

**Butte GIS Working Group
Meeting Notes
May 14, 2024**



Attendees:

Darren Inks, Chico State
Kirk Anderson, Chico State
Cole Morales, Chico State
Spencer Mallinger, CalFire
Nick Burtman, CalFire
Leroy Christopherson, City of Chico
Kelly Allen, City of Chico
Brad Pierce, City of Chico
Bill Allen, Butte County GIS
Stephen Jackson, Butte County Public Works
Doug Sutherland, Butte County Public Works
Zachary Meisel, Butte County Public Works
Faith Churchill, Butte County RCD
Hunter Foor, Town of Paradise
Brian Lasagna, BCAG

Meeting Summary

City/County/Agency GIS Programs

Chico State –

- Continued data maintenance and support for BCAG
- Paradise Park & Recreation District trail mapping
- Annual regional GIS datasets update in-progress
- Providing GIS support for surrounding areas (Tehama, Siskiyou, City of Orland)
- Cole Morales (Tribal Liaison) is working with tribes in the region on implementation of GIS.

City of Chico –

- Brad Pierce will be retiring this year
- Transition to Enterprise still in-progress
- Developing mobile apps
- Right-of-Way project nearing completion
- Implementing live updates to Web Maps

CalFire –

- Fire Hazard Severity Zones have been finalized and are available online
- Local Response Areas update in-progress and estimated complete in 12 months
- Direct Protection Areas updates in progress throughout Butte County
- Pre-Fire Planning maps are completed in hard-copy and will be transitioned to digital

- Community Wildfire Protection Plan update is in-progress, RCD assisting with fuel reduction project inventory
- Hydrants map published to engines – need to validate information

Butte County GIS Division –

- Updating and verifying Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) data for dispatch
- Assisting public works with data updates
- Accela migration in-progress
- Experience Builder transition in-progress.
- Continuing work with parcel updates

Butte County Public Works –

- Involved in evacuation routing
- Completing annual lane mileage updates for state reporting
- Public Health Dept has staff which will be trained in GIS
- Historic roads records to be cataloged and linked in GIS
- Developing public facing map for Butte Utility Council
- Continues development of forward-facing map for capital projects

Butte County Resource Conservation District –

- Continued collecting data for Forest Health map
- Implementing Survey 1-2-3 for data collection

BCAG –

- On-going annual regional datasets update with Chico State
- Working on tracking of local development projects
- Continued work on Land Use Allocation model for 2024 Regional Transportation Plan

CGIA Community Council (aka CA GIS Council)

The council last met in March 2024. Meeting notes linked below.

<https://cgia.org/cagiscouncil/wp-content/uploads/2024/04/March-2024-Meeting-Notes-CGIA-Community-Council.docx.pdf>

The next Butte County GIS Working Group meeting is scheduled for **August 13th, 2024. The meeting will be hybrid, taking place in person and via Teams. Agenda and meeting details will be sent out a week prior.**