The purpose of the Washington State Geographic Information Council (WAGIC) is to foster the advancement of the geospatial information infrastructure (data, people, technology and policy) and its use across governmental entities within and around Washington State.

The WAGIC Executives coordinate the following critical efforts within the geospatial community:

- **State GIS Policy & Standards**
- **Geospatial Portal** at geography.wa.gov - Single access point to state geospatial data
- **WA Metadata Clearinghouse** - Site for posting agency required metadata
- **Open Data Bridge at geo.wa.gov** - Publishing site for agency application and data services
- **NEW! State's GIS Strategic Plan**: Expanding Geospatial Collaboration and Transparency, 2015-2019

WAGIC is a membership driven, volunteer organization that consists of federal state local, tribal and private entities. Membership fees are voluntary and provide the following benefits to GIS organizations. To become a member or to learn more about how you can get involved contact the State Geospatial Program Office.

**Meetings**

- **Executive Meetings** are held every other month on the 1st Monday at 3:30 in January, March, May, July, September, November
- **User Meetings** are scheduled the second Thursday, every 4 months from 10 to Noon in February, June and October
- **NSGIC Meeting Attendance** – the WAGIC Chair and the State GIS Coordinator will attend the Mid-Year and Annual Meeting if possible. Attendance cost is capped at $1800/person/meeting

“Together, as a community, we work to produce and share geospatial resources across Washington”