**Philip Davis** 

Guests

**Meghan Burns** 

Brian Andersen called the meeting to order at 3:03 PM.

#### **General Board Business**

Review and Adoption of last BOD meeting minutes (Monday November 7, 2016 Online Meeting)
 Motion (Brian Andersen): to adopt Board Meeting Minutes of Monday November.
 2<sup>nd</sup> (Leslie Zolman)
 APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY

## **Committee Reports**

- Web Subcommittee (Meghan Burns)
  - Meghan Burns sent out draft document for website improvements from SRA Design Studios
  - Meghan has also sent out two examples of the new website template; 'bookshelf' template is most likely to be used
  - Next Web Subcommittee meeting is next Wednesday, December 21<sup>st</sup>
  - Meghan will implement most of the changes and transfer to new design, then will request other board members to inspect/approve/recommend changes
  - MAGIP hasn't received the bill from SRA yet; not sure where we are on budget (up to 500.00 was approved at October BOD meeting)
- Education Committee (Rob Ahl)
  - O Rob Ahl would like to recognize Haley (former UM Student Ambassador) for her previous work in helping the Education Committee
  - O Rob suggested writing a formal letter to her and Leslie Zolman suggested providing further recognition by thanking her over the MAGIP List-serve
  - O Rob brought up the point of possibly a follow-up report in the future from grant and award recipients; Red Castle has expressed interest in this since they are providing funds towards grants/scholarships

- O Rob suggested having awardees write a short report, or presenting a talk/poster at a Meet-Up, a Go-To-Meeting, or a MAGIP conference
- Professional Development Committee (Jeff Hedstrom)
  - O The first salary survey work session was held the previous week and the next session will be Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> at 3pm.
  - o The next Professional Development Committee meeting is January 12, 2017
  - Jeff Hedstrom brought up the idea of planning for an event organizer for the 2018 Intermountain
    Conference; will present more information and preliminary cost estimate at January BOD meeting in
    Helena
- Technical Committee (Curtis DeVault)
  - O Billings MAGIP conference recap: Curtis has not checked Survey Monkey results from attendees to judge feedback, but general feeling is that the conference was successful
  - O Meetup in Bozeman is scheduled for February, unsure of exact date
- Business and Operations Committee (Jenny Connelley)
  - o Membership Subcommittee meeting scheduled for Tuesday, December 13th
- Treasurer's Report (Jessie Fernandes)
  - O Bank balance and summary sheet of expenses and revenue since 2010 was emailed on December 12, 2016
  - o 2017 budget will be presented at the BOD meeting in Helena on January, 9th 2017
  - Jessie requests everyone review the proposed 2017 budget and decide under what category to put budget for Meetups

## **Board Reports and Additional Board Items**

- Requests for Assistance
  - Should we formally vote on each one individually or should we roll them into an annual budget?
  - Gerry Daumiller suggests putting into yearly budget and voting on it at the next BOD meeting on January
    9<sup>th</sup>, 2017 in Helena
  - Brian Andersen estimates that \$2,500.00 would cover 3 meetups in each of the major cities in Montana;
    Jessie Fernandes will determine the best place in the budget to put this expense
- GIS Day map contest (Meghan Burns)
  - o There were 10 entries
  - Maps created outside of ArcGIS Online were able to be added to the ArcGIS Online gallery, an improvement over past years
  - Winners have been paid
- Does MAGIP want to set up a table at Montana Library Association (MLA) Legislative Night on January 18<sup>th</sup>,
  2017?

- o Gerry Daumiller, Leslie Zolman, and Brian Andersen offered to attend the booth
- o Motion (Leslie Zolman): MAGIP will attend MLA Legislative Night
- o 2<sup>nd</sup> (Gerry Daumiller)
- APPROVED UNANIMOUSLY
- MAGIP BOD meeting at Intermountain GIS Conference in West Yellowstone in April
  - o Leslie has booked a room for MAGIP BOD meeting at Intermountain GIS
  - o 8:00am 12:00pm on Friday, April 21st