

**South Bay Cities Council of Governments
GIS Working Group Meeting
Tuesday, June 5, 2018 at 10:30 am**

Minutes

**Torrance City Hall, Community Development Conference Room
3031 Torrance Blvd, Torrance CA 90503**

Introductions and Sign-in

Attendees: Bonnie Shrewsbury (Manhattan Beach); Abiola Fanu (Inglewood); Sunny Lai (Torrance); Lina Nguyen (Chair, RPV); Michael Ferris (CSUDH); Erin Cornelius, Kim Fuentes, Rosemary Lackow (SBCCOG).

May Meeting Notes: Received and filed as submitted.

Discussion Items:

1. Esri User Conference: Map Gallery

The group discussed the map posters that the cities will display in the conference map gallery, including: Torrance: “Fire Department Incident Map” – using a Dashboard app; Manhattan Beach: “Using GIS for a CIP Program”- using a Story Map; Hermosa Beach (topic unknown); CSUDH: “Geocoding Student Population”; West Basin Municipal Water District: “Recycled Water Use Areas”; Carson: “Enhancing Community Participation Using Social Media” and “Using GIS to Resolve Lighting and Billing Issues”. It was suggested that a group photo be taken at the conference and emailed to the COG (Rosemary) for possible inclusion in its newsletter. Inglewood will follow up on whether can enter a map.

2. Other Business

- **LARIAC-5 update:** A member inquired as to whether the cities were able to download the building outlines data recently sent as part of the LARIAC-5 deliverables. A brief discussion followed; it was noted that the download would include all structures minimally 300 square feet in size but few had experience with the dataset at this point.
- **SBCCOG Climate Action Plan (CAP) Program Update:** SBCCOG Deputy Director Kim Fuentes presented information on the SBCCOG’s climate action planning program. Almost all of the South Bay cities now have individual CAPs that have been approved and adopted by the respective cities; the CAPs will be posted on the SBCCOG website around July. Ms. Fuentes noted that a sub-regional South Bay plan was also completed but its methodology is based on CAPCOA in 2012. To supplement the methodology, the SBCCOG developed

strategies that reflect the South Bay's particular development pattern. Strategies include electric vehicles, slow speed lanes, and neighborhood-oriented development and neighborhood electric vehicles.

SBCCOG recently obtained grant funding to add a new Adaptation Chapter to the city CAPS. The project is anticipated to start in September and take 11 months to complete. Ms. Fuentes noted that the program staff will be researching strategies that cities may have already included in policy documents such as Hazard Mitigation Plans, Mobility Plans, etc. and the project staff may be attending the GIS meetings in the future to discuss possible relevant data available through the cities.

- **Fleet inventory tracking:** The Chair inquired as to whether any cities were using or knew of vehicle tracking software that could tie in to vehicle maintenance and use over time. One member mentioned Zonar Systems but it was thought this did not tie into maintenance. It was also suggested that Torrance Transit might use such a program; a contact will be provided. The COG member suggested that the COG might be able to provide a vehicle GPS tracking resource it used in its electric vehicle study.
- The Torrance member reported that Torrance has contracted with CycloMedia to update its street view imagery. To some degree Lidar will be used which will result in more accurate measurements. The imagery will have application in many planning and building tasks and will in many cases eliminate the need for field inspections as the imagery has a very high resolution.
- **Miscellaneous/follow-up:** The Group agreed to cancel the next regular meeting of July 3rd due to the holiday; the next meeting will be August 7. The Torrance member will email the link for its Story Map (to be displayed at the conference) to Kim Fuentes of the SBCCOG.

Volunteer for Goodies Next Meeting - TBD