GAA-SC Fall Event Program Agenda

Wednesday, November 10th, 2021

9:30 – 9:45 AM Opening Remarks

Kathleen Brenkert, GAA-SC President, GIS Director for the City of North Charleston

9:45 – 10:45 AM NG911 Panel

Alan Rickenbaker, GIS Manager, Lexington County Terri Waddell, Geoservices Senior Analyst, Aiken County

Panel discussion on the successes, challenges, and pain points that have arisen throughout the process of the NG911 implementation across local jurisdictions within South Carolina.

10:45 – 11:00 AM Break

11:00 – 12:00 PM GAA Membership Round Table

Daniel Morgan, Director of Mapping and Applications, Beaufort County Member round table giving each GAASC organization members the opportunity to introduce themselves and discuss topics of interest.

12:00 – 1:00 PM Lunch

1:00 – 2:00 PM IT Security Panel

Frank Bishop, IT Director, Aiken County Jamie Beckham, IT Director, City of Cayce

Panel discussion on security issues faced by local jurisdictions across the state. Topics covered: multifactor authentication, spear-phishing campaigns, achieving security awareness buy-in from factors within your organization, etc.

2:00 – 2:15 PM Break

2:15 – 3:15 PM The Slim GIM Model Assessment Project

Bob Hawks, GIS Analyst/Technician, City of Cayce

Update of the ongoing Slim GIM Capability Maturity Model assessment project. This model is a type of self-assessment giving insight into the strengths and weaknesses of a jurisdiction, as well as where it has the greatest chances of improvement. The model is currently being assessed across a broad range of jurisdictions in South Carolina. Once completed, the results of the project will be provided as guidelines and best practices for the state and beyond.

3:15 – 3:30 PM Closing Remarks