



SOLANO COUNTY ReGIS

June 18, 2025, MEETING MINUTES

1. INTRODUCTIONS – FOR NEW ATTENDEES/GUESTS

Chair Bruce called the regular meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. via MS Teams.

ReGIS Members Present – In Alphabetical Order

- Christopher Ambrose, Solano County
- Rhenia Berning, Solano County
- Kelley Birch, Solano County Office of Education
- Stewart Bruce, Solano County
- Buffy Conrad, Solano County
- Curt Corbett, City of Vacaville
- Gustavo Cruz, Solano County Water Agency
- Nellie Dimalanta, FSSD
- George Goicochea, City of Vallejo
- Jordan Santos, City of Dixon
- Dulce Jimenez, STA
- Sean Justice, City of Vacaville
- Travis Kroger, Solano County
- Alex Lacson, City of Vallejo
- Patrick Mead, Solano County
- Stephen Roehrs, Solano County
- Jean Justice, City of Vacaville
- Connie Warthen, City of Vallejo
- Eric Wilhem, City of Benicia

2. APPROVAL OF MAY 21, 2025, MEETING MINUTES

Motioned by Stewart Bruce and seconded by Connie Warthen.

4. JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS/OPENINGS

ReGIS Member Comments:

- *Stewart Bruce announced that Solano County will be recruiting an IT Manager for Data Service*
- *Alex Lacson announced the Waste Water Treatment Plant will be hiring an IT Manager. <https://www.governmentjobs.com/obs/4947160-0/information-technology-manager>*
- *Gustavo Cruz announced that the Solano County Water Agency will be hiring a Water Resources Technician at the Assistant/Associate/Senior level. They will also be hiring for a part-time watercraft decontaminator.*

3. DISCUSSION

Upcoming GIS Day – November 2025

For this year's GIS Day, there has been discussion of taking on a different approach, instead of holding a conference, there is an opportunity to collaborate with the Solano County Office of Education by reaching out to Middle School students in Solano County and introducing them to GIS.



As part of this conversation, Kelley Birch, from Solano County Office of Education, discussed that there was an opportunity to meet Middle School students during school hours, potentially during their science class. As for High School students, there may be an opportunity through a “Trade Talk” event, where staff from various fields are invited to discuss their profession.

Discussion on ReGIS Website Review

The Executive Committee is interested in surveying ReGIS members to gather feedback on the ReGIS website.

ReGIS Member Survey

The Executive Committee is interested in surveying ReGIS members to gather feedback to see how ReGIS members’ priorities have shifted.

ReGIS Member Comments:

- *Curt Corbertt – suggested adding a question to see how improvements have been implemented over time.*
- *Nellie Dimalanta – suggested including a question that gathers information on priority projects of ReGIS members.*
- *Gustavo Cruz - suggested adding a question on how to increase participation in the organization.*
- *Buffy Conrad – interested in having a maturity model and seeing each agency's priorities.*
- *Alex Lacson – interested in seeing how the quality of data has changed, and how to enhance data sharing and integration into the Solano County GIS portal.*

4. UPCOMING AGENDA TOPICS

July 2025

- **Cancel Meeting – ESRI Conference**

6. ADJOURNMENT