



# Plenary Session

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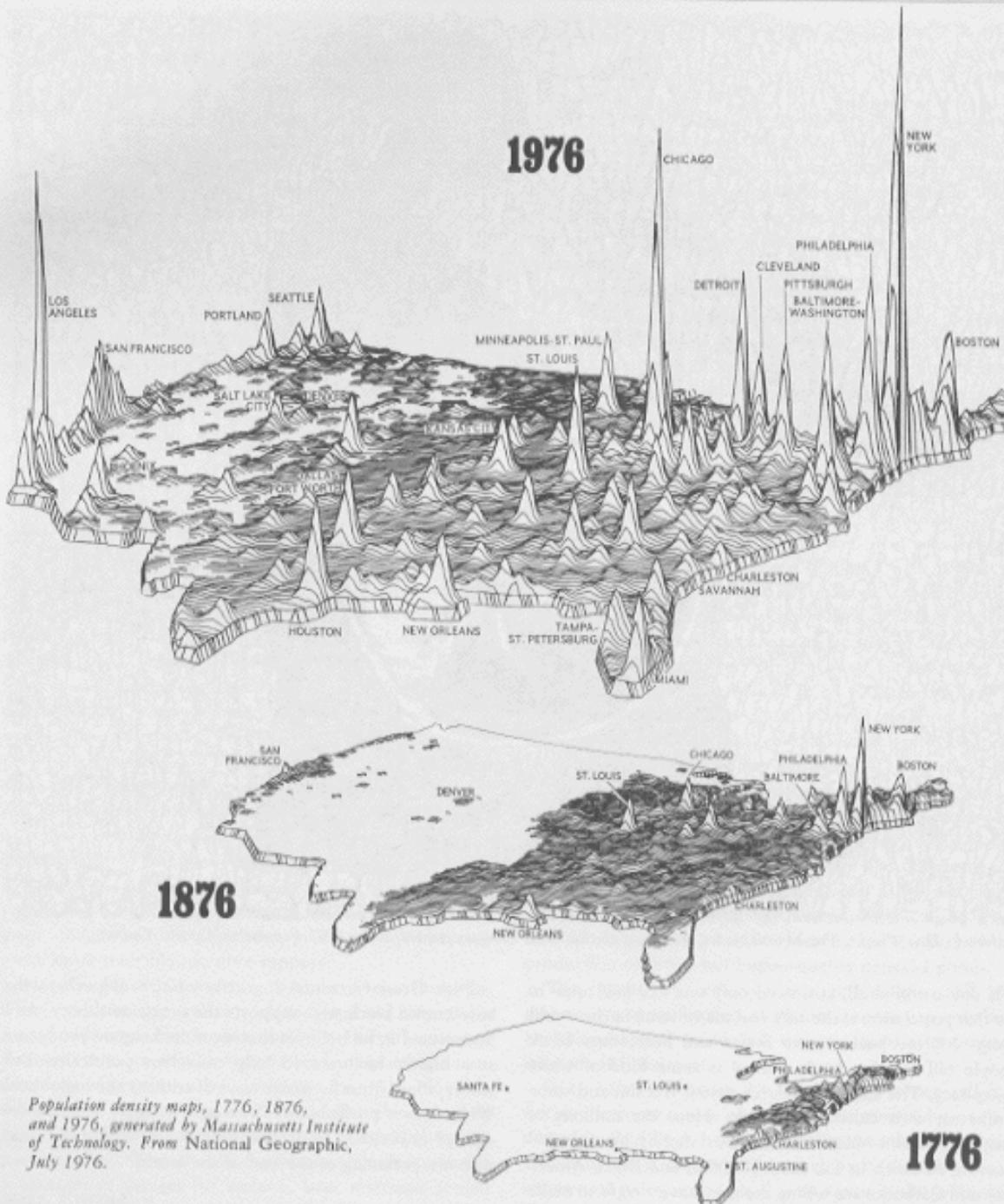
# GIS: More Than a Map - *Better Decisions in the Front Office*

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*ESRI*

*Wyoming Governor 1995-2003*



# U.S. population density in 1776, 1876, and 1976



Population density maps, 1776, 1876, and 1976, generated by Massachusetts Institute of Technology. From National Geographic, July 1976.



**Society for Keeping Everybody  
East of the Mississippi (SKEEM)**

**Community:  
A Sense of  
Place**

**The Power of  
a Picture**

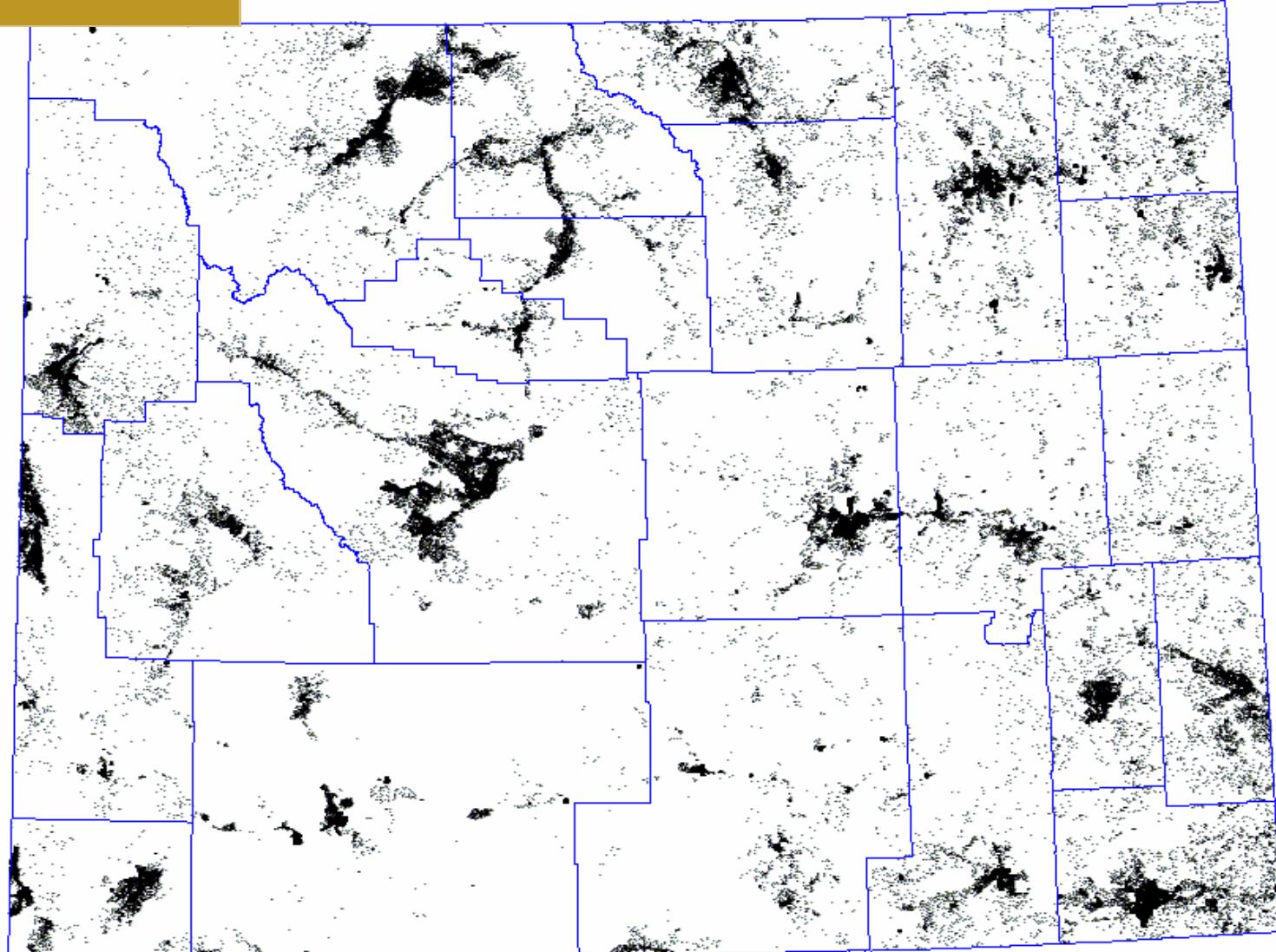


NATIONAL AERONAUTICS  
AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION

**High Altitudes,  
low multitudes,  
great attitudes!**

# Wyoming 1990 Population

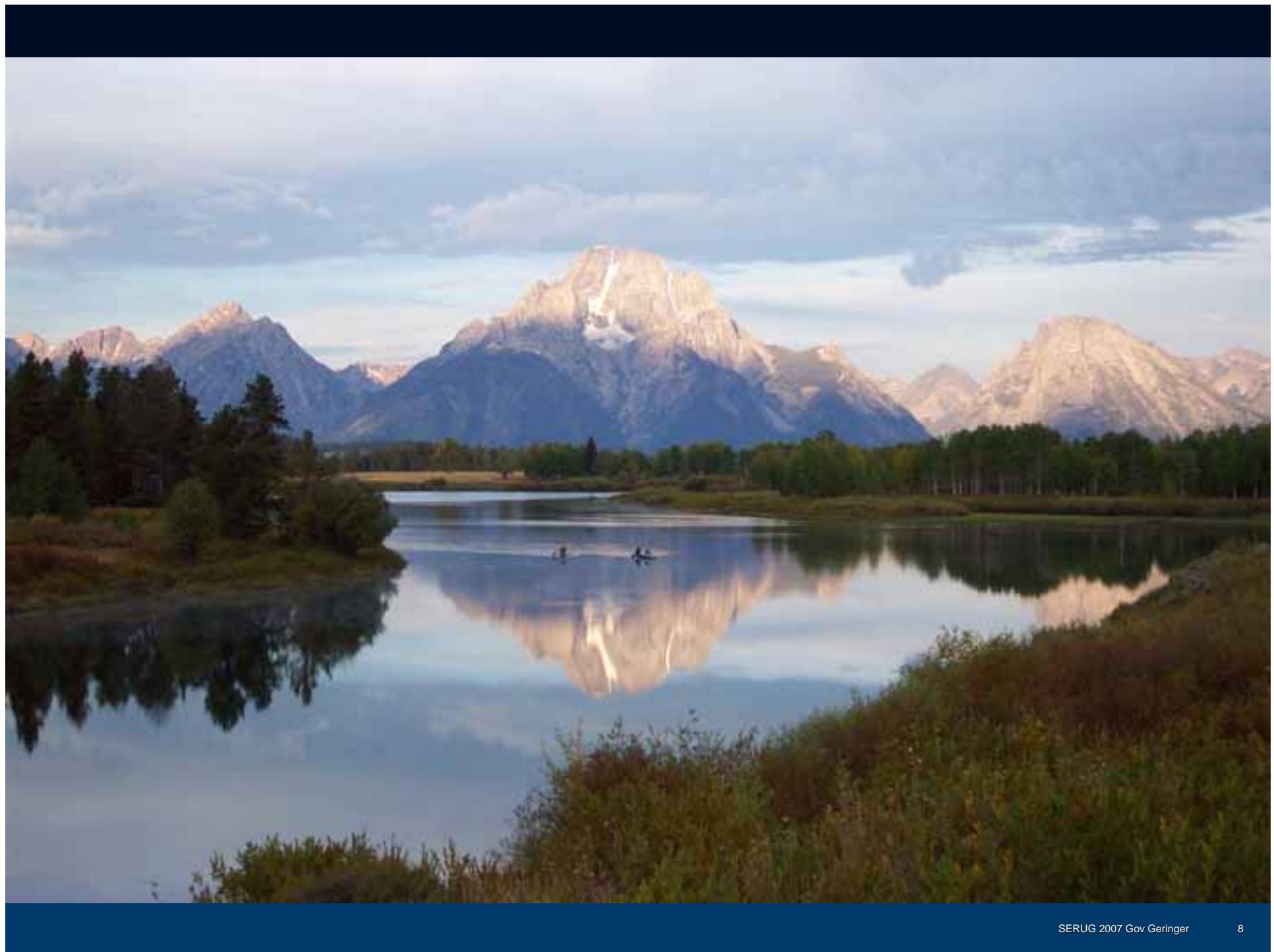
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**Katherine Abbey Hanna Park**  
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# *Fly Fishing in Wyoming*

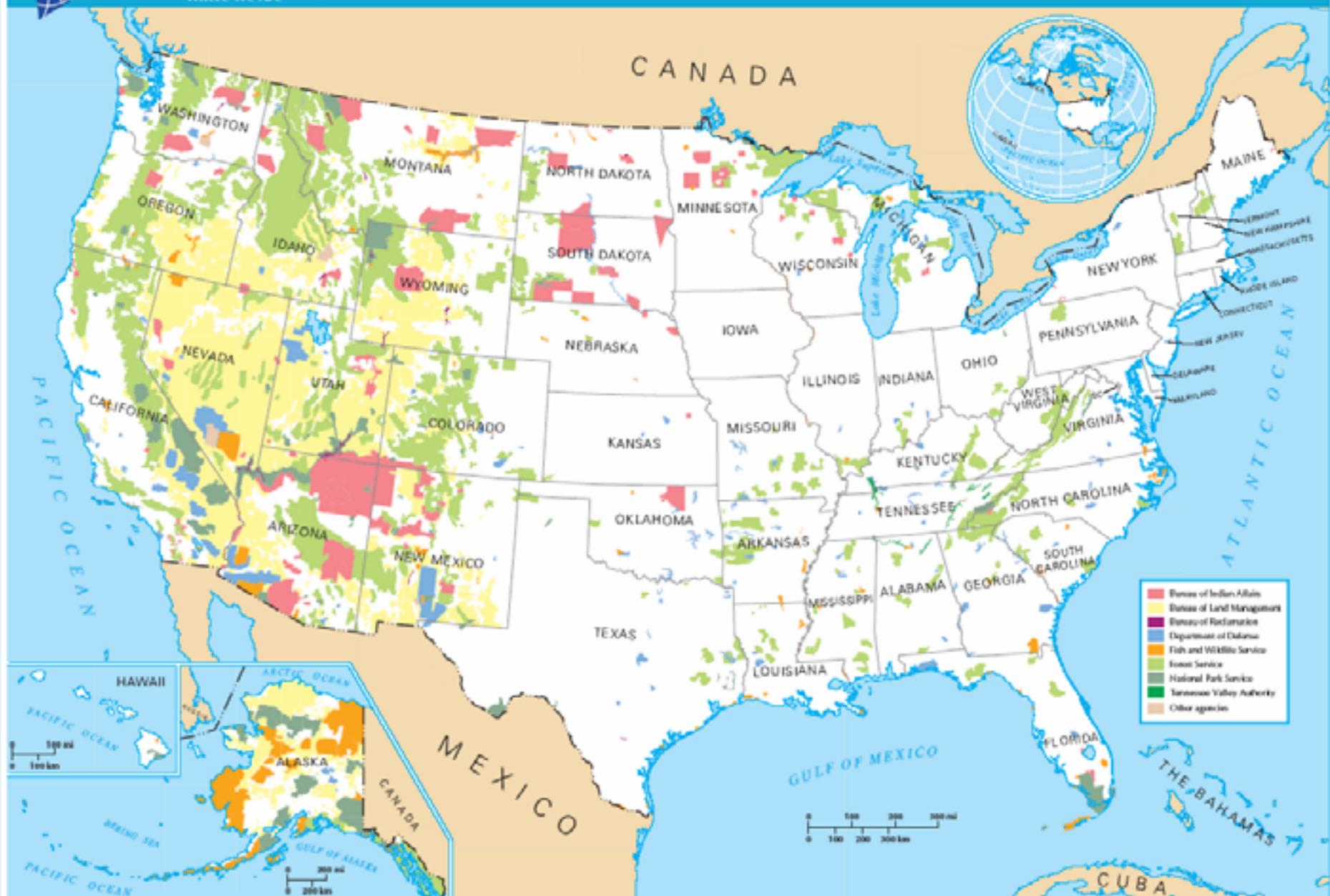


Monte Draper / The Pioneer

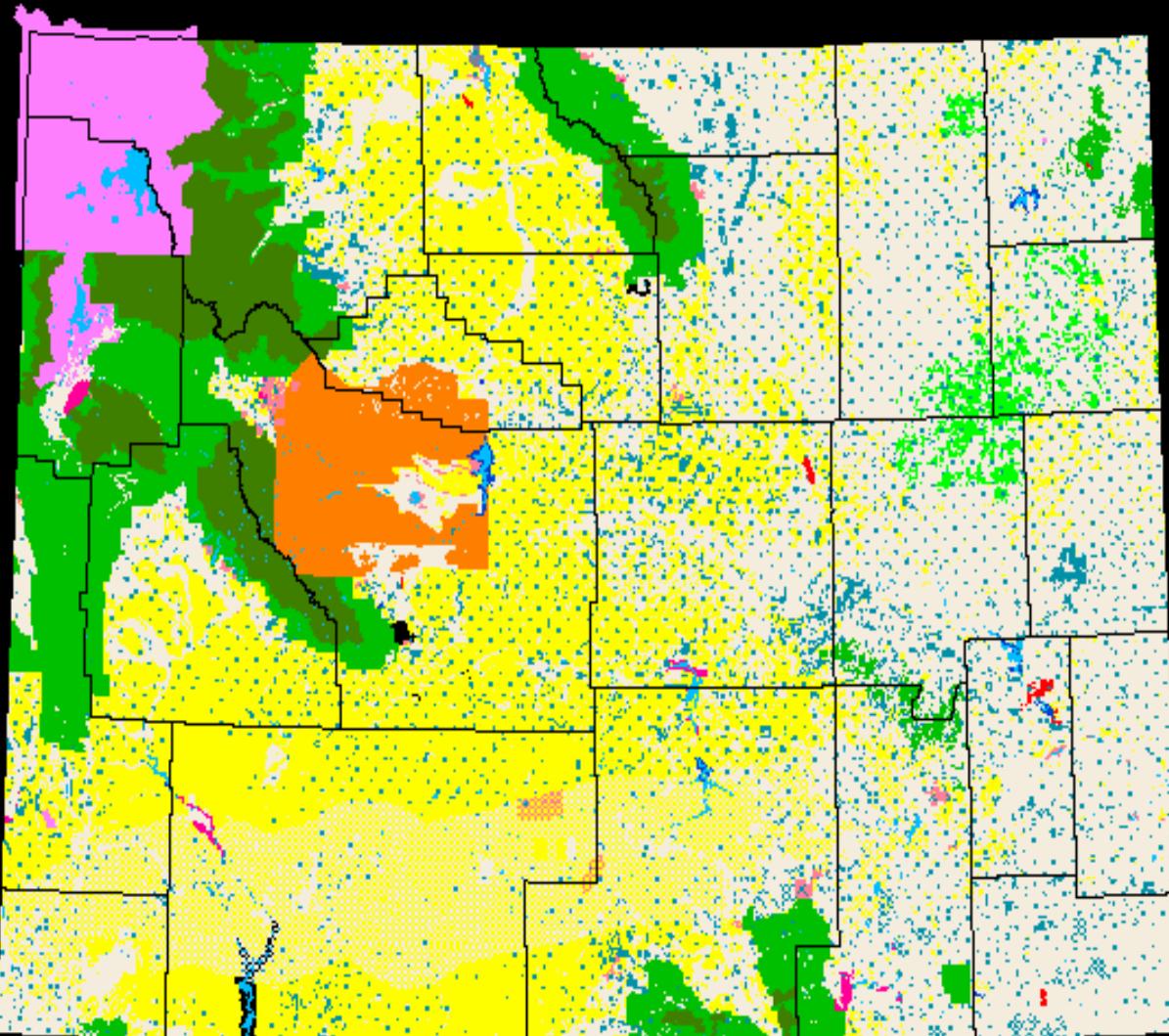


# Why Would a Governor Become Involved with Information Technology, especially GIS?

- The Technology is not the attraction
- Decisions made and problems solved *through* technology are the attraction
- Democratization of Information



# We needed a common framework Wyoming has 15 Types of Owners



- National Wildlife Refuge
- National Park
- National Recreation Area
- USFS Forest
- USFS Wilderness
- USFS Grassland
- USFS Research Area
- Bureau of Land Management
- Department of Defense
- Indian Reservation
- State Trust Land
- State Park
- State Habitat Area
- Nature Conservancy Preserve
- Private
- Open water

## The Gathering Spot

- Local, State and Federal agencies in Wyoming engaged in very few interactive meetings
- SOLUTION: Invite folks to the ***Governor's Kitchen Table*** - every spring
- Began data sharing agreements that were precursor of collaborative solutions to contentious issues

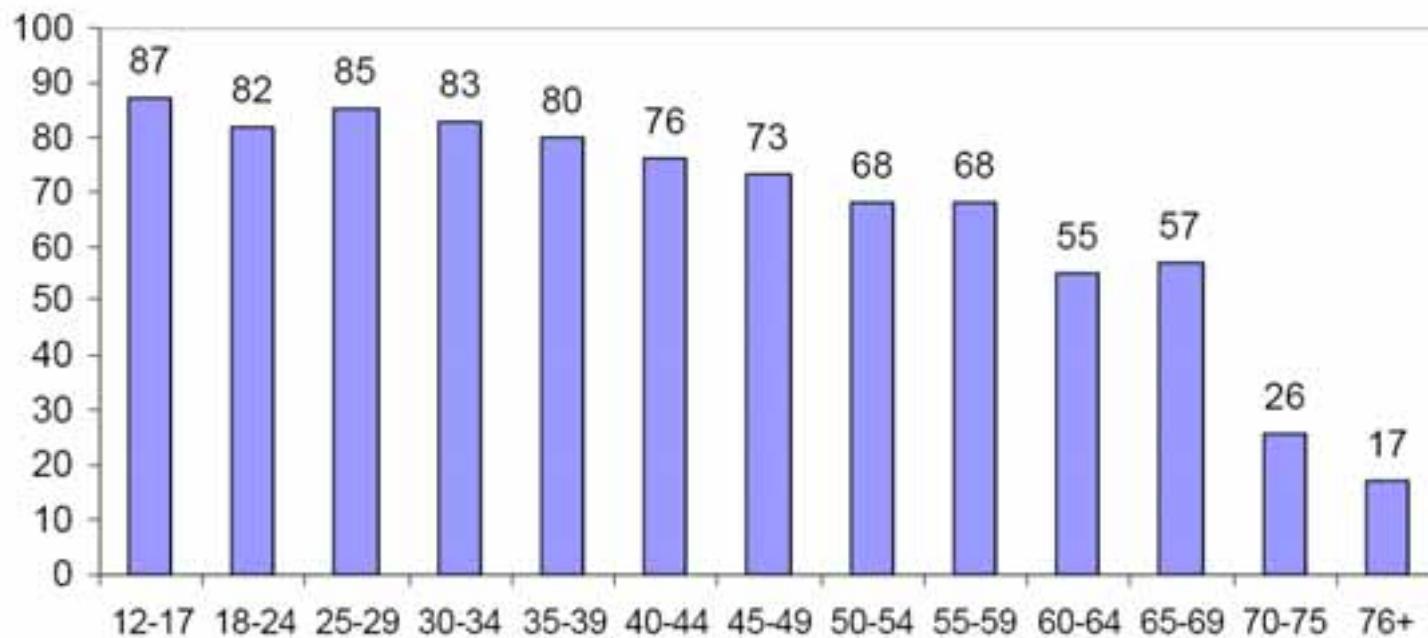


## ***Today's Thoughts...***

- **My perspective, first as Governor, now as part of the geospatial community.**
- **We are a location aware society**
- **Geographic Information Systems for better decisions**
  - Evolution from expensive, hard to access systems to today
- **GIS examples**
  - for Decision Making
  - for everyday activities
- **Information Integration**
  - Collaboration, planning
- **Ten Minutes at the Top**
- **What's Next?**
  - Web services

## Expectations...

## Increasingly Connected Constituency Through a Digital Location-Aware Lifestyle



### Share of Americans online by age

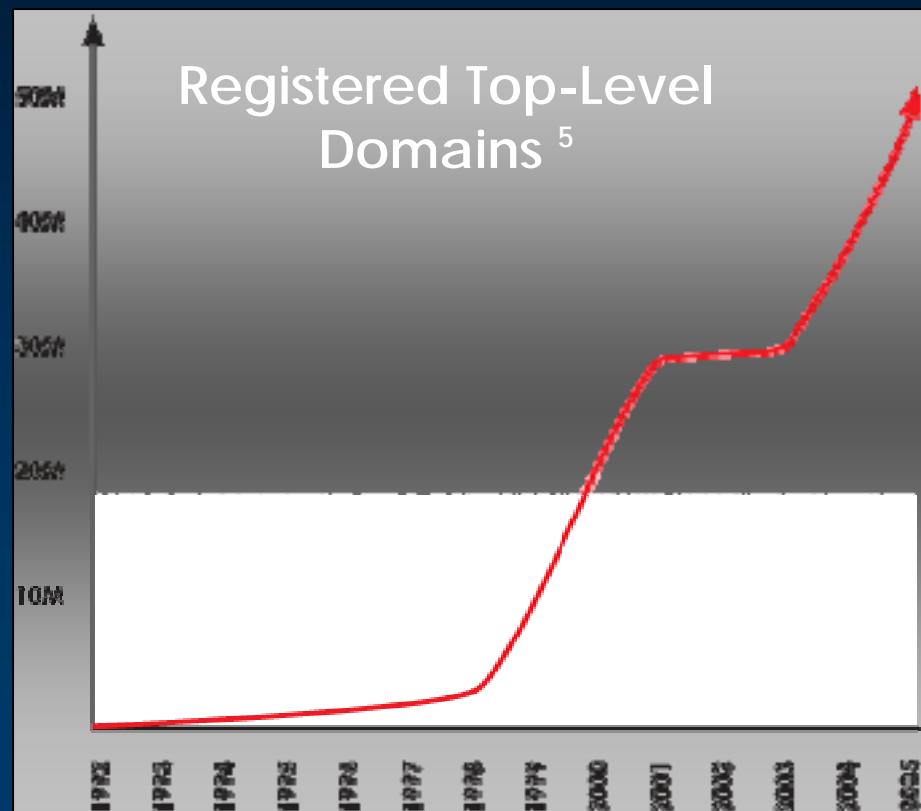
(Teens Oct-Nov. 2004, margin of error =  $\pm 3\%$ . Adults Jan-June 2005, margin of error =  $\pm 1\%$ .)

[http://www.pewinternet.org/pdfs/PIP\\_Generations\\_Memo.pdf](http://www.pewinternet.org/pdfs/PIP_Generations_Memo.pdf)

## The Internet Today

- **1 Billion Internet users, worldwide<sup>1</sup>**
- **Total 2004 online retail sales of \$200 Billion<sup>2</sup>**
- **In the US, half of all online households now have broadband connections<sup>3</sup>**
- **\$16.5 Billion spent on online advertising in 2005<sup>4</sup>**

- Only 50 web Sites in 1992
- WWW Approved for Open Access in April 1993



sources: <sup>1</sup>ETForecasts, <sup>2-3</sup>eMarketer, <sup>4</sup>Jupiter, <sup>5</sup>Zooknic Inc.

# Internet Usage Statistics for the Americas

## INTERNET USERS AND POPULATION STATS FOR THE AMERICAS

<u>AMERICA</u>	Population ( 2006 Est. )	% Pop. America	Internet Users, Latest Data	% Population ( Penetration )	% Usage America	Use Growth ( 2000- 2005 )
<a href="#">Central America</a>	144,550,714	16.3 %	21,713,600	15.0 %	6.9 %	574.9 %
<a href="#">South America</a>	370,118,282	41.8 %	57,154,900	15.4 %	18.3 %	299.9 %
<a href="#">The Caribbean</a>	39,239,636	4.4 %	4,499,709	11.5 %	1.4 %	704.4 %
<b>SUB-TOTAL</b>	553,908,632	62.6 %	83,368,209	15.1 %	26.7 %	361.4 %
<a href="#">North America</a>	331,473,276	37.4 %	229,138,706	69.1 %	73.3 %	112.0 %
<b>TOTAL AMERICAS</b>	885,381,908	100.0 %	312,506,915	35.3 %	100.0 %	147.7 %

NOTES: (1) Internet Usage and Population Statistics for North America were updated for Sept. 18, 2006. (2) Population numbers are based on data contained in [world gazetteer](#). (3) The most recent usage comes mainly from data published by [Nielsen//NetRatings](#), by [ITU](#), and other local sources. (4) Data on this site may be cited, giving due credit and establishing an active link back to [Internet World Stats](#) © Copyright 2006, Miniwatts Marketing Group. All rights reserved.

## NORTH AMERICA INTERNET USERS AND POPULATION STATS

<u>NORTHERN AMERICA</u>	Population ( 2006 Est. )	% Pop. of World	Internet Users, Latest Data	% Population ( Penetration )	% Usage of World	Use Growth ( 2000- 2006 )
<a href="#">North America Only</a>	331,473,276	5.1 %	229,138,706	69.1 %	21.1 %	112.0 %
<a href="#">Rest of the World</a>	6,168,223,784	94.9 %	857,112,197	13.9 %	78.9 %	238.9 %
<b>WORLD TOTAL</b>	6,499,697,060	100.0 %	1,086,250,903	16.7 %	100.0 %	200.9 %

HIGHEST INTERNET PENETRATION RATE					
#	Country or Region	Penetration (% Population)	Internet Users Latest Data	Population (2006 Est.)	Source and Date of Latest Data
1	Iceland	86.8 %	258,000	297,072	ITU - Sept/06
2	New Zealand	76.3 %	3,200,000	4,195,729	ITU - Sept/05
3	Sweden	74.9 %	6,800,000	9,076,757	ITU - Sept/06
4	Portugal	74.1 %	7,782,760	10,501,051	IWS - Sept/06
5	Australia	70.7 %	14,663,622	20,750,052	Nielsen/NR - Aug/06
6	Falkland Islands	70.4 %	1,900	2,699	CIA - Dec/02
7	Denmark	69.4 %	3,762,500	5,425,373	ITU - Sept/05
8	United States	69.3 %	207,161,706	299,093,237	Nielsen/NR - Aug/06
9	Hong Kong (China)	69.2 %	4,878,713	7,054,867	Nielsen/NR - Feb/05
10	Luxembourg	68.6 %	315,000	459,393	ITU - Sept/06
11	Switzerland	68.1 %	5,097,822	7,488,533	Nielsen/NR - Aug/06
12	Canada	67.9 %	21,900,000	32,251,238	eTForecasts Dec/05
13	Norway	67.8 %	3,140,000	4,632,911	C+I+A - Mar/05
14	Singapore	67.2 %	2,421,800	3,601,745	ITU - Sept/05
15	Japan	67.2 %	86,300,000	128,389,000	eTForecast Dec/05
16	Korea, South	67.0 %	33,900,000	50,633,265	eTForecast Dec/05
17	Greenland	66.5 %	38,000	57,185	ITU - Sept/05
18	Faroe Islands	66.5 %	33,000	49,598	ITU - Sept/06
19	Netherlands	65.9 %	10,806,328	16,386,216	Nielsen/NR - Jun/04
20	United Kingdom	62.5 %	37,600,000	60,139,274	ITU - Sept/06
21	Finland	62.5 %	3,286,000	5,260,970	ITU - Sept/05
22	Germany	61.3 %	50,616,207	82,515,988	Nielsen/NR - Aug/06
23	Bermuda	60.7 %	39,000	64,211	ITU - Sept/05
24	Taiwan	60.3 %	13,800,000	22,896,488	C+I+A - Mar/05
25	Barbados	60.0 %	160,000	266,731	ITU - Sept/06

<http://www.internetworldstats.com/top25.htm>

# Youth, Technology and the Social Networking Phenomenon

# MySpace



# YouTube

# loop

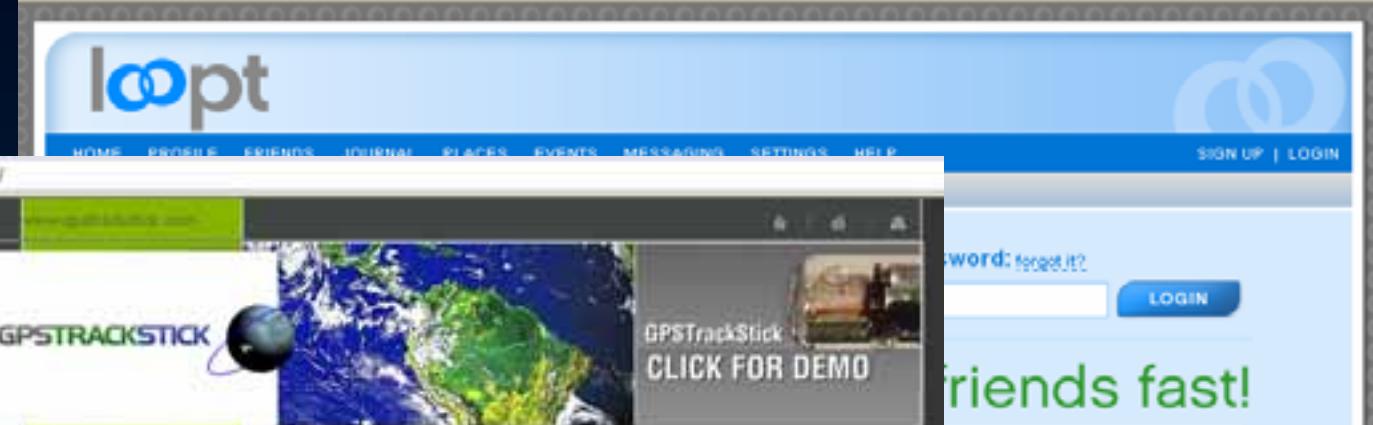
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GPSTRACKSTICK

GPSTRACKSTICK CLICK FOR DEMO

word:

friends fast!



http://trackstick.com - TrackStick HTML - Microsoft Internet Explorer

GPS Track Stick is Utilizing Global Positioning System (GPS) technology. The track stick will automatically log the unit's location in pre-set intervals. The unit can be used anywhere on planet earth. The Track Stick is a USB 1.1 compliant device that allows you to download data onto your computer. The Track Stick includes integrated software that allows you to view your data in a variety of ways. The software is amazing! Data can be exported to Microsoft EXCEL, Google Earth KML, and GPX. The software also records the following parameters: Date, Time, Latitude, Longitude, Speed, Altitude, and Heading. If the unit stopped and started again, the software will automatically calculate the direction of travel (N, S, E, W) and the strength of the signal. Settings with the software are very easy and adjustable. When integrated with the software, the Track Stick gives the user an easy way to see where the device has been.

The GPS Track Stick device works with any mobile phone (within 15 meters) that has GPS tracking capability. The track stick has been designed to be a GPS tracking device and does not require a GPS logging device and does not require a GPS receiver.

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## ***Ever Increasing Public Expectations – Infinite Demand, Finite Resources***

- I have a computer, PDA, Cell Phone, I-Pod....
- I'm on line. What else can I do? Connect with my government - information, networking, blogging
- Greater awareness, transparency
- Government can no longer hold power through the hierarchical control of information, knowledge
- People today expect to have access to information wherever they are
- Location-aware equipment
- Location savvy citizens
- Trend is ever more toward web-based, easy to use applications
- Enabled with mobile and server based systems

# Connecting Anywhere, Anytime...



# *What Is a GIS?*

- Can you explain GIS to your mother?
- Your teenager?
- Your spouse?
- Your Governor?

## *The Power of a Picture – Geographic Information Systems (GIS) for Policy: More Than a Map*

- GIS provides a *simple way to grasp very complex issues in context*
- GIS engages through *visualization, which leads to Analysis and Modeling*
- To Understand
  - Patterns
  - Relationships
  - Processes
- Enabling
  - Options and Plans
  - Decisions & action at any level, by anyone, in the context of Place

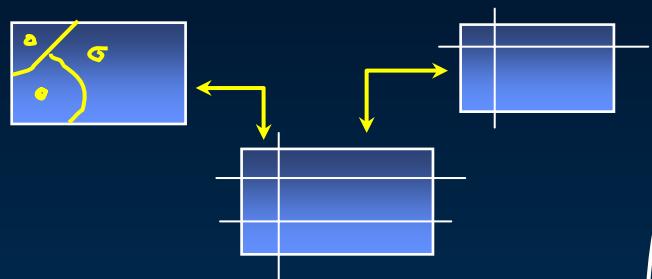


# ***Geographic Information Systems: More than a Map***

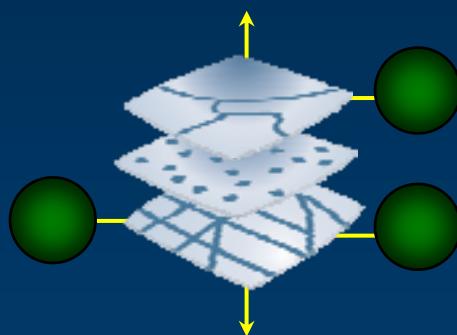
- GIS is pushing beyond mapping and management of geographic space to spatial collaboration, reasoning, dialogue, comprehensive planning and decision support
- GIS has transformed the way we capture, analyze, and use data
- Just as remote sensing led to a **global** view, GIS leads to an **integrated** perspective

# A Language for Decision Support

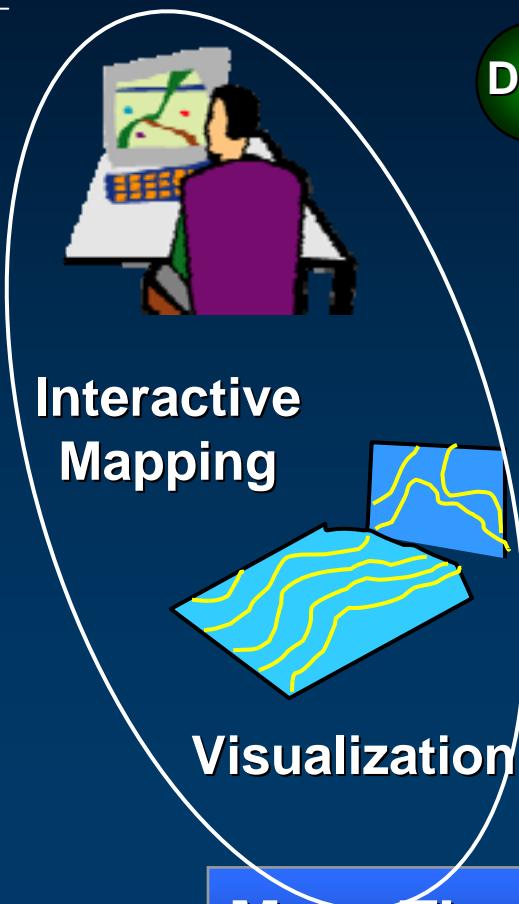
*Policy Options Against Which Values Can Be Evaluated*



**Complex Data Modeling**



**Integrating Data**



**More Than a Map**



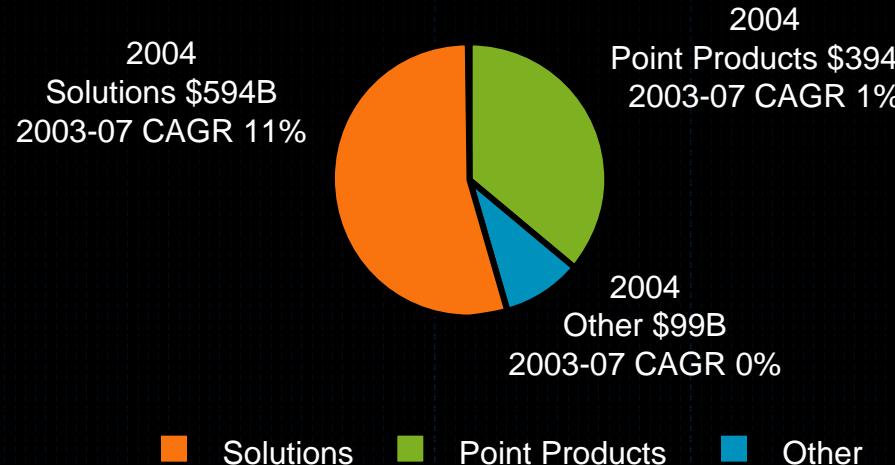
**Geoprocessing**



**Analysis & Modeling**

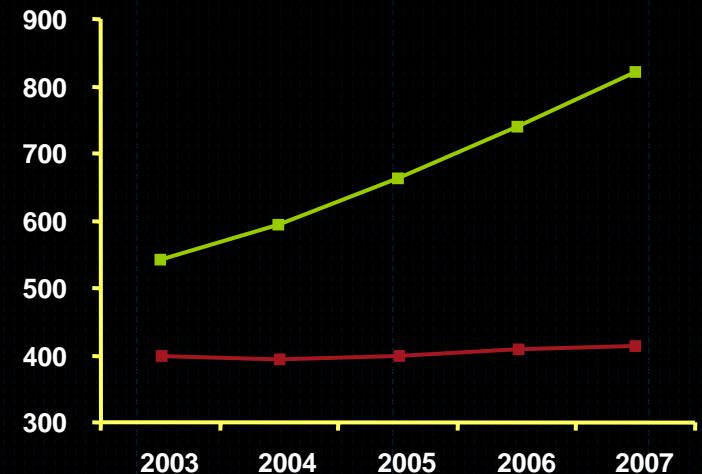
# Develop solutions, not just stuff

**64% of IT dollars are spent on solutions ...**



Source: IBM Market Intelligence, Solutions Market View 1H2004

**... and solutions are growing faster than the rest of the market**



- Customers are placing value on efficient deployment that solves business issues
- Solutions must create value beyond the sum of the parts, involve customization & integration beyond mere bundles, and contain expertise (i.e., knowledge-based service) within the offering

# Remote Sensing, Information Technology, Geography, and GIS

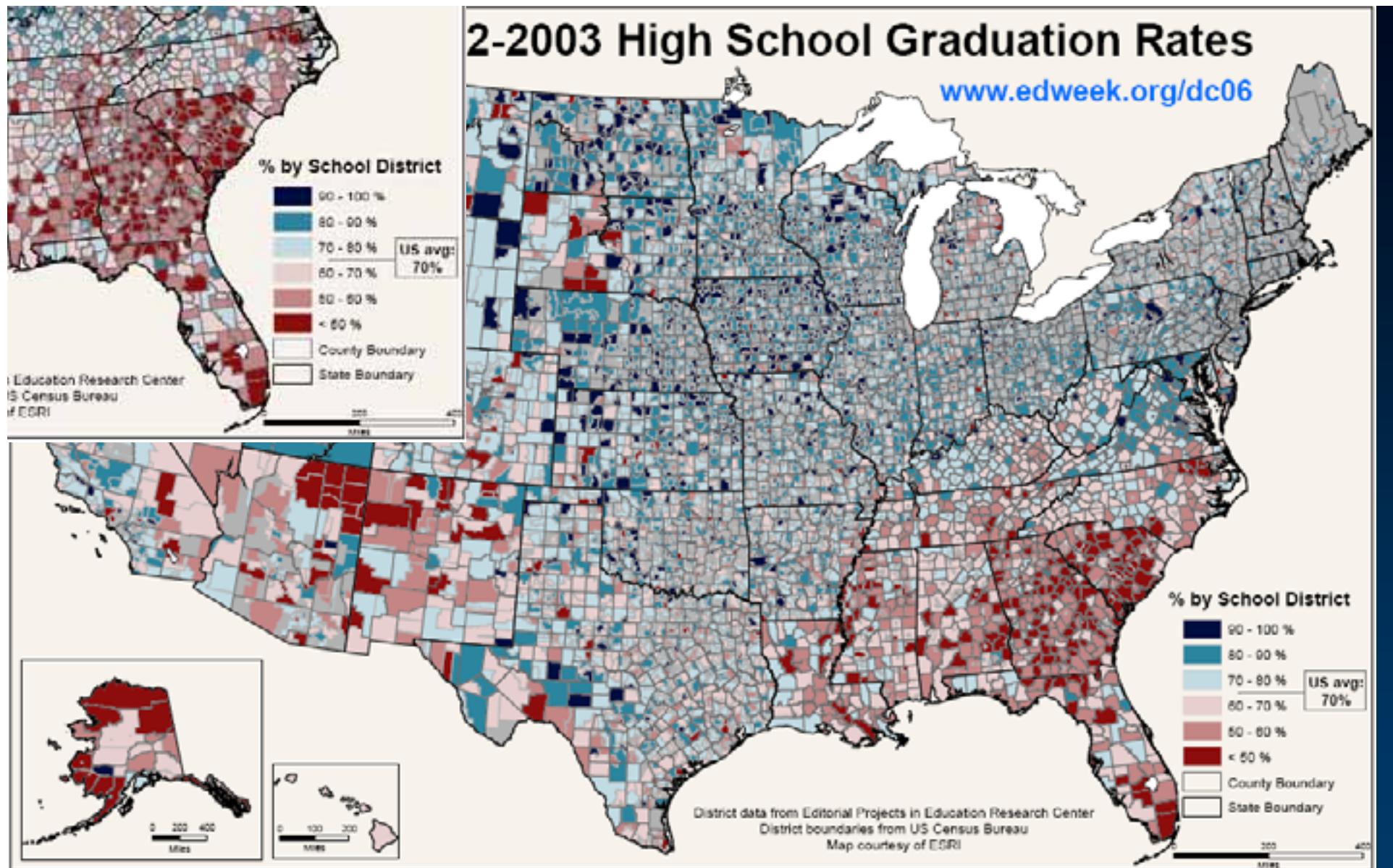
***When Integrated - They Become Knowledge, To Enable Decisions  
They are Inter-dependent, They Let Us Visualize Inter-relationships***

- Technology
- Methods
- Organization (People)
- Data
- Processes
- Plans



## 2-2003 High School Graduation Rates

[www.edweek.org/dc06](http://www.edweek.org/dc06)



[http://www.edweek.org/media/ew/dc/2006/usmap\\_districts.pdf](http://www.edweek.org/media/ew/dc/2006/usmap_districts.pdf)

**Step 1 -  
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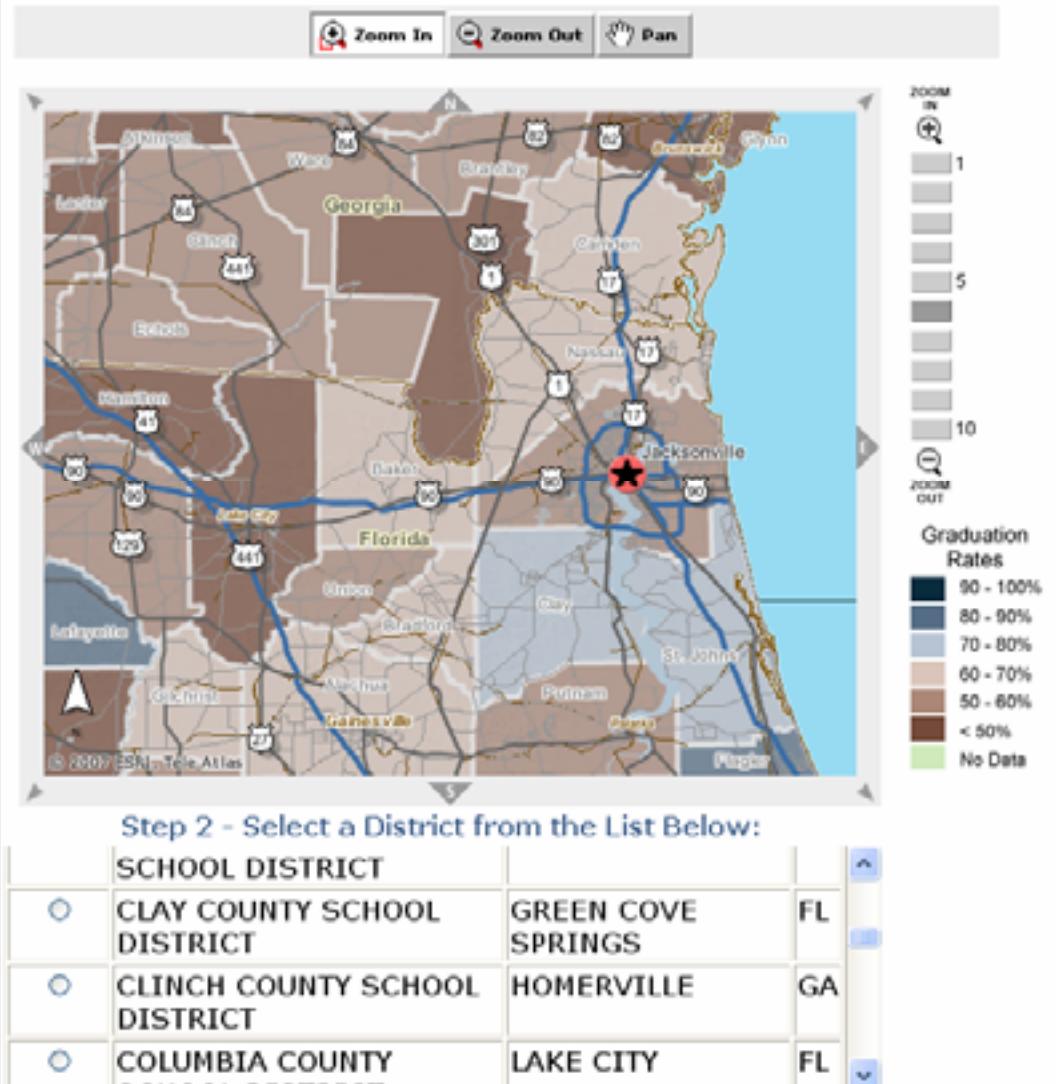
Street Address: (optional)

City, State and/or ZIP:

Jacksonville, FL

[Get Map](#) [Clear Address](#)**Step 2 -**  
Select a District when a list is  
available below the Map.  
District lists start at Zoom  
Level 6.

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[Zoom to Selected](#)**Step 3 -**  
Click the button below for a PDF  
District Report:[Get District Report](#)School district boundary files extracted  
from US Census Bureau 2004 First  
Edition TIGER/Line Fileswith the current map, you can  
[Print](#) [Link](#) [Save](#) [Open](#)

## DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT - Graduation Report

## Education System Profile

Local Education Agency:  
DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT  
JACKSONVILLE, FL

State Education Agency  
Florida Department of Education  
[wwwfldoe.org](http://wwwfldoe.org)

## Vital Statistics - K-12 Public Education District

Schools	181
Students	128,126
Teachers	6,764
Student-Teacher Ratio	18.9

## Student Demographics District

Race/Ethnicity (%)	
American Indian/Alaska Native	0.1
Asian/Pacific Islander	2.9
Hispanic	4.3
Black (not Hispanic)	43.7
White (not Hispanic)	48.8

## Students Eligible for Free or Reduced Lunch

## English Language Learners

## Special Education

## Segregation Levels District

Levels of segregation are measured using an index that can have values ranging from 0 to 1. A value of 1 indicates the highest possible level of segregation.

Segregation based on race-ethnicity 0.62

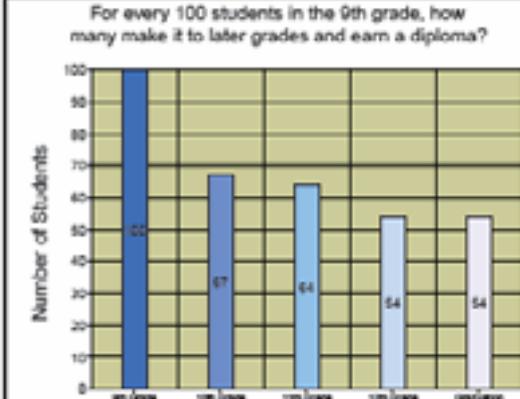
Segregation based on socio-economic status 0.57

## DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT - Graduation Report

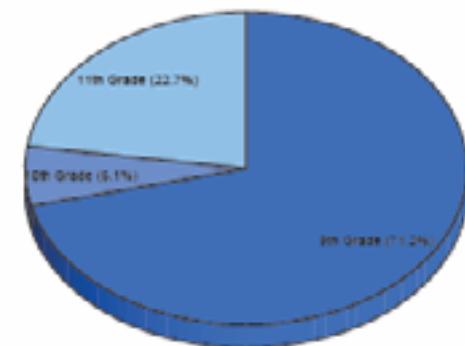
## The High School PipeLine

The Cumulative Promotion Index (CPI) method of calculating graduation rates can be used to examine the high school pipeline. That is, we can estimate the numbers of students who fall off track for earning a diploma at various points between the 9th grade and the expected time of graduation.

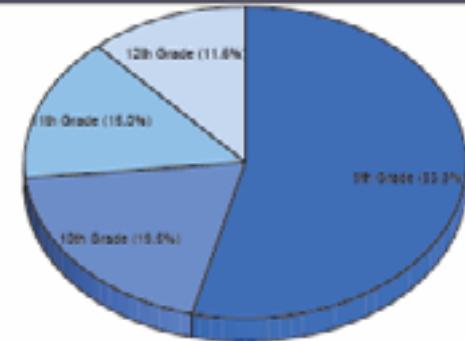
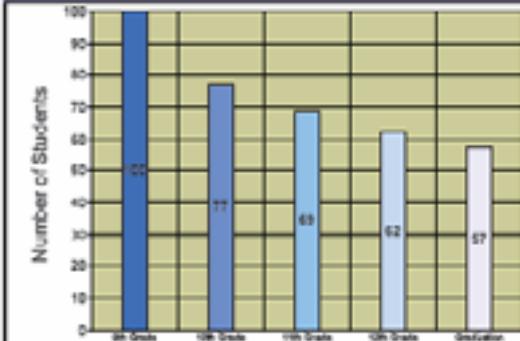
## DUVAL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT



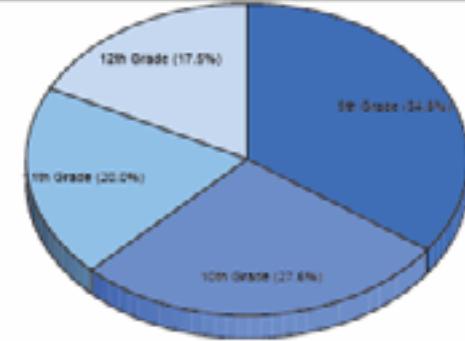
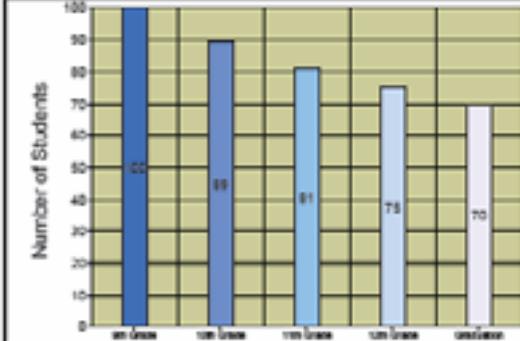
Where are students lost?



## Florida



## Nation





**Big Turnaround Complex, Sweat Farm Road  
Georgia Wildfires, April 2007  
MODIS Imagery**



Large incident map is updated on Fridays or as fire conditions warrant.  
Fire locations are based on data provided by the National Interagency Fire Center and are subject to change.  
Move your mouse over the fire indicators or click to see additional information (popups required).

## Large Incidents - April 30, 2007



- Wildland Fire - IMT1
- Wildland Fire - IMT2
- Wildland Fire - Other
- WTU Fire

JUNEBERRY	REINER	ROUNDABOUT	FISAR
VALLEY	CANDY KILLER	BIG TURNAROUND COMPLEX	TOPSAIL TOWER
STAR	POTATO HILL	SWEAT FARM ROAD	
BENVILLE	PIONEER	KNEE KNOCKER SWAMP	
HAMRE	BARAGA BUMP	PINNACLE	
THE PITT	TWO SIDED	BURNS LAKE	

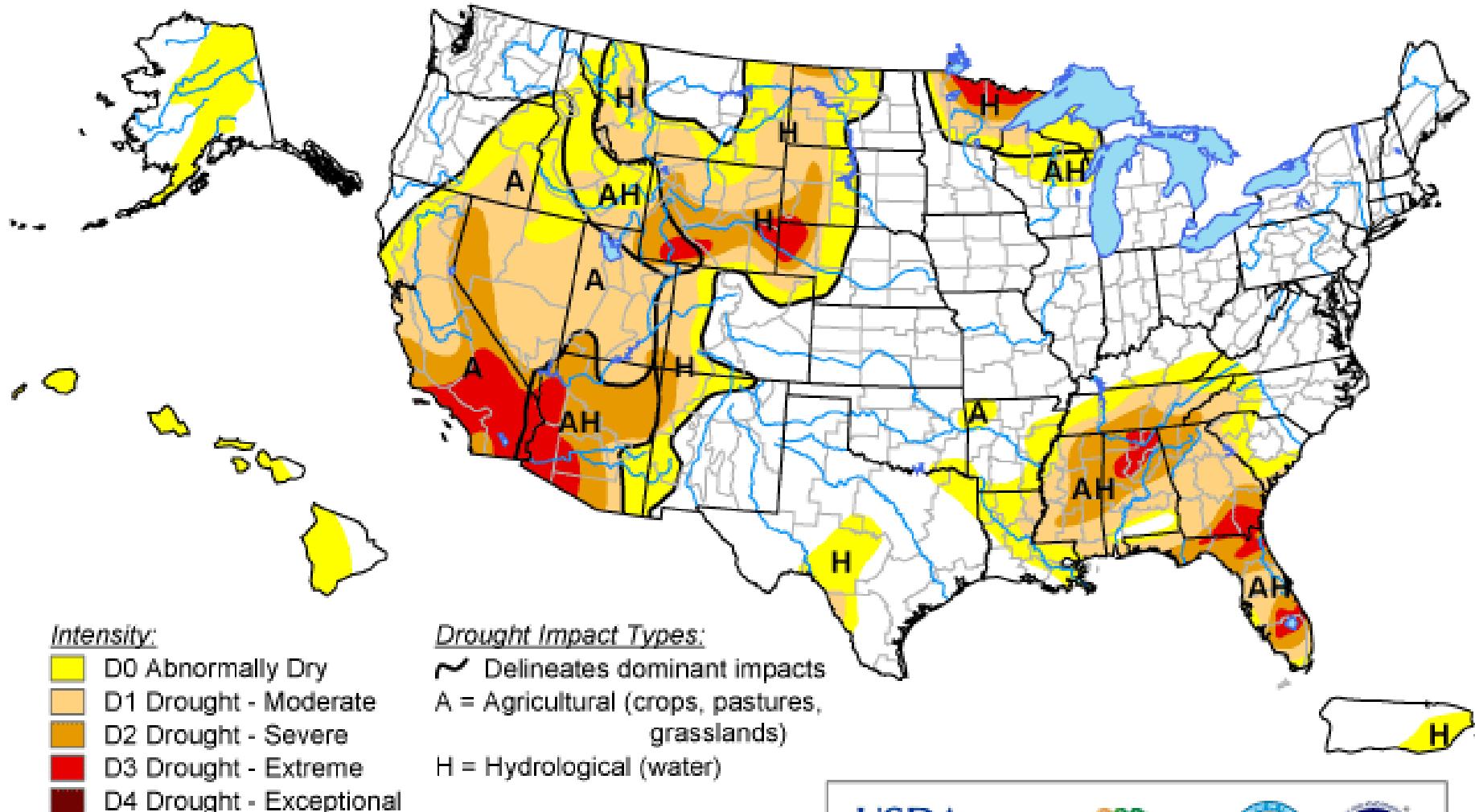
[View Printable Map](#)[View High Res Map](#)[Definition of Map Terms](#)

Select a Fire

Go

# U.S. Drought Monitor

April 24, 2007  
Valid 8 a.m. EDT



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions.  
Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary  
for forecast statements.

<http://drought.unl.edu/dm>

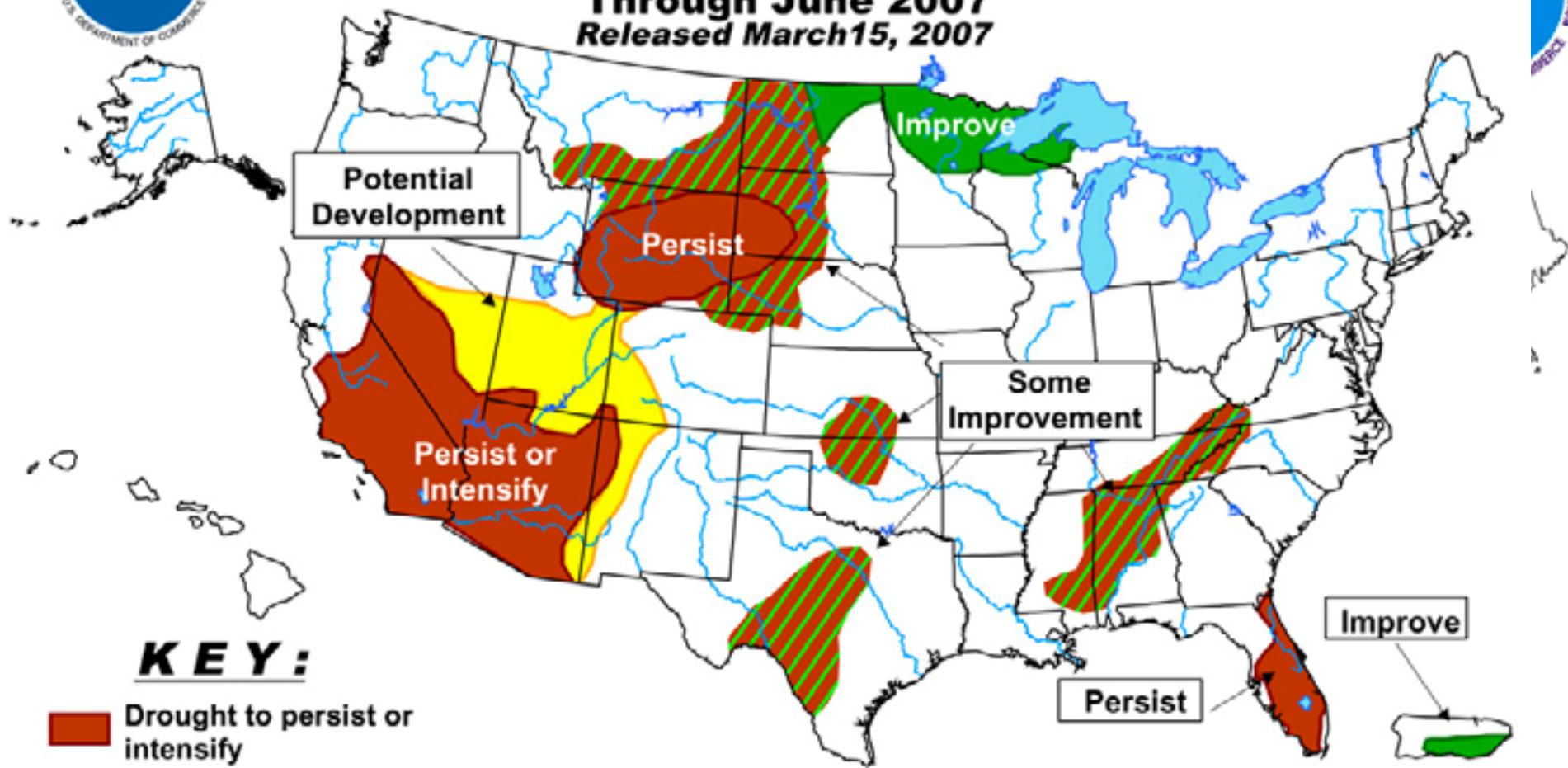


Released Thursday, April 26, 2007  
Author: David Miskus, JAWF/CPC/NOAA



# U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook

Through June 2007  
Released March 15, 2007



## KEY:

- Drought to persist or intensify
- Drought ongoing, some improvement
- Drought likely to improve, impacts ease
- Drought development likely

Depicts general, large-scale trends based on subjectively derived probabilities guided by numerous indicators, including short- and long-range statistical and dynamical forecasts. Short-term events -- such as individual storms -- cannot be accurately forecast more than a few days in advance, so use caution if using this outlook for applications -- such as crops -- that can be affected by such events. "Ongoing" drought areas are approximated from the Drought Monitor (D1 to D4). For weekly drought updates, see the latest Drought Monitor map and text. NOTE: the green improvement areas imply at least a 1-category improvement in the Drought Monitor intensity levels, but do not necessarily imply drought elimination.

# **Mountain Area Safety Task Force (MAST)...**

## **Southern California Wildfires 2003**

- Clear understanding of Purpose
- Multiple Agencies
- Multiple Levels of Government
- Private Sector Stakeholders, Companies
- Invested in IT, particularly GIS
- Extensive planning, Modeling
- Near and Long-term recovery
- Shared Geography
- Shared Risk



# ***Mountain Agency Safety Taskforce***

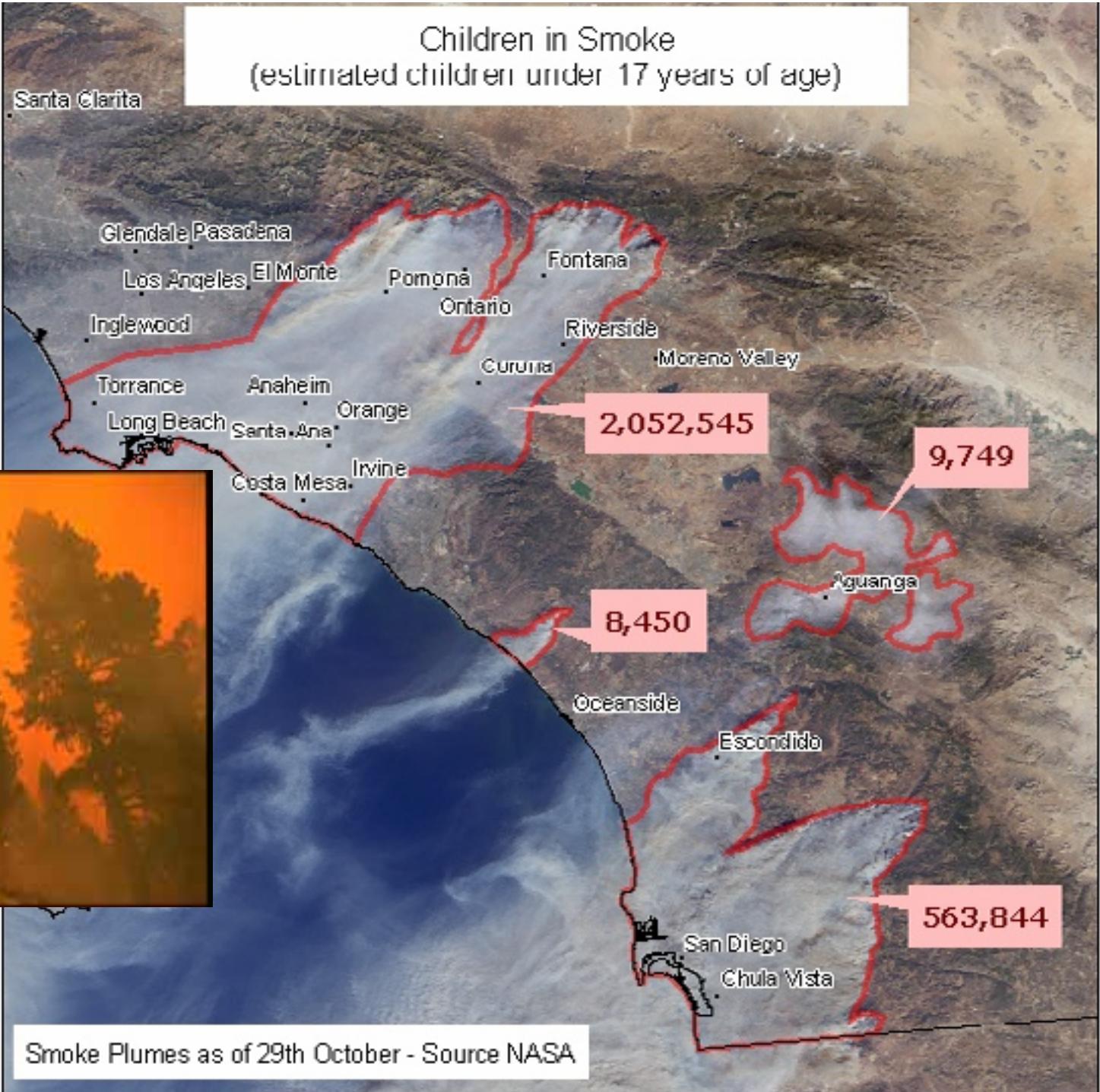
## **MAST**

- **14 Government agencies**
- **5 private companies**
- **Multiple problems drought /bark beetle tree deaths (2+ million dead trees to date)**
- **Advance problem analysis and evacuation, fire and service restoration planning**
- **18 months planning**
- **6 months database building for fire season**
- **1 shared database via a portal**
- **Now leveraged for rehabilitation, recovery, debris flow & flooding**
- **Interactive public GIS Portal**



# Children in Smoke

Children in Smoke  
(estimated children under 17 years of age)

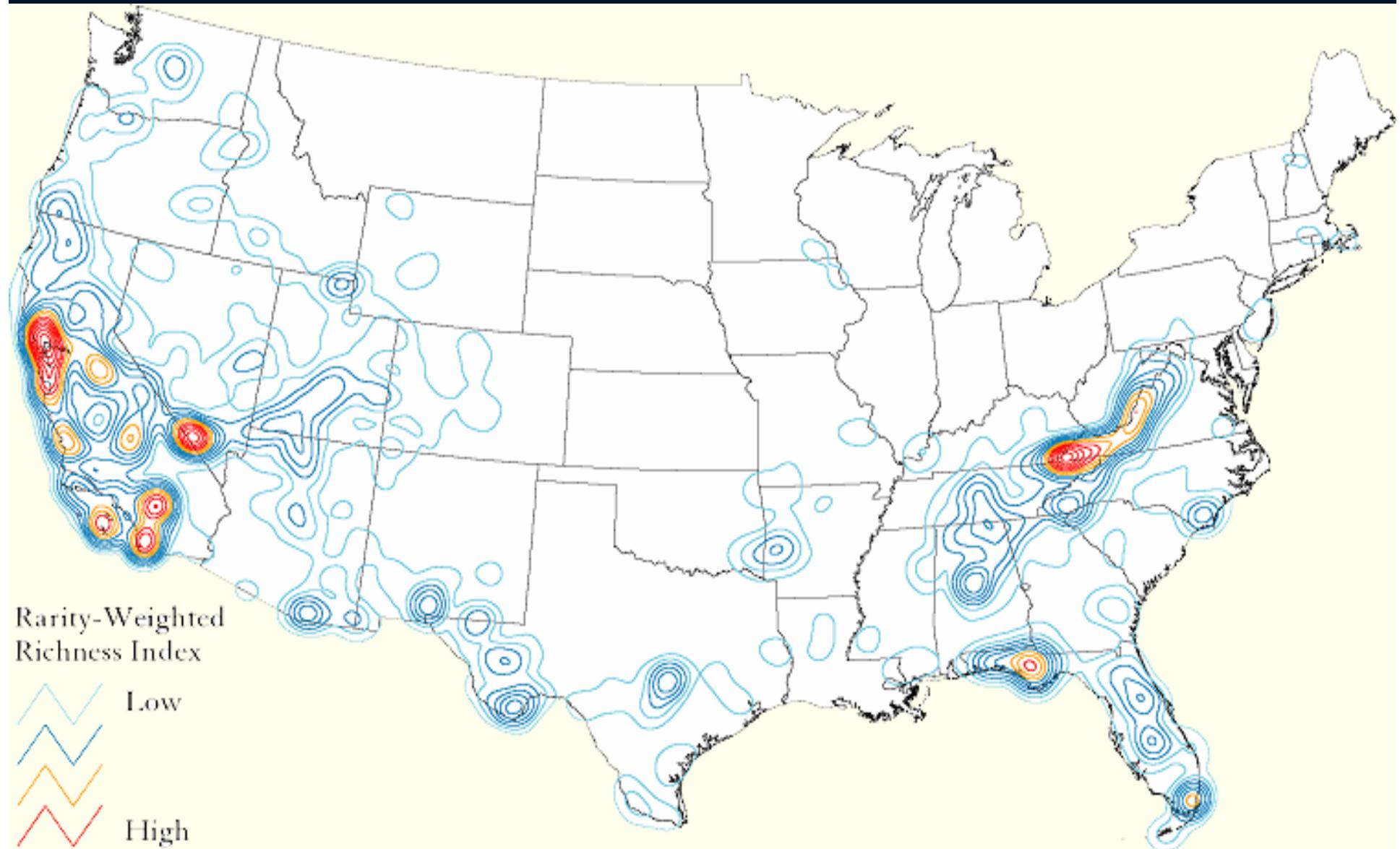


# Recent History of Western Forest Actions

WGA Policy 99-011

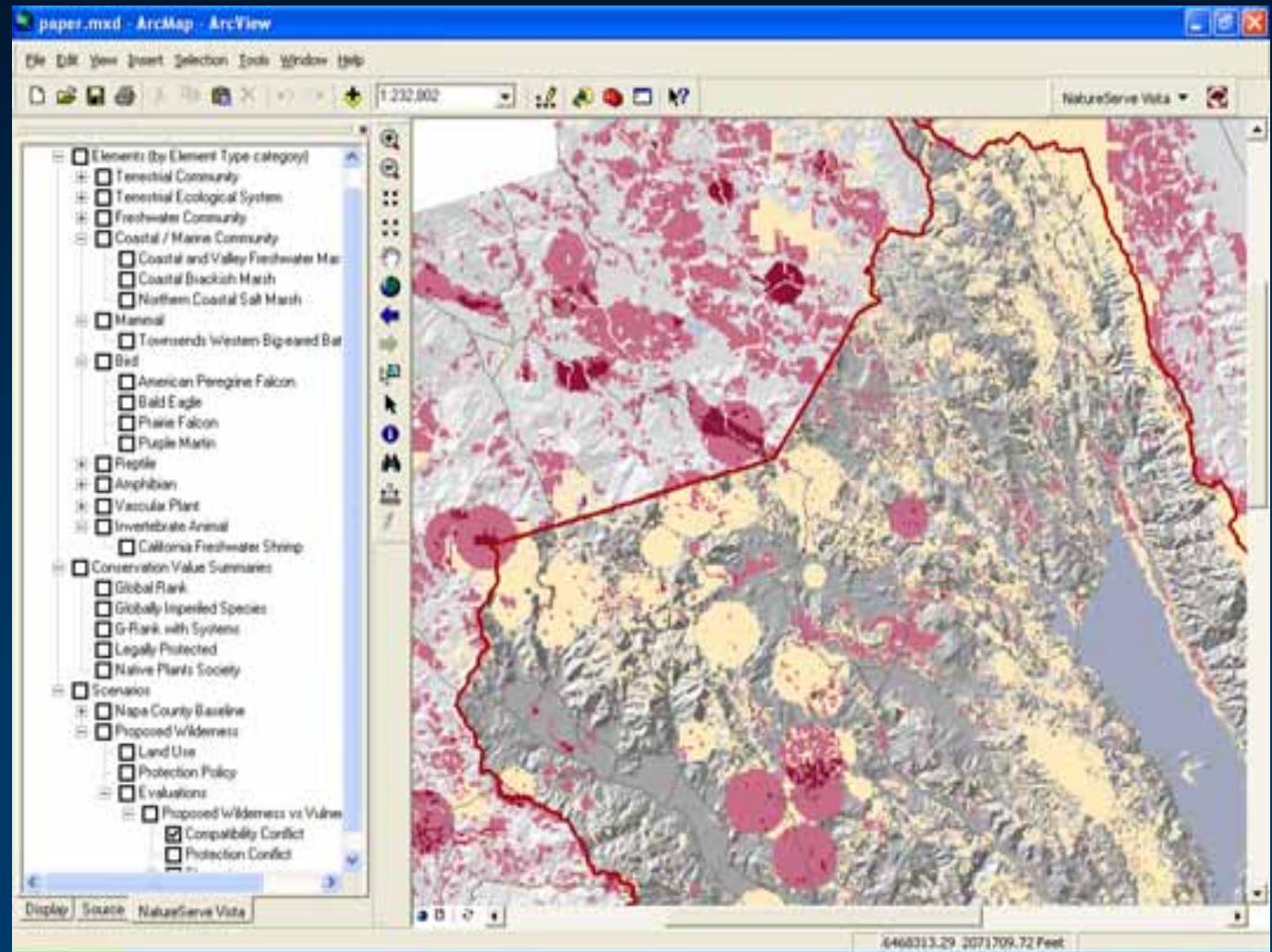
- **75% of the National Forests are in the West**
- **Historically have provided wood products and grazing**
- **Other values are being recognized**
  - Water quality
  - Terrestrial and aquatic habitat
  - Recreation
  - Historic preservation, conservation
- **Millions of acres are in poor ecological health**
- **Elimination of natural fire from the forest ecosystem**
- **High risk of uncontrollable wildfire, insect infestation, disease, invasive species**
- **Ever increasing encroachment by subdivisions**

# Endangered Species Concentrations



# Scenario Evaluation: Conflict Visualization -Napa County, California

- Red shades highlight areas where conservation goals conflict with land use



# **Conservation Service Framework**



**Data collection recording**

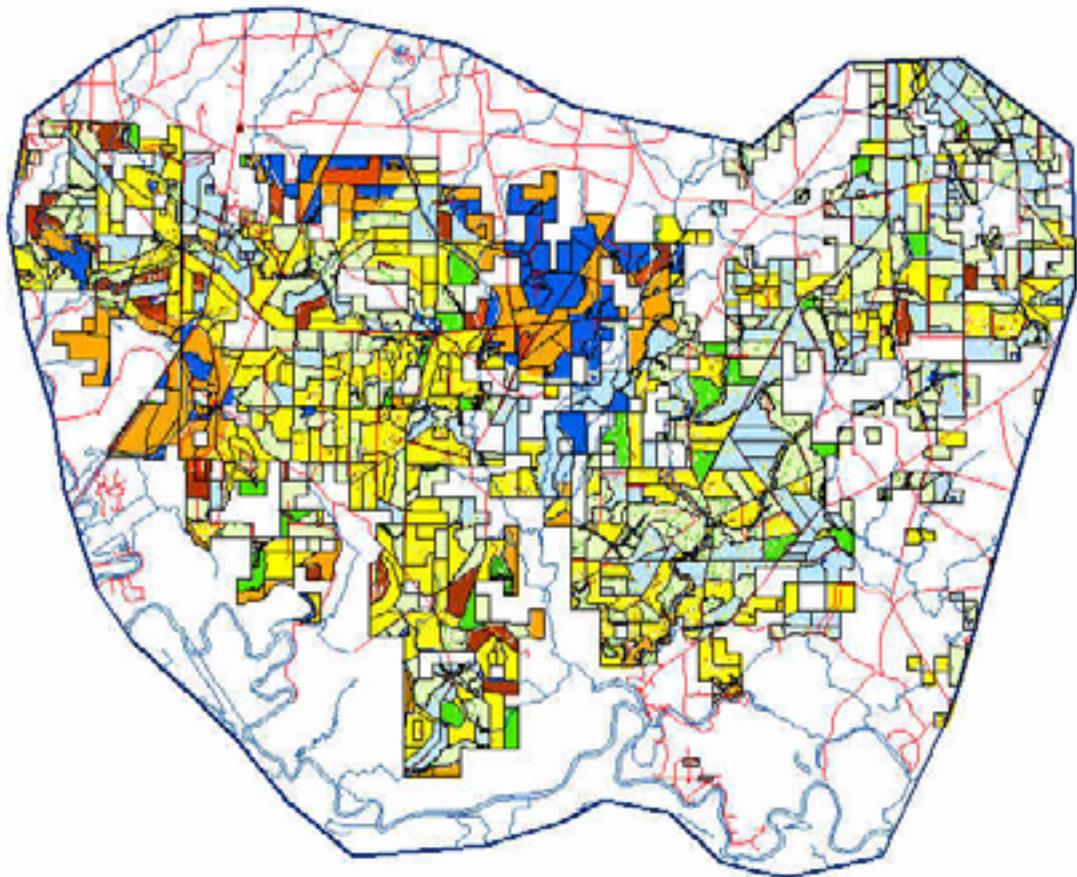
**Scientific standards and methods**



**Information access  
and interoperability**  
**Data management and reporting**



# Analysis of Conservation and Economic Value of Stands for Potlatch Corporation, Arkansas



**Objective: Identify forest stands that have:**

- High economic value for forest production without significant conservation impact (green areas).
- High value for conservation and low forest production (blue areas).
- High value for forest production with significant conservation value requiring further analysis (yellow areas).



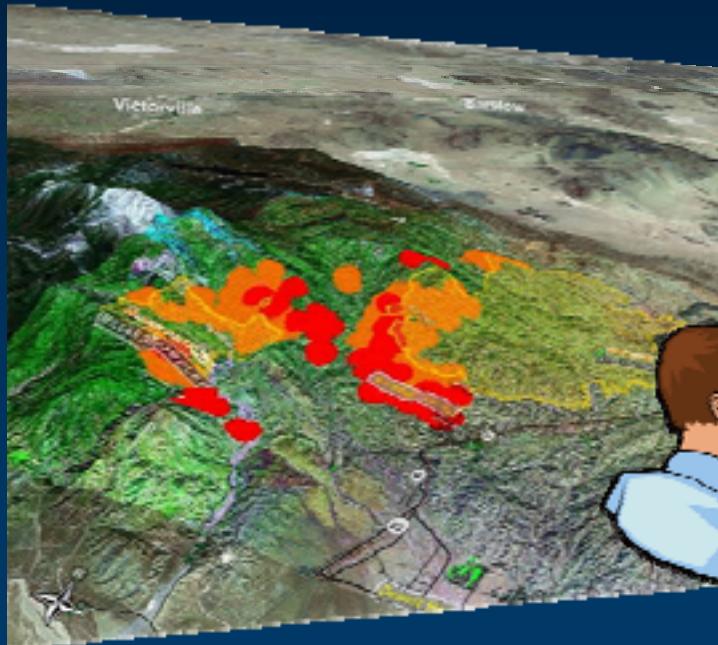
*Study by NatureServe in Cooperation with  
Potlatch Corporation  
and the Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission*



## ***GIS Is a Major Influence in How We See and Do Things***

The challenges of governing today span political and agency boundaries.

Solutions typically affect more than the geography of a single political or business jurisdiction



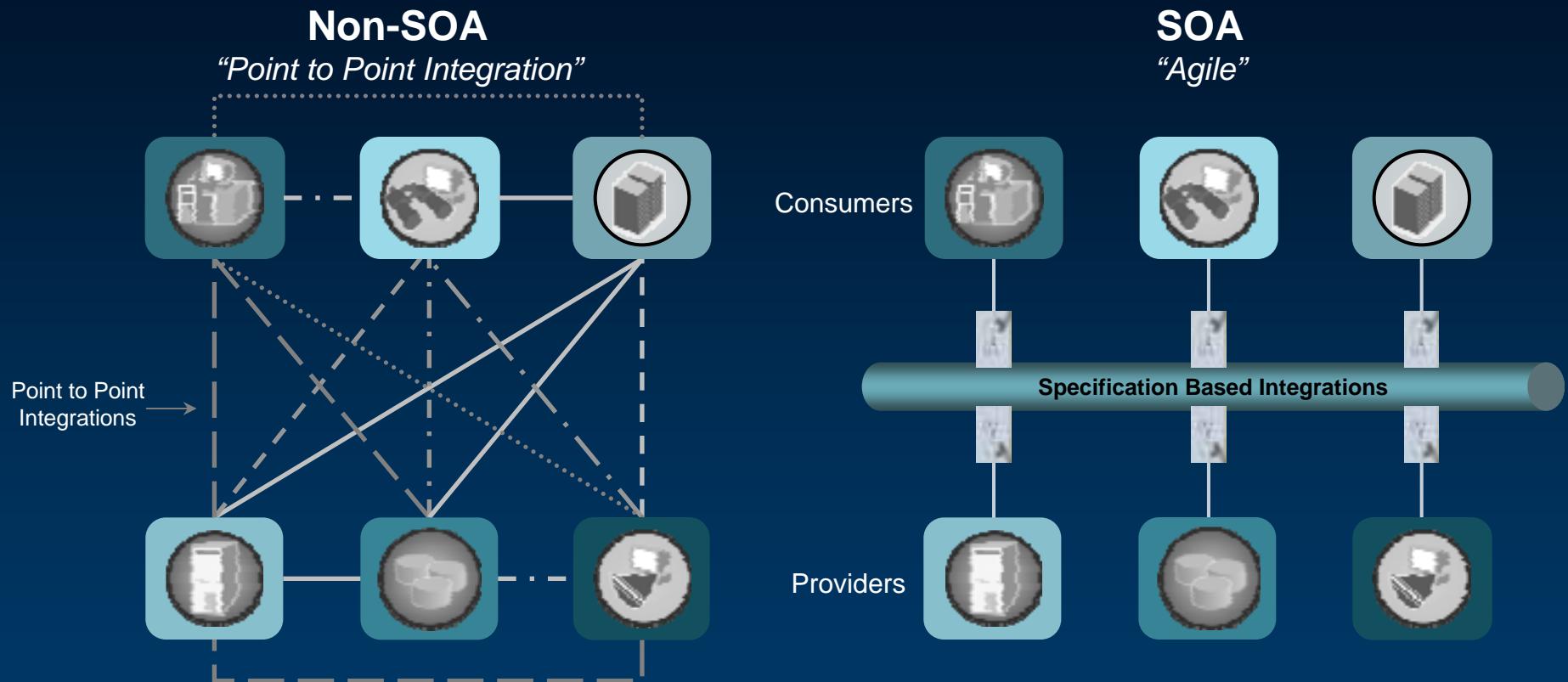
***Creating a Sense of Engagement***



***Imagery and Data***

***. . . Changing How We Communicate***

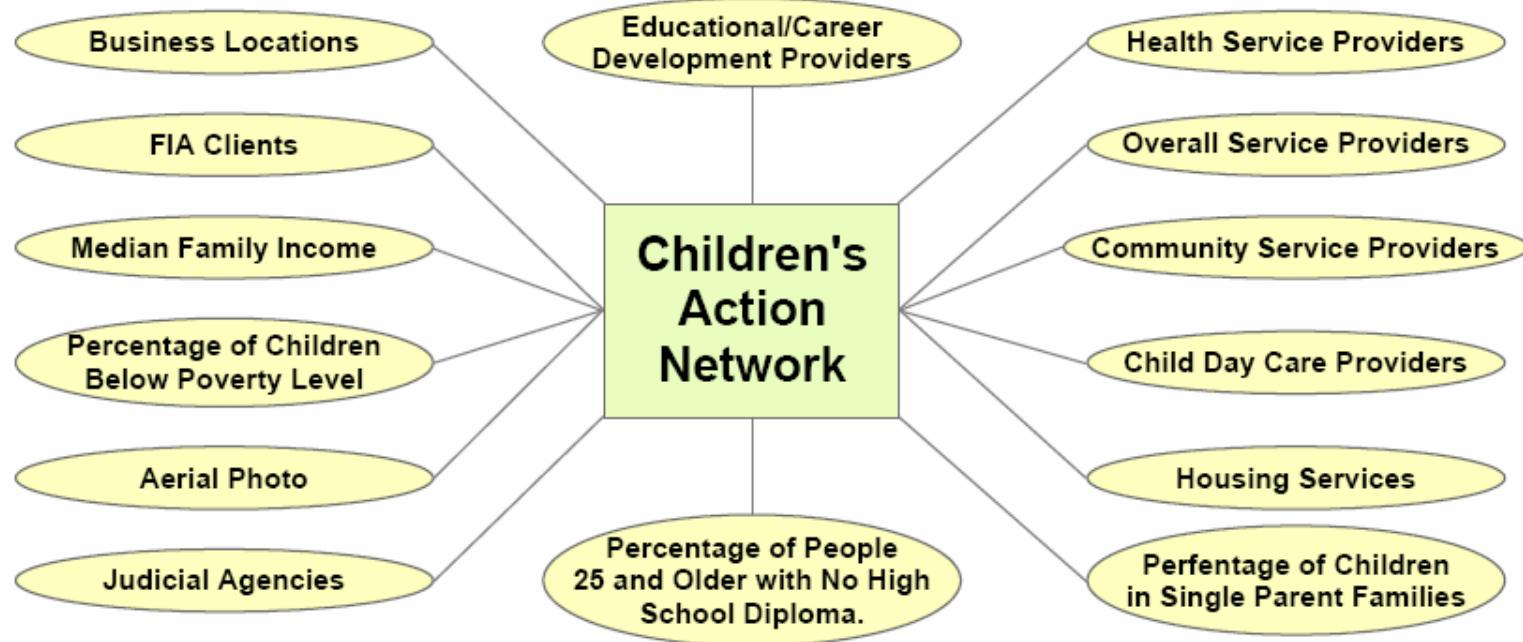
# **SOA standardizes integrations and allows them to be applied in different combinations to satisfy changing operational needs**



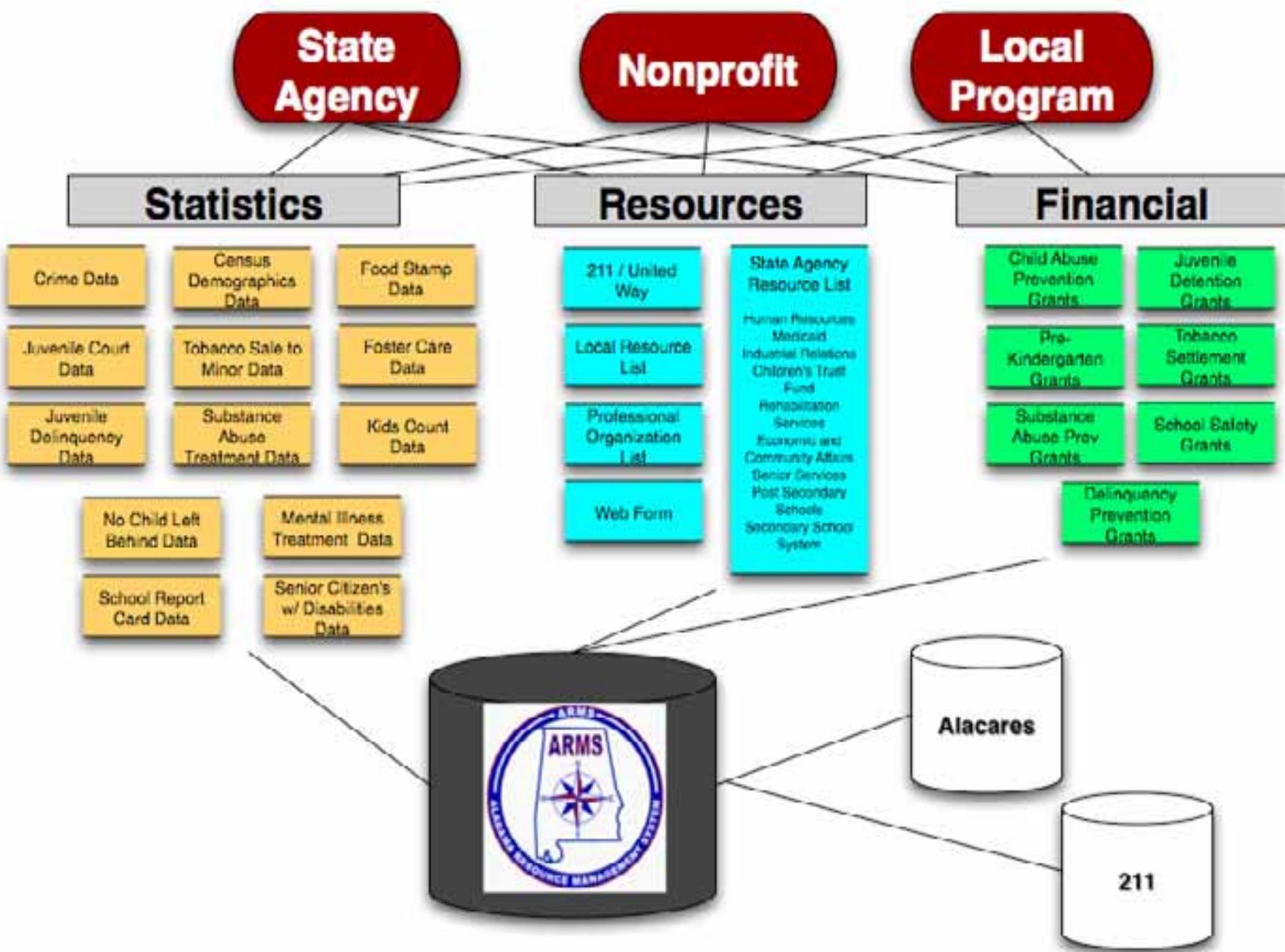
- Customized integrations occur each time consumers need information, leading to many proprietary information exchanges

- Information assets from providers are visible and consumable across the network to create a marketplace of information exchanges

# No Child Left Behind State of Michigan Governors' Initiative: Children's Action Network (CAN)



225 schools failing in the "no child left behind" program were examined and GIS was used to help determine appropriate action for overall improvement.



# ***Independent, Dependent or INTER-Dependent?***



**What happens within each State ...** is part of an integrated system. All processes, whether ecological, biological, climatological, geological, even sociological, are linked...by being location based

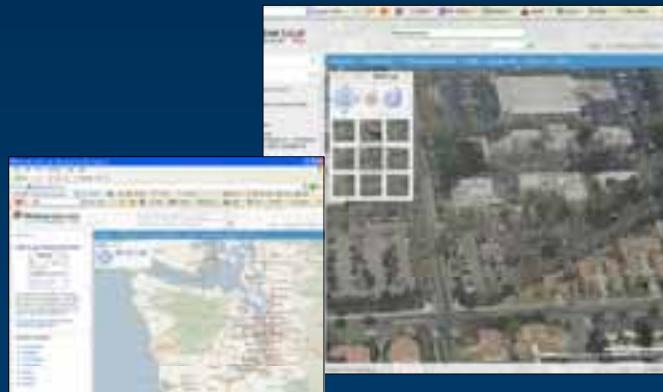
***... Influenced By Inter-dependent Natural & Human Activities***

***With intended or unintended consequences***

# Applications Such As MapQuest, GoogleEarth, Virtual Earth and ArcGIS Explorer are Popularizing Location Based Information and Services

***Introducing a Much Broader Audience To a New Way of Interacting with Geographic Information on the Web***

- Dynamic & Continuous Content
- Fast & Intuitive Interaction
- Web Based Applications
- Accessible



***... Opening the World's Eyes, Raising Expectations ...***

# Major Trends in Technology...

*that will affect IT and GIS Decisions*

Trend 1: The Internet and its **Web-enabled infrastructure** will continue to grow and expand; new and better applications will follow; **Internet technologies** will be used in organizations as the primary service mechanism.

- Trend 2: **Service and information** will be the primary focus for users; the perception of an organization will be measured on the ability to deliver service.
- Trend 3: The need for **security, privacy and accessibility** will continue be a priority for users.
- Trend 4: **Mobile computing** will accelerate dramatically through the use of integrated computing devices, Web technology, and increasing availability of wireless

# Major Trends in eGov Technology...

*that will affect IT and GIS Decisions*

- Trend 5: The costs of computing resources will continue to decline; human resources will continue to increase in cost.
- Trend 6: The shift from legacy systems/client servers to network-centric computing environment will allow governments to be proactive rather than reactive, service aware instead of environment aware, and, most important, customer-focused rather than IT focused
- Trend 7: Broadband and high speed wireless will continue to increase, enhancing access and timeliness. Better applications and greater expectations will follow.

Select the **top three areas** for IT/Telecom investment for your organization in 2007.

- A. Data Management/Information Sharing**
- B. e-Government/Improving Citizen Services**
- C. Information Security**
- D. Mobile Workforce/Wireless Operations**
- E. Interoperability and Integration**
- F. Managing/Replacing Legacy Systems**
- G. Homeland Security Initiatives**
- H. IT Consolidation/Shared Services**

**Survey: NASCIO ANNUAL MEETING Oct 2006**

## Separate and Separating Roles of CIO or GIO

- The Choices are:
- Vertically challenged manager
  - Know Technology
  - Hardware, software, IT procurement, training
  - Focused on process
- Horizontally enabled strategist
  - Know the issue
  - Peer to peer policy coordination
  - Assures Enterprise approach
  - Focused on purpose that is enabled through technology
- Talk about Technology last, not first

## ***Building Enterprise GIS: Qualifying Readiness***

**GIS is Enterprise IT if ...**

- **Policy officials, commanders, operators, users, and IT support all recognize GIS as mission critical**
- **GIS serves a diverse base of mission needs that extends through most of the user community**
- **Geospatial technology, data, and services are discoverable, integrated and shared across the user community**
- **GIS technology, applications, and data are embedded in the core IT infrastructure at all levels, and integrated with other enterprise systems**
- **GIS architecture is centrally managed--like any other enterprise IT system**

## NASCIO 2006 Conference Interactive Audience Polling Results

Over the next 5 years, do you see state government IT overall governance moving towards:

- A. A *centralized* model (IT activities are performed by one hierarchical organization)
- B. A *decentralized* model (IT activities are performed by separate state agencies with no central enterprise organization)
- C. A *federated* model ( IT activities are performed by a combination of agency-specific IT groups and the central IT group)
- D. *Total anarchy*

# Connecting Technology, Policy and Sociology



## Valuing Purpose...



## ...Over Process

# GIS For Policy Makers

- If you had ten minutes at the top –
- Where would you start?
- ***Are IT and GIS expenses part of the solution? Or are they perceived as just an added cost?***
- If GIS and IT aren't tied to an issue, they will always be a discretionary item in the budget
- Tie GIS To Priorities  
Check the Current Budgets, State of the State Addresses, County Initiatives, Legislative postings, business associations to See What Issues Top the List

## ***Typical Top 10 Issues for Governors***

- The Budget – OK this year, crunch is coming
- Health Care
  - Medicaid
  - The aging population
  - Health IT
- Economy, Jobs, Competitiveness
- Education
- Energy/Environment – Cost , Alternatives and Climate Change
- Disasters, Weather (Fire, Drought, Flood)
- Transportation/Infrastructure
- Local Government Funding
- Homeland Security
  - The National Guard

**GIS is the tool to provide integrated information**

# ***NCSL Top 10 Issues 2006***

- **Planning for Emergencies**
- **Closing the Energy Gap**
- **Tax and Spending Limits**
- **Defining “Public Use” (eminent domain)**
- **Funding Education**
- **Examining Immigrant Rights**
- **GPS for Sex Offenders**
- **Dealing with Real ID**
- **Contemplating Stem Cell Research**
- **It’s a Campaign Year**

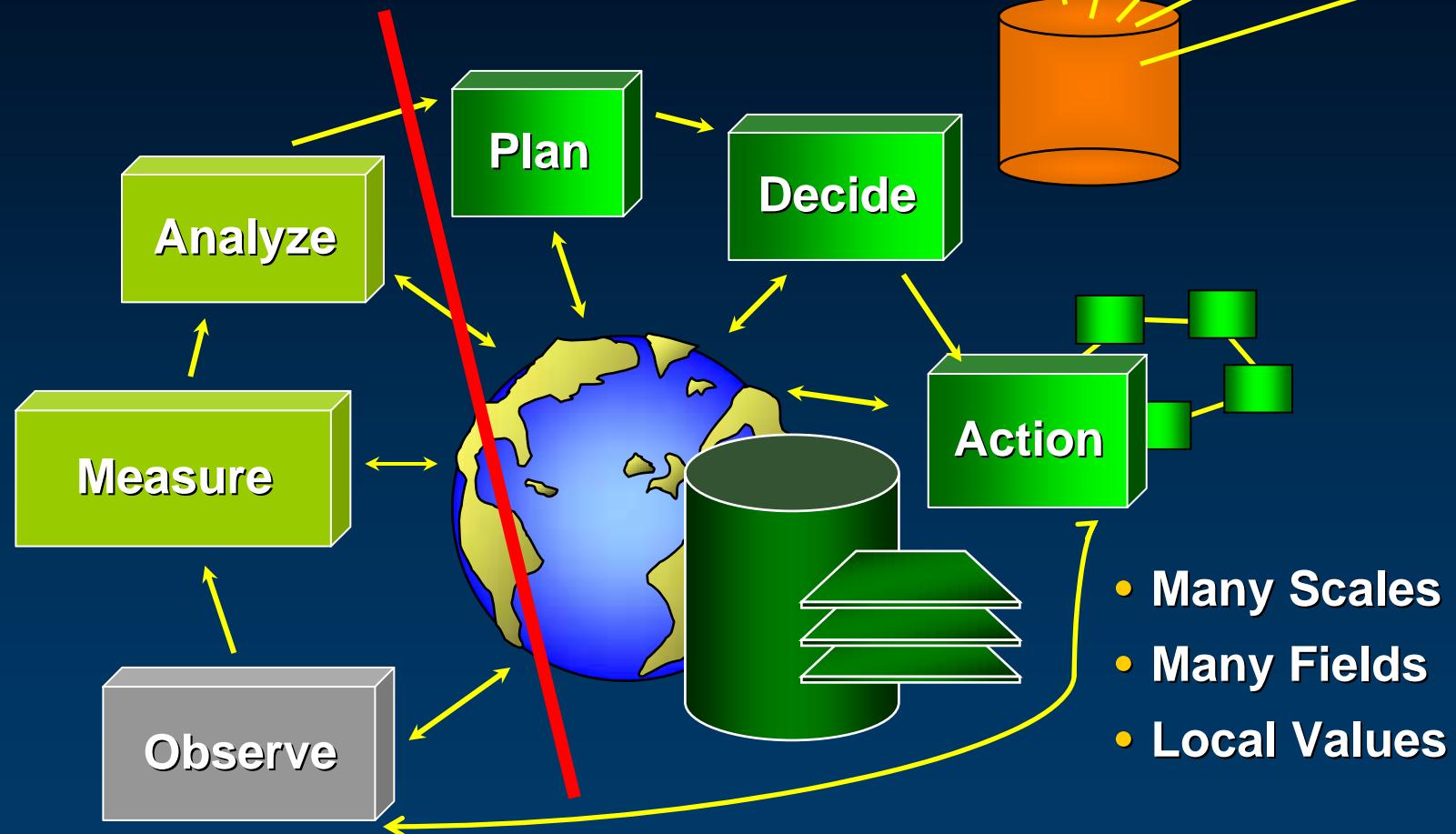
# **2007 Top 10** National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL)

<http://www.ncsl.org/programs/press/pr070104.htm>

- **Immigration**
- **Homeland security and standardized ID cards (REAL ID)**
- **Budget pressures**
- **Health insurance**
- **Sexual offenders and predators**
- **Energy and environment**
- **Minimum wage**
- **Higher education reform**
- **Privacy**
- **Obesity**

- GENERAL BUSINESS
- ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
- EDUCATION
- INSURANCE
- HEALTH CARE
- TAXES
- TOURISM
- WATER
- WORKFORCE
- CONNECTIVITY
- TRANSPORTATION

Enabling decisions through  
Evidence, not Anecdotes



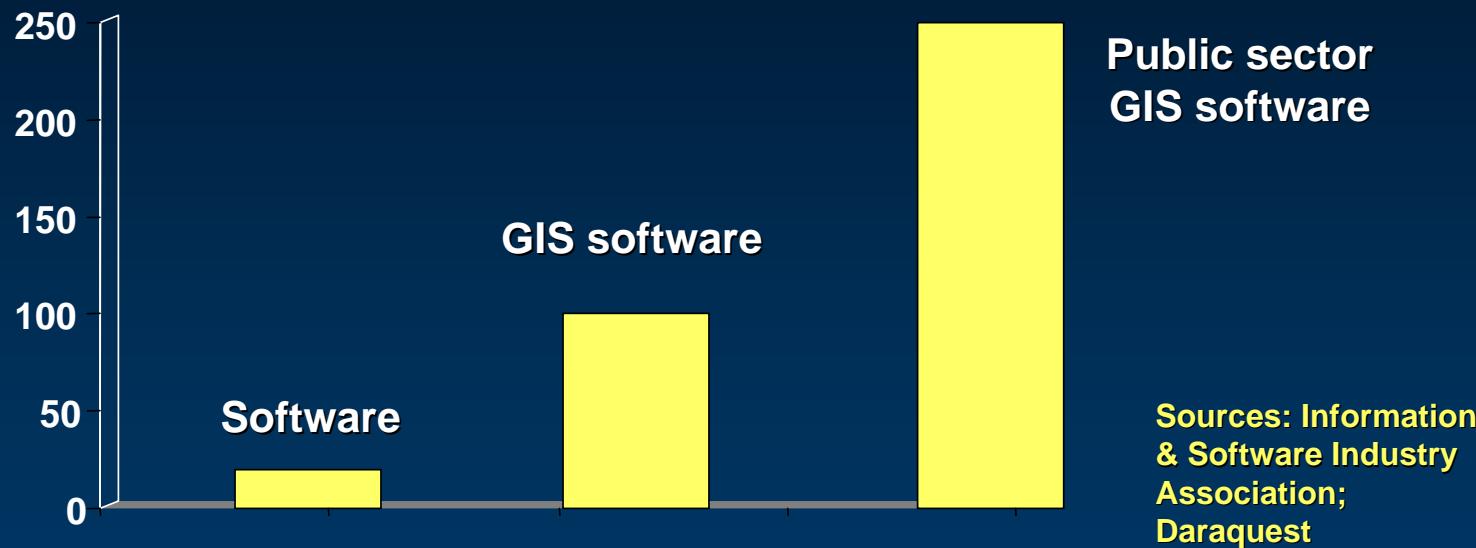
Enabling Decisions, Adapting to Change

# To Engage Your Policy Leaders

- Talk about technology last, not first
- They are pre-disposed to think of GIS as only a map, not information in context
- Put a face on it – relate it to PEOPLE (WHO)
- Use a high priority issue to catch their attention (WHAT)
- Let the picture do the talking (VISUALIZATION IS POWERFUL)
- Use terms that communicate (WATCH YOUR LANGUAGE)

# GIS Has Become Mainstream Technology—Especially in Government

Trends in Global Revenue Growth, 1999 to 2005



*"There is clearly a trend to migrate disparate line-of-business geospatial systems to an enterprise GIS environment. This trend features core GIS infrastructure maintained by a central IS organization, with data management responsibilities held by the lines of business that are the primary users."*

*Gartner—US Public Sector GIS Survey*

# Connecting Technology, Policy and Sociology

- Vision and Leadership
- Management Support
- Understanding of Business Processes
- Governance And Finance Model
- Planning
  - Technical Architecture
  - Data Models
  - Organization
  - Implementation Work
- Good People

**... And a Spirit Of Collaboration**



GIS Servers, Web Services And SOA  
Provide New Opportunities For Rapid Implementation

## ***Services Oriented Architecture***

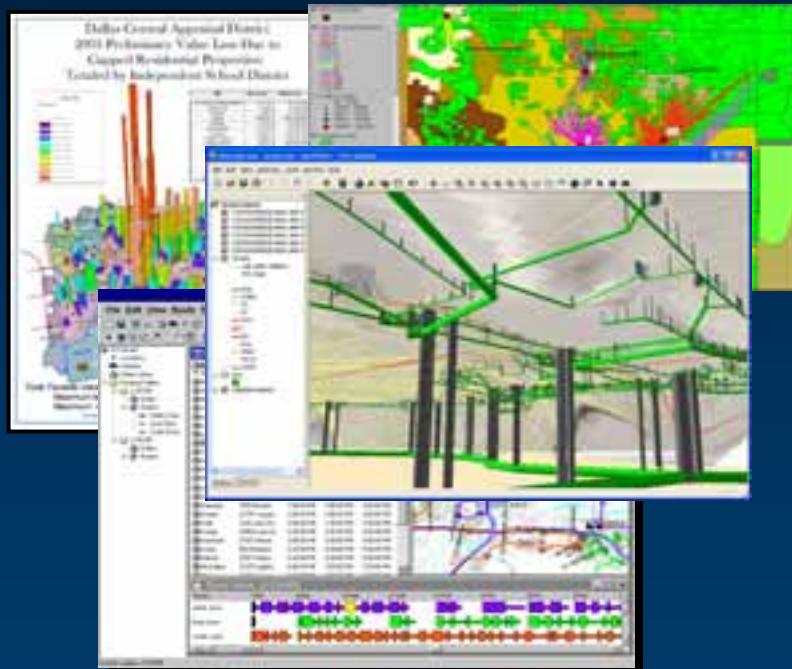
- **Government can no longer justify unnecessary duplication of infrastructure that could otherwise be shared. Nor can it afford to build tomorrow's stovepipe systems today**
- **Service Oriented Architectures work by mapping software services to an organization's actual business processes.**
- ***SOA is not just an architecture of services seen from a technology perspective, but the policies, practices, and frameworks by which we ensure the right services are provided and consumed.***

# Enterprise GIS Business Architectures

*Some Examples. . . Using the Language of GIS*

## Geocentric Workflows

*Geographic information as the foundation of mission operations*



**Geospatial Intelligence  
Facilities and Asset Management  
Land Records Management**

## Geospatially-Enabled Workflows

*Infusing geospatial intelligence in enterprise IT systems*



**Command & Control  
Business Intelligence  
Supply Chain**

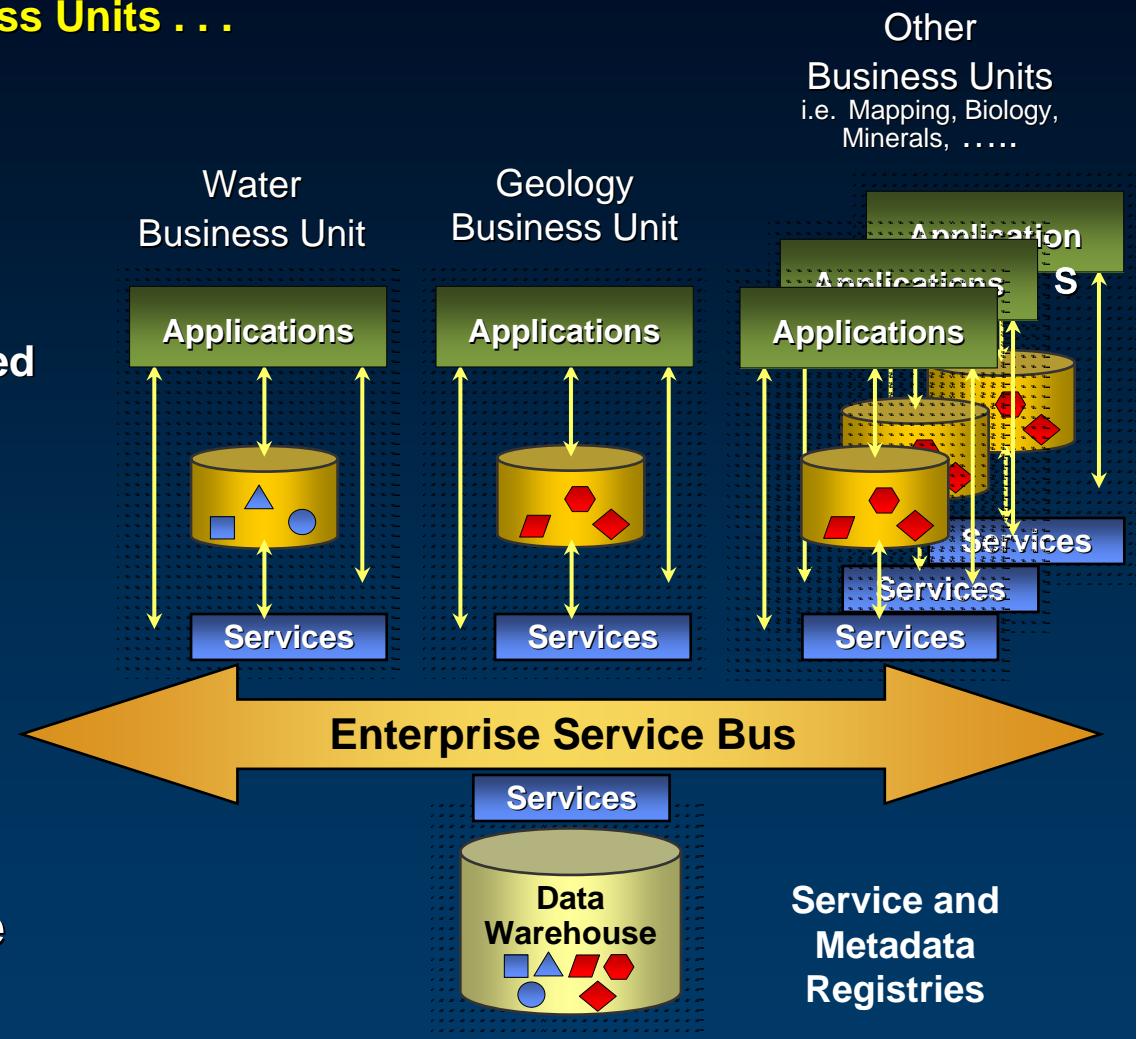
# Enterprise GIS Can Be Implemented Using A SOA

Modernizing and Integrating Business Units . . .

- **Organize Around Business Units**

- Applications and Data Tailored to Mission Needs and Productivity Requirements
- Manages Its Own Data in an Operational Database
- Share Data
  - Publishing to the Data Warehouse
  - Directly as Services

- **Business Units Are Service Providers and Consumers**



... A Framework For Incrementally Growing an Enterprise Services Architecture

# GIS Was Used Extensively in Response to Hurricane Katrina/Rita/Wilma Damage Assessment



*... Lots of Demand for Maps and Geospatial Analysis*

## ***Disaster Challenge***



- The federal government, NGOs, States and the private sector must **work together** to deliver human services including health, cash assistance, food, clothing, shelter and other **immediate** needs following a disaster.
- **Recovery** from catastrophic disasters will often require a **long term** process that requires government and private sector (NGO) resources to restore the victims' lives and well being.
- **LOCATION AND LOGISTICS** are key

# ***GIS For the Nation - Data Model Themes***

- Emergency Operations
- Structures/Critical Infrastructure
- Governmental Units
- Utilities
- Addresses
- Transportation
- Cadastral
- Hydrography
- Environmental
- Land Use/Land Cover
- Base Map
- Geodetic Control
- Elevation
- Imagery

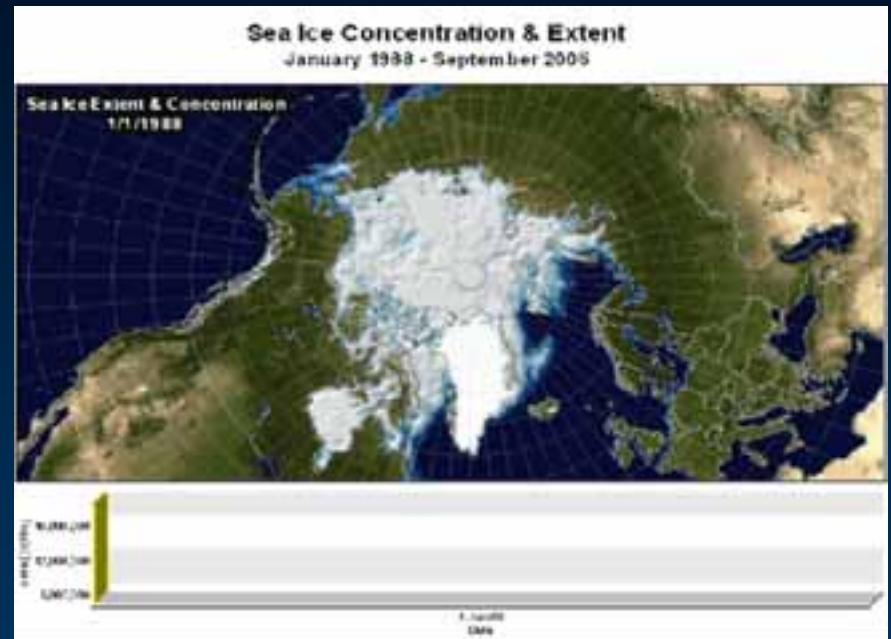
# Visualizing Geographic Information with Animation

*Communicating Geographic Information*

New York



Katrina



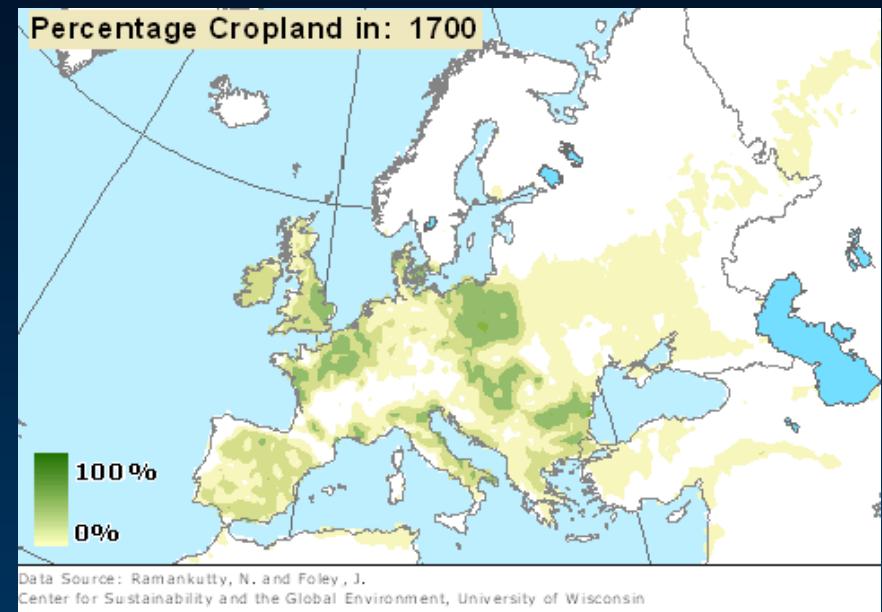
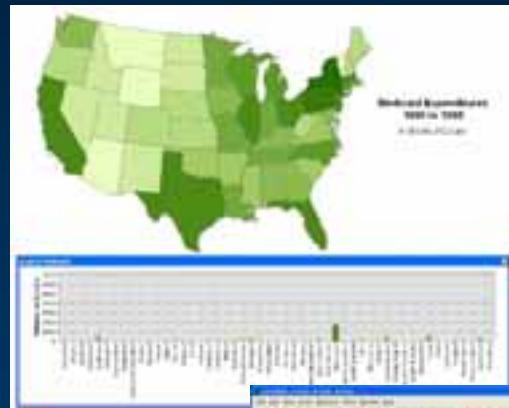
Sea Ice

*... Creating Greater Understanding*

# Visualizing Geographic Information with Animation

*Communicating Geographic Information*

**Medicaid**



**Cropland**

**Oil Production**



*... Creating Greater Understanding*

# Sexual Predator Monitoring Jacksonville (FL) Sheriff's Office

JSO Predator Mapping Application - Microsoft Internet Explorer

**Sex Predators**

**Jacksonville**  
Where Florida Begins

refresh all search

**Facilities**

Ref	Facility Name	Address	City
1	Community Connections of Jax, Inc.	325 DUVAL ST E	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202
2	Family Partners	1301 RIVERPLACE BV	JACKSONVILLE FL 32207
3	Main Library	122 OCEAN ST	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202
4	Friendship Fountain	1016 Museum Circle	JACKSONVILLE FL 32207
5	St. Johns Marina	901 Museum Circle	JACKSONVILLE FL 32207
6	Southbank Riverwalk	1001 Museum Circle	JACKSONVILLE FL 32207
7	Northbank Riverwalk	201 East Coastline Drive	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202
8	MOUNT ZION A M E CHURCH	201 BEAVER ST	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202
9	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	125 ASHLEY ST	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202
10	FIRST	118	JACKSONVILLE FL 32202

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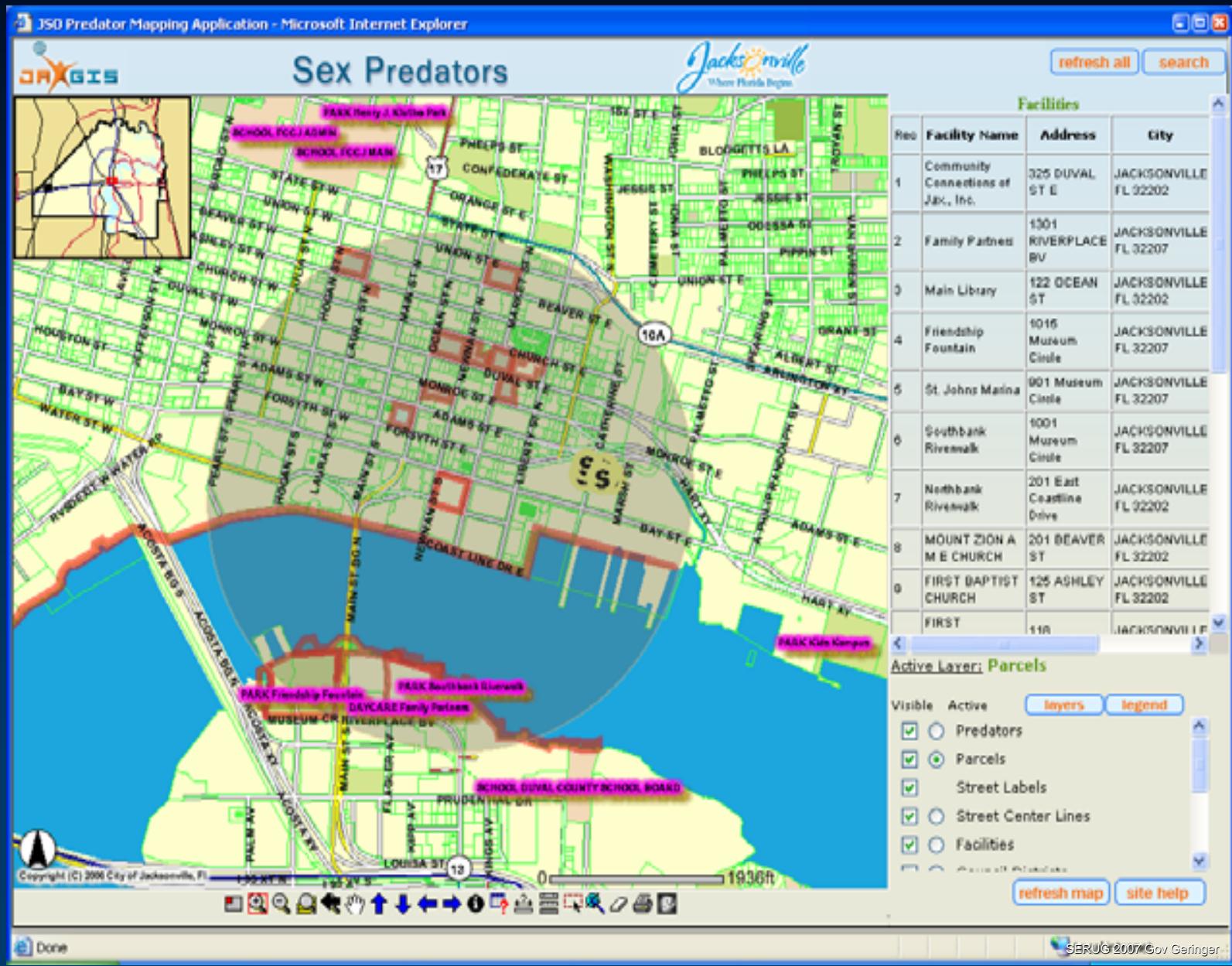
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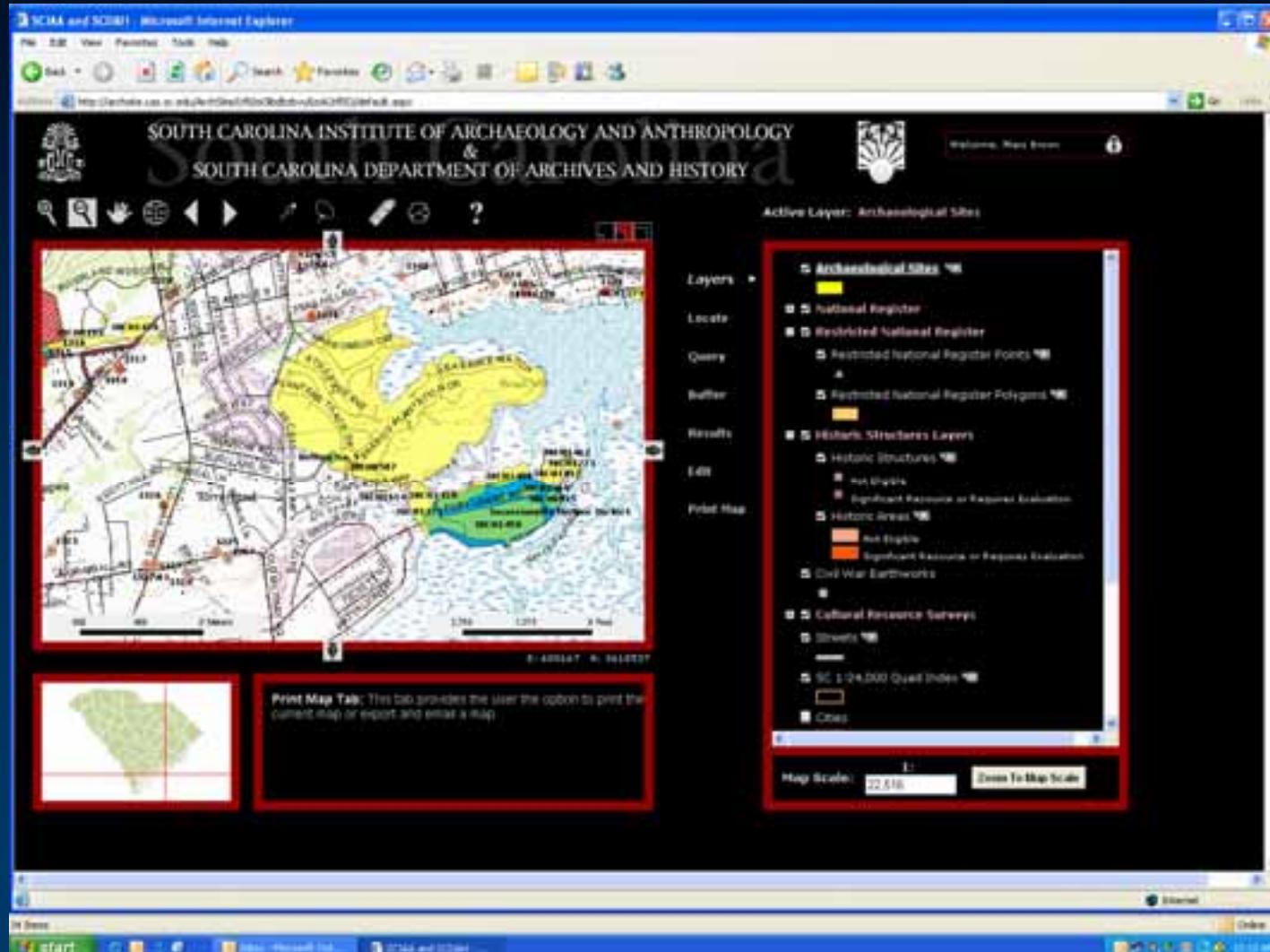
# ESRI/SAS Integration - Economic Development Intelligence System (EDIS)

## North Carolina Department of Commerce

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer window displaying the North Carolina Department of Commerce Economic Development Intelligence System (EDIS). The window title is "http://localhost:8080/NCWeb/004F - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The page header includes the North Carolina Department of Commerce logo and the EDIS logo. The main content area features a map of North Carolina with several yellow markers indicating specific locations. To the left of the map is a search interface with various filters and search buttons. A table titled "EDIS Results" is displayed, showing 24 entries. The table has columns for Address, City, and Description. The first few entries are:

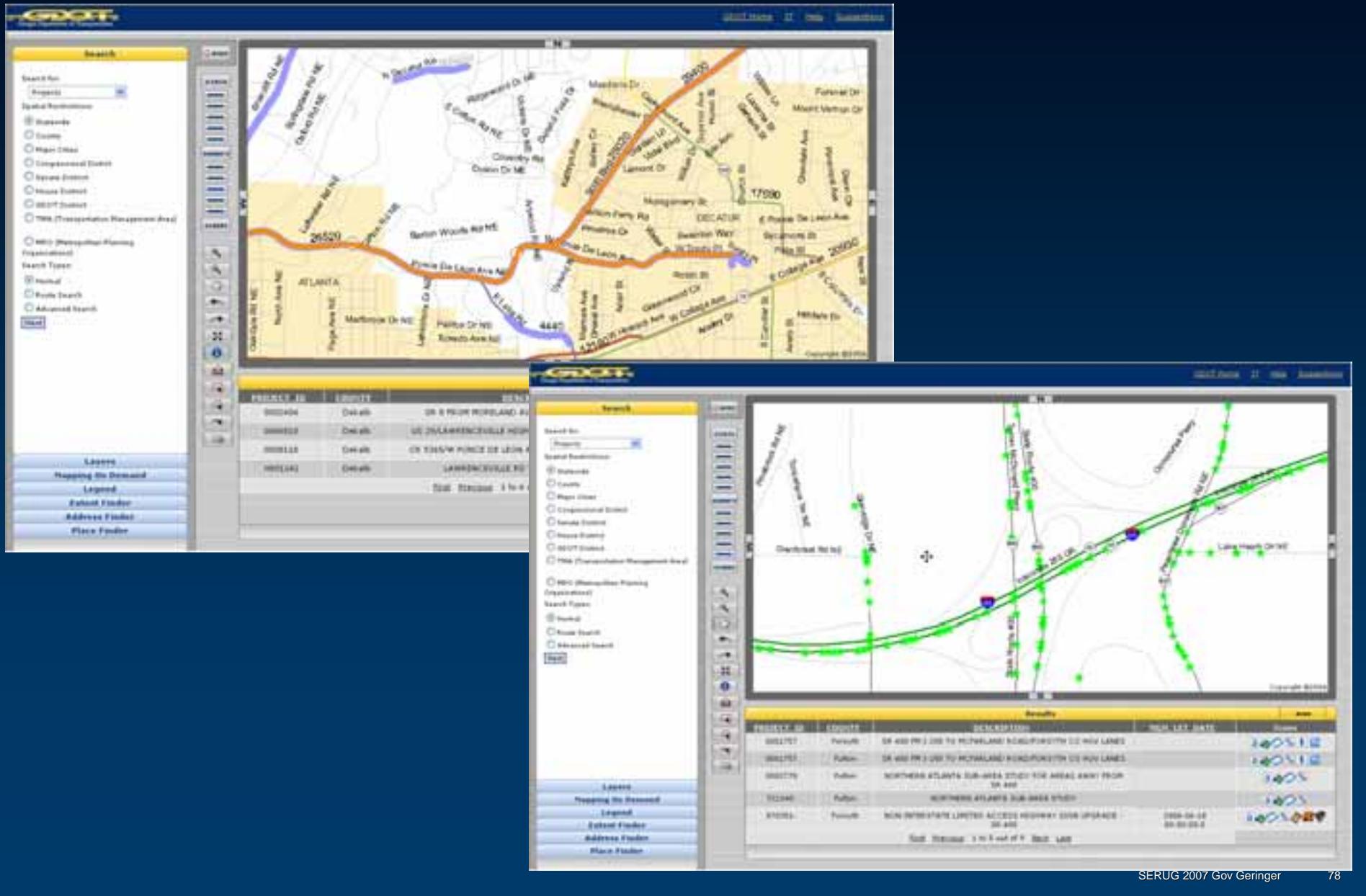
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122000-0	Henderson	Lindbergh Spec Building 100
34000-0	Henderson	Shapton Ridge 1
59400-0	Henderson	Ree-Loyd Park 1-489 - Building 100
24640-0	Henderson	Airport Conference Center II

# ArchSite SC Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology



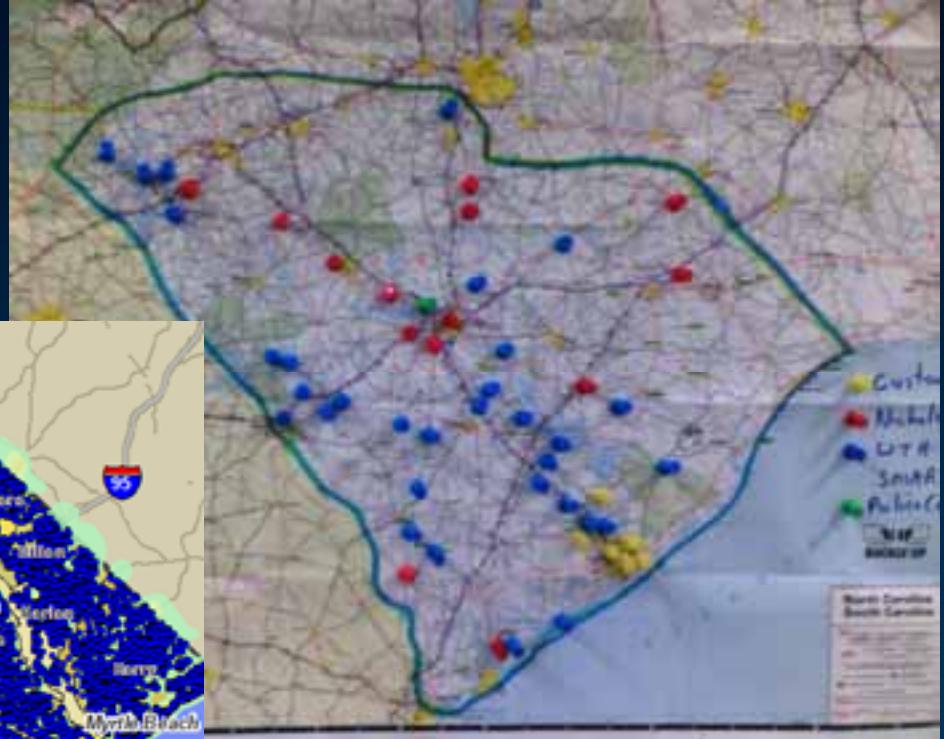
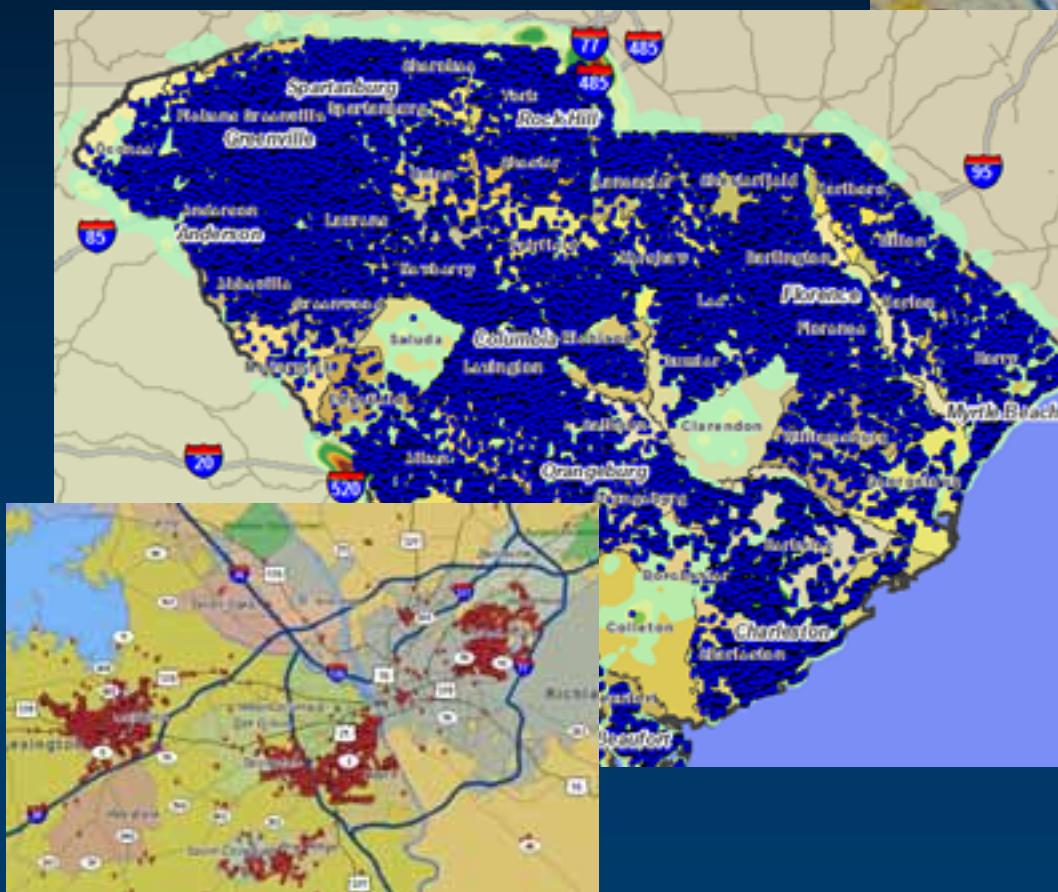
**Web-based field editing solution for managing archaeological sites**

# TREX (Transportation Explorer) Georgia Department of Transportation



# SCIEX – South Carolina Information Exchange

## S.C. State Law Enforcement Division (SLED)

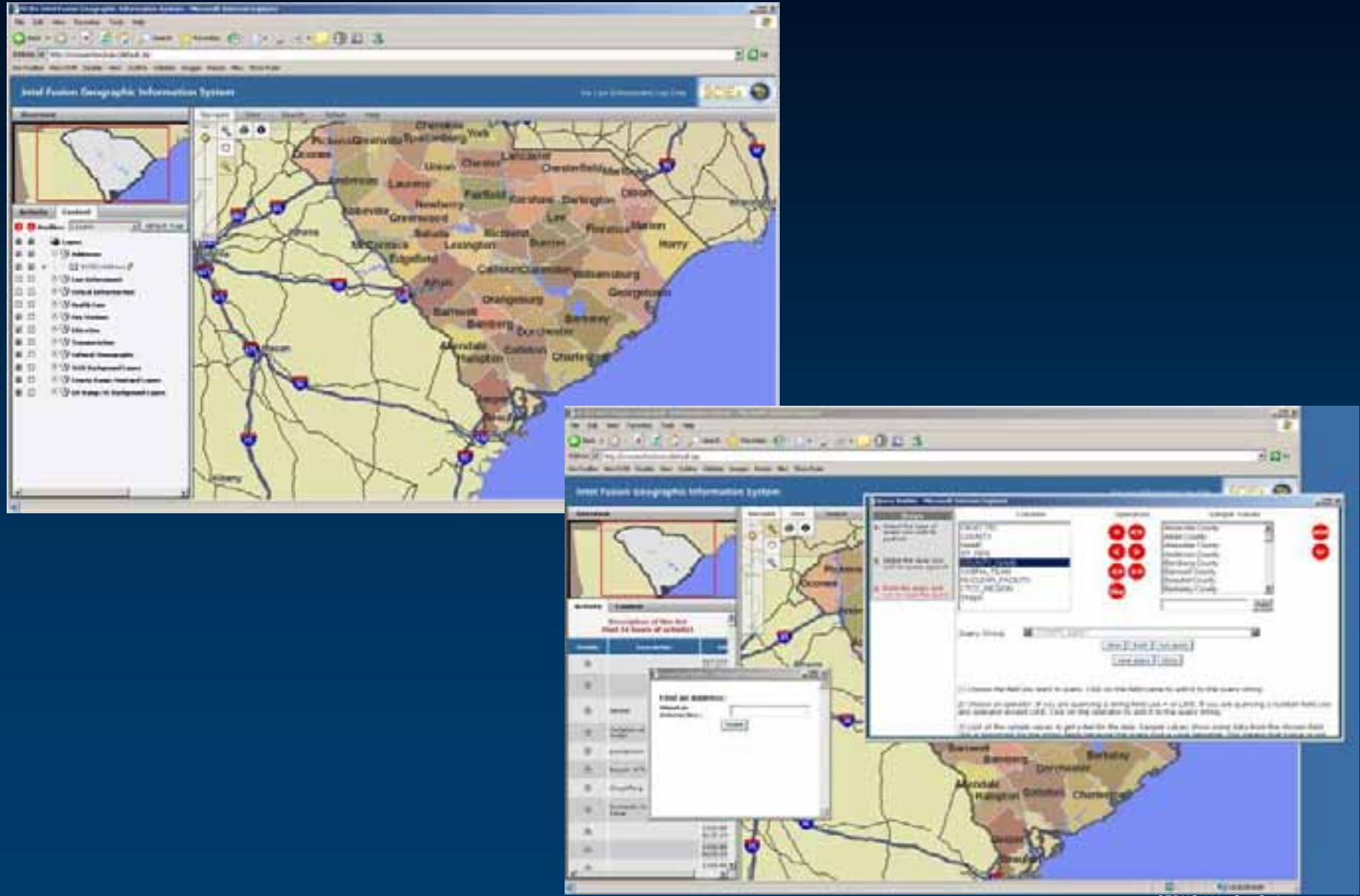


**Statewide integration of crime data from 170 local law enforcement agencies.**

**Information on crimes, suspects, known offenders, etc. is retrieved from 23 proprietary computer-aided dispatch and records management systems and updated state-wide on a nightly basis.**

# SCIEX – South Carolina Information Exchange

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# Buffer Zone Protection Plan

## S.C. State Law Enforcement Division (SLED)

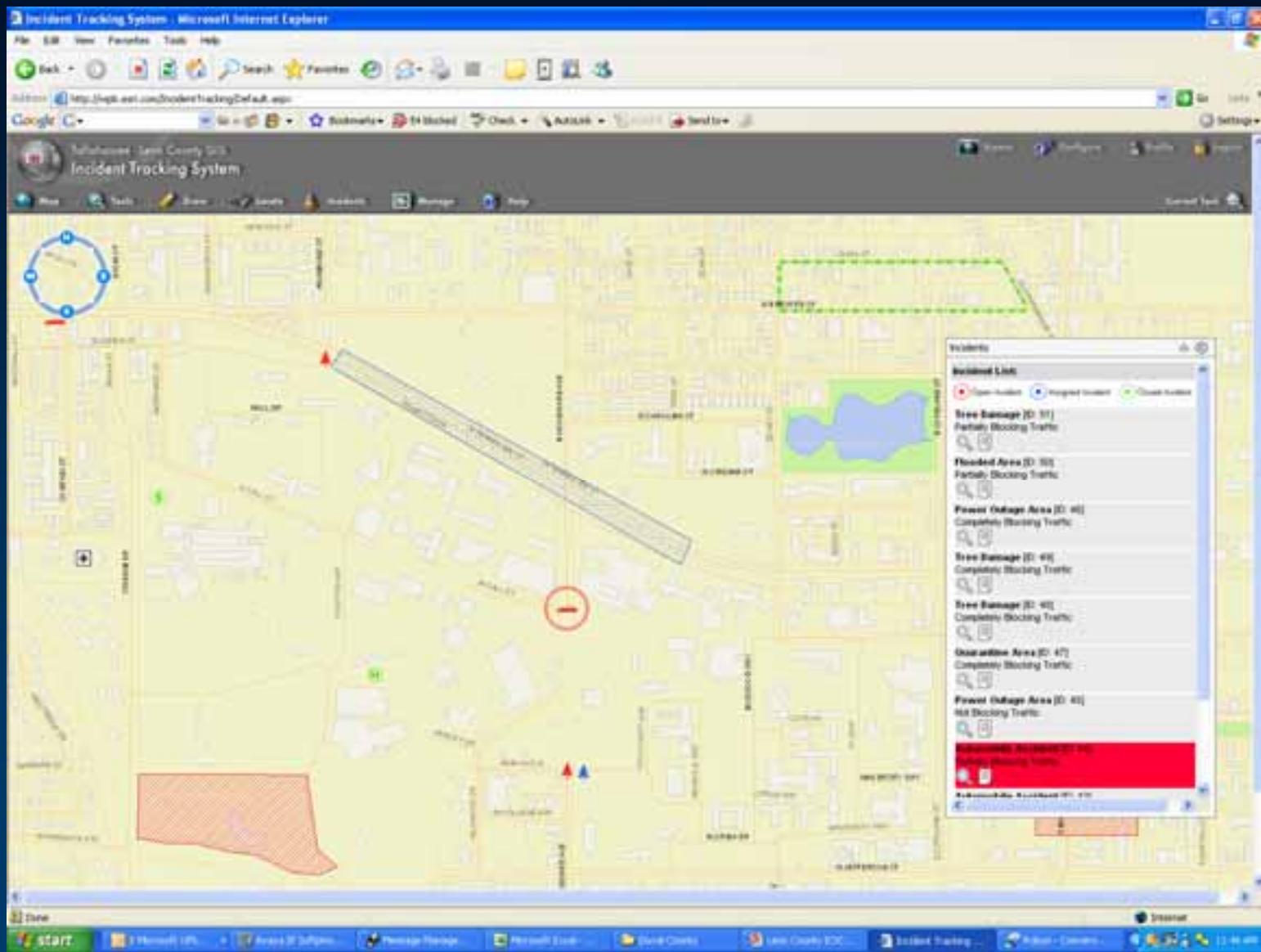


***ALL DATA  
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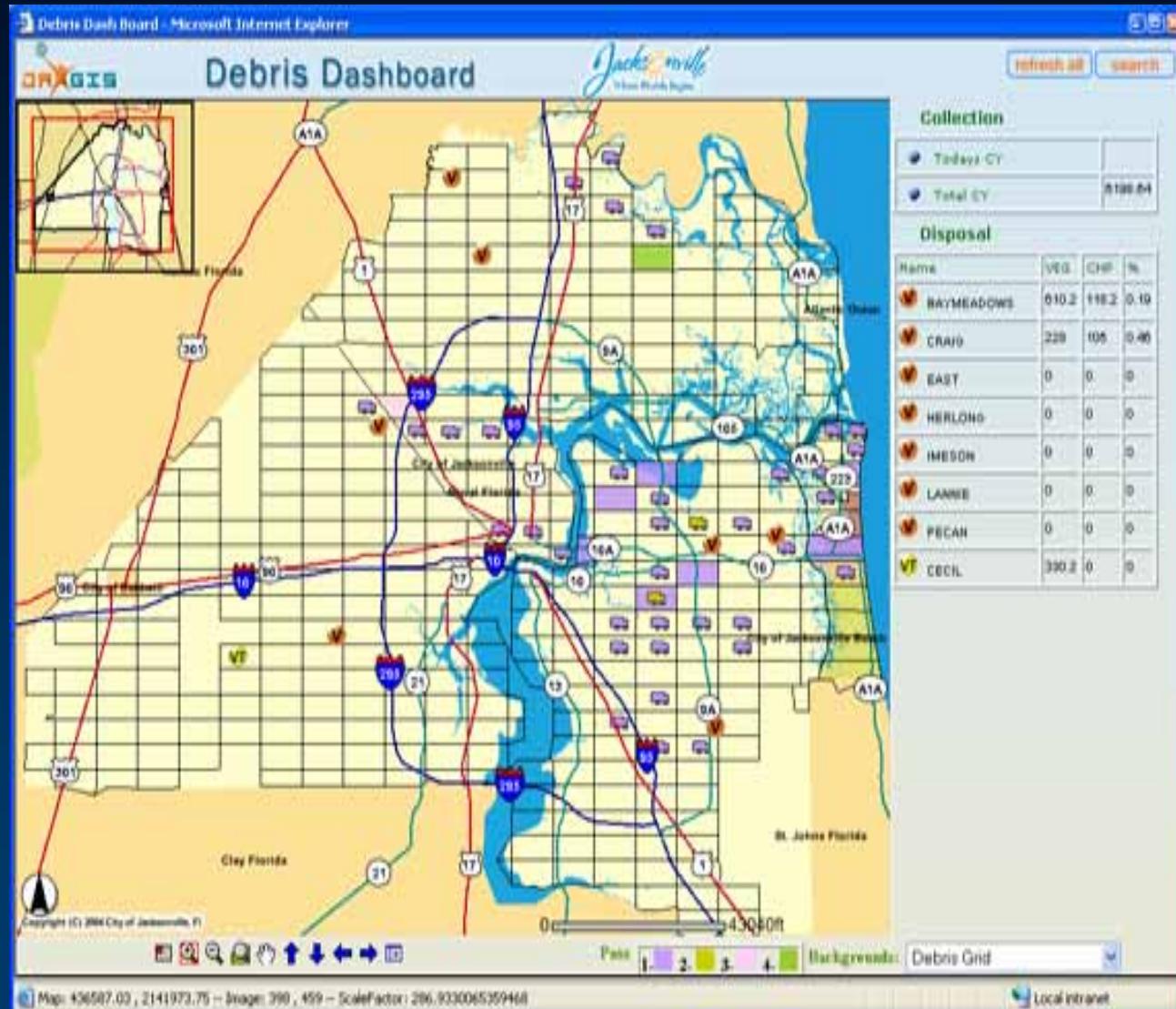
**and much of it is locally  
generated**

# Common Operational Picture

## Leon County (FL) Emergency Operations Center



# Executive Dashboards City of Jacksonville (FL) GIS



# Economic Development – Building and Site Selection City of Charleston, SC

The screenshot displays the "Charleston For Business" website interface, specifically the "Search" and "Site Selection" sections.

**Property Information:**

- Property Name: 1000 W. Pinckney St.
- Street Address: 1000 W. Pinckney St.
- Municipality: North Charleston
- County: Charleston
- Zip Code: 29403
- Tax ID (FMS): 000-000-000
- Property Photo:

**GENERAL INFORMATION:**

- Demographic Profile: [View Profile](#)
- Zoning: Light Industrial
- Lot Size or Lease: Lot Price: \$1,000,000
- Address: 1000 W. Pinckney St.
- Revenue Generated: \$0
- Minimum Occupancy: 0
- Availability: [View Details](#)

**Information:**

The data presented in this listing has been assembled from public data sources, and maintained by the Charleston Trident Multi-Jurisdictional Economic Development Council in partnership with the Charleston Regional Development Alliance. The information is provided as to the accuracy and availability of said information. Measurements and appraisals, although attempted to be consistently accurate, are not guaranteed. Information herein is subject to change prior to listing product conditions.

**Map Tools:**

Map Tools include: Zoom In, Zoom Out, Pan, Rotate, and Map Size.

**Map View:**

The map shows the location of the property (1000 W. Pinckney St.) in North Charleston, South Carolina. The map includes major roads, water bodies, and surrounding land parcels.

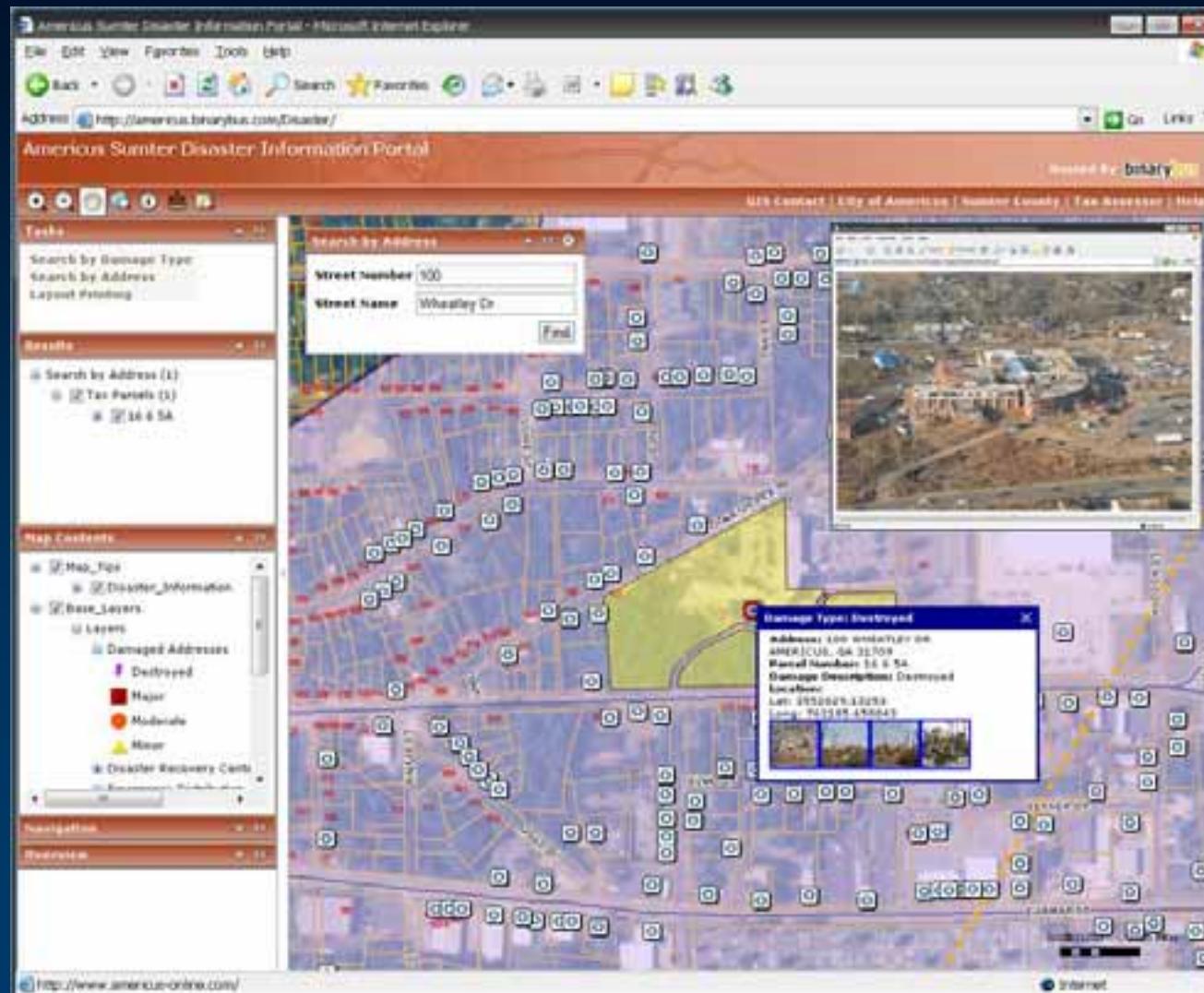
**INVESTMENT SPACE SEARCH:**

Search results for investment space:

Address	Size (sq ft)	City	Municipality
1000 W. Pinckney St.	1,000 sq ft	Charleston	North Charleston
1000 W. Pinckney St.	2,000 sq ft	Charleston	North Charleston
1000 W. Pinckney St.	100 sq ft	Charleston	North Charleston
1000 W. Pinckney St.	2,000 sq ft	Charleston	North Charleston
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1000 W. Pinckney St.	2,000 sq ft	Charleston	North Charleston

# Disaster Management – Tornado 3/1/07

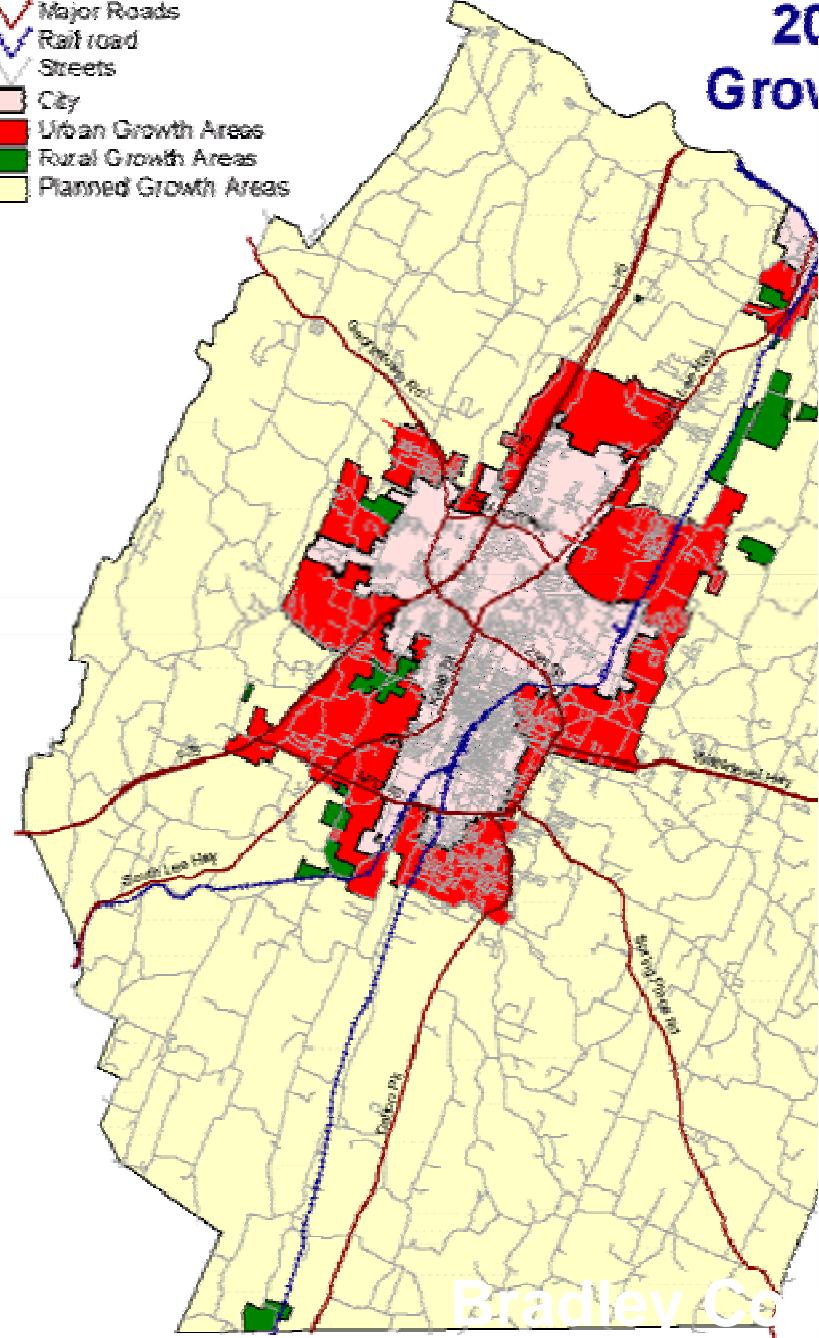
## City of Americus, GA



-  Major Roads
-  Railroad
-  Streets
-  City
-  Urban Growth Areas
-  Rural Growth Areas
-  Planned Growth Areas

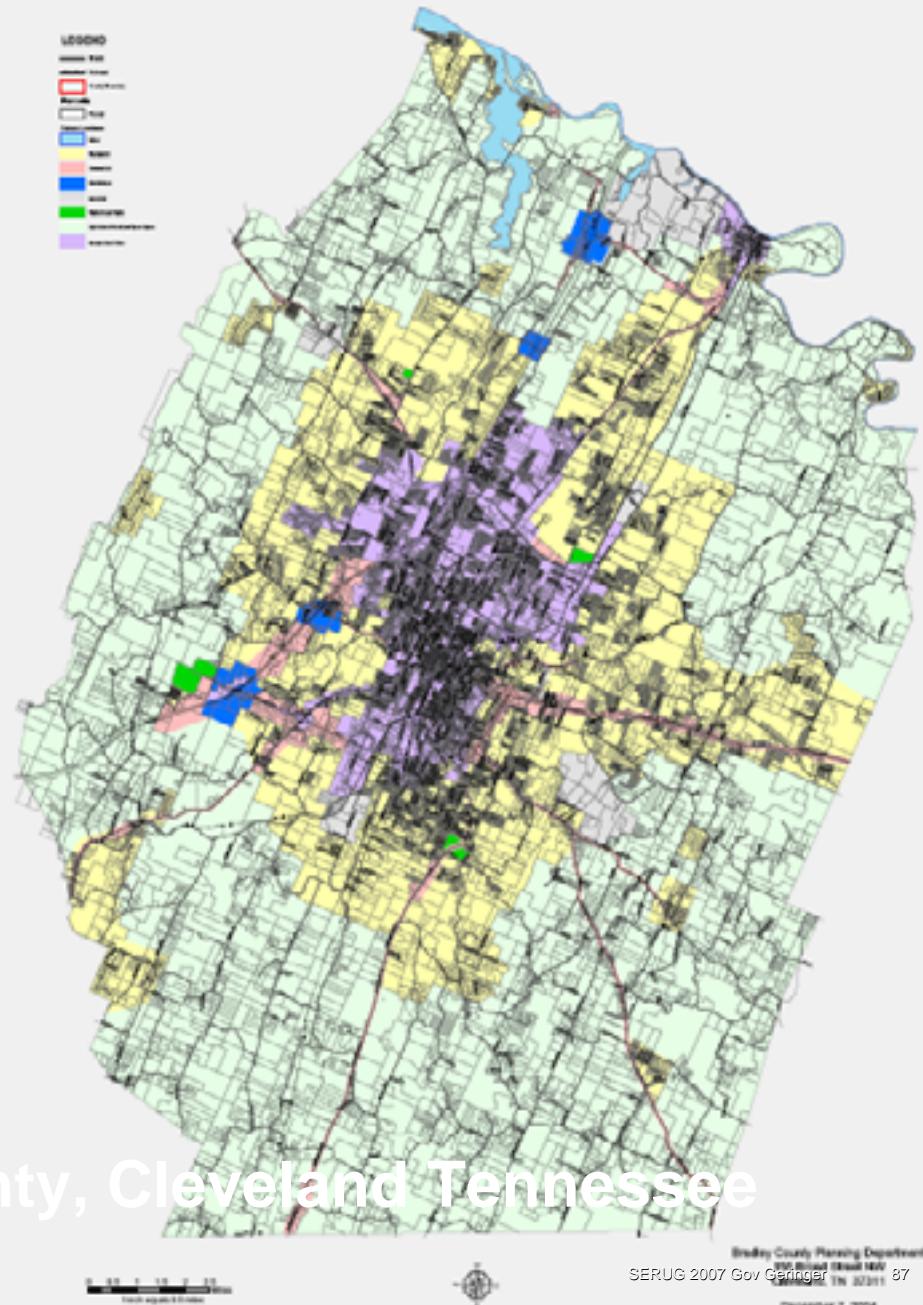
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Bradley County Future Landuse Map

-  Residential
-  Commercial
-  Industrial
-  Conservation
-  Natural



## ***What's Next?***

***Most of tomorrow's systems are under development now.***

***Some of tomorrow's systems already exist, but are not yet available to potential users***

***Don't Underestimate the Wisdom of Crowds***

***The Next Great Killer App Might Be Something Completely Unexpected***

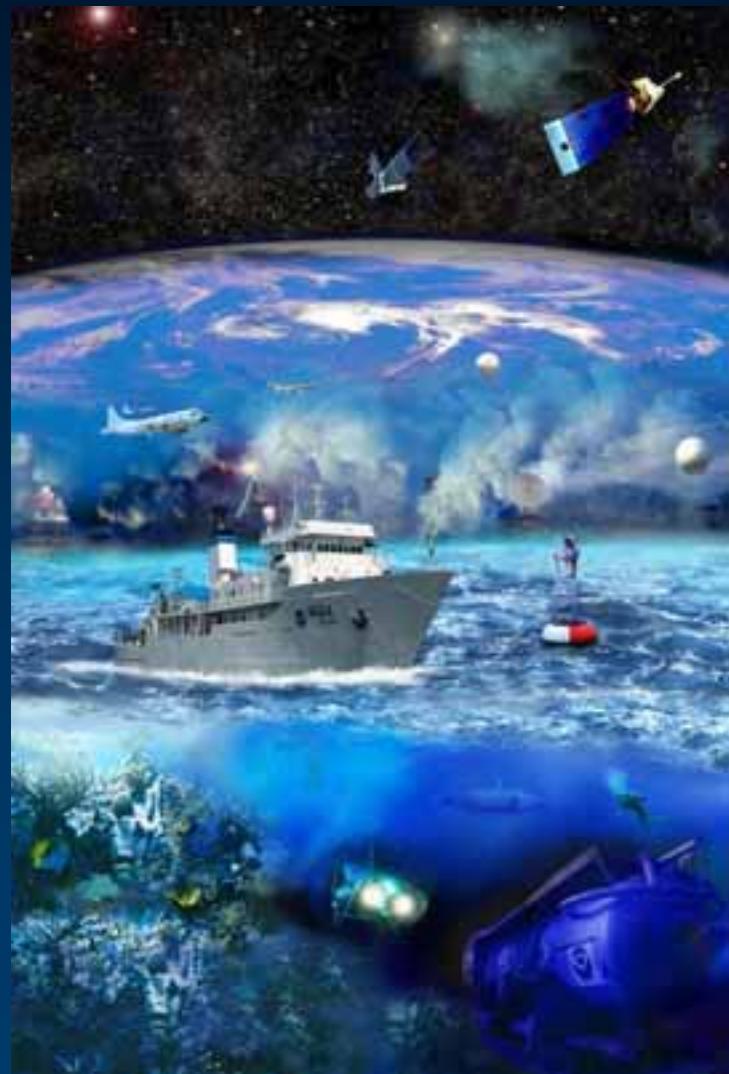
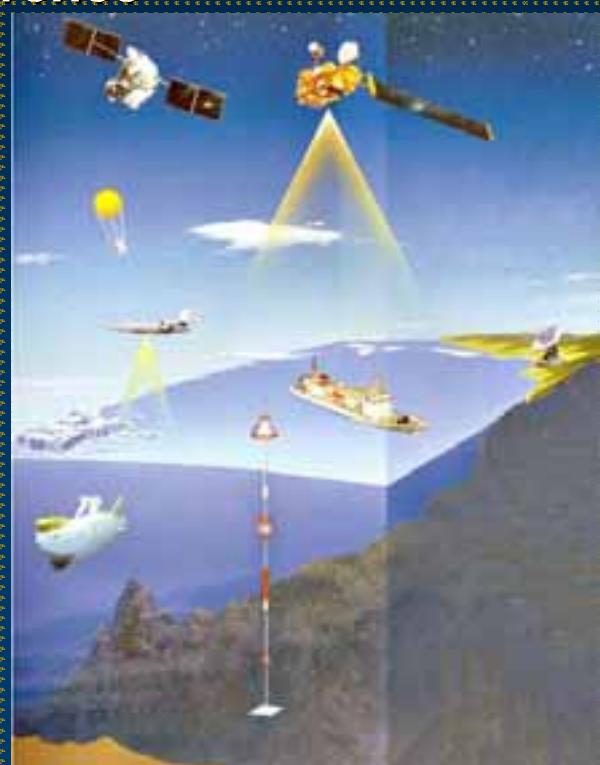
# Looking Forward...

<http://www.strategies.org/Alliance/>

## The Global Earth Observation System of Systems

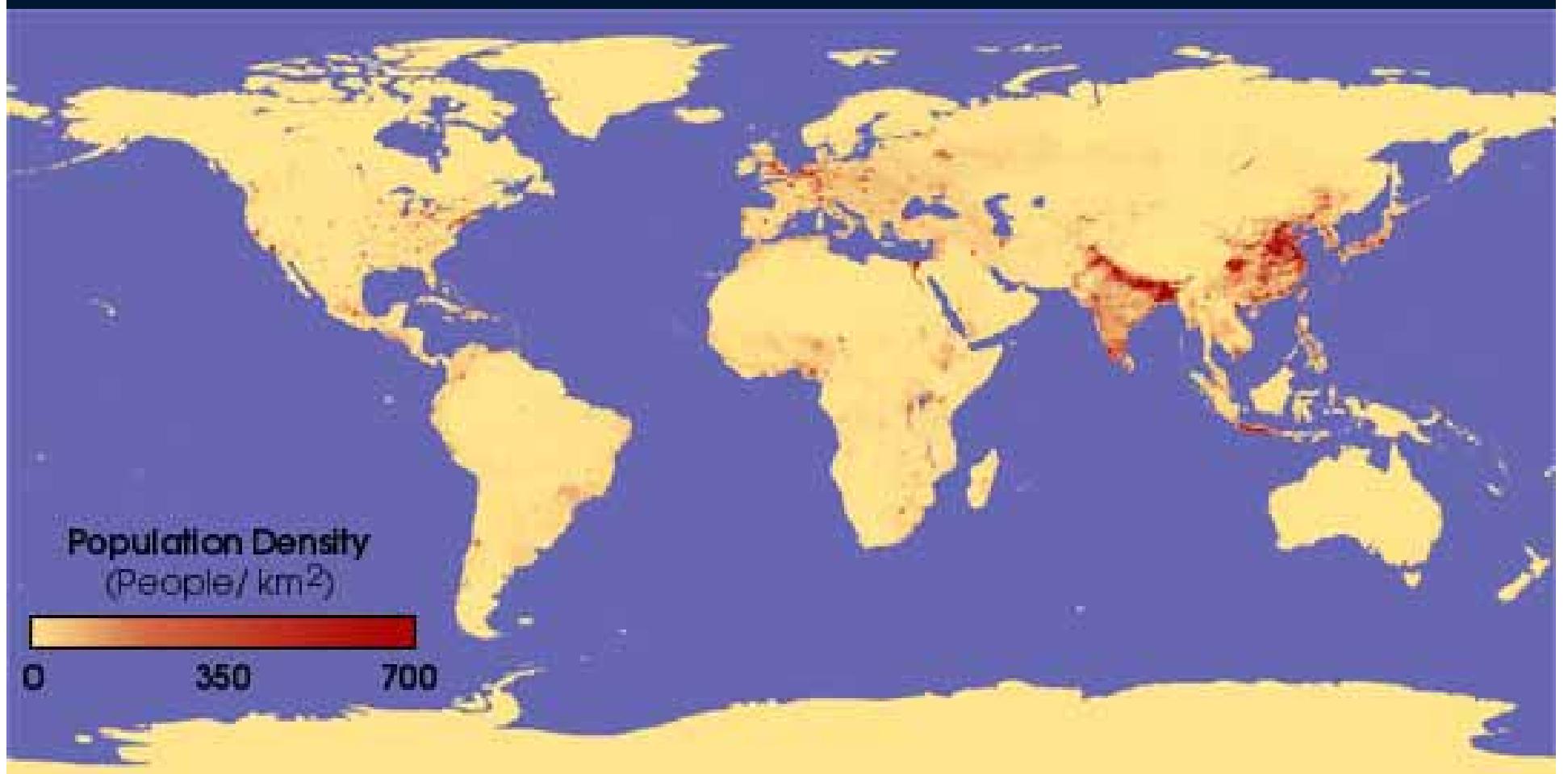


- Dedicated to delivering valuable information
- Global dialogue can make a difference



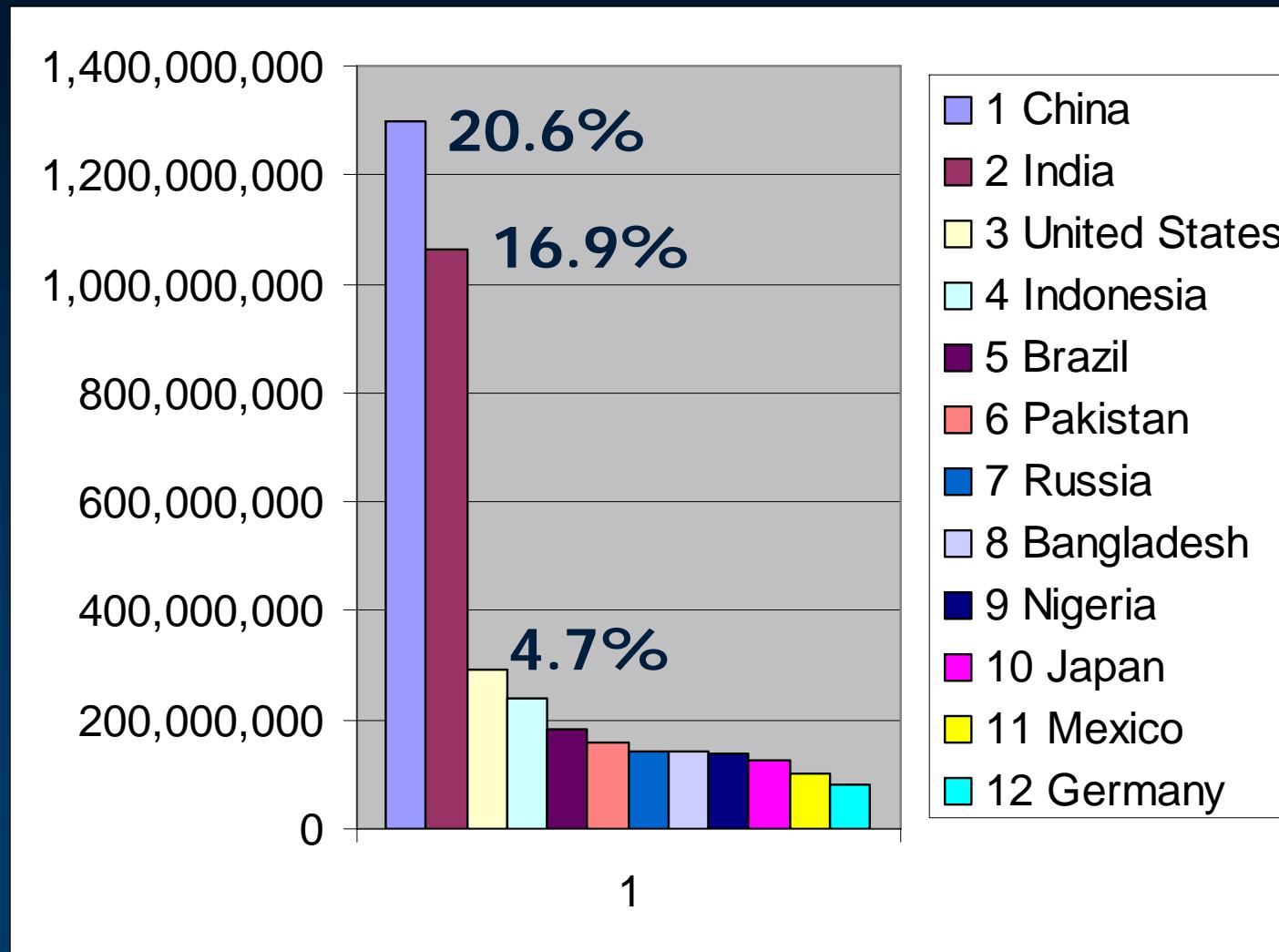
Gov. Geiringer/Faccioli 2000

# *Beyond the United States:* **WORLD POPULATION DENSITY**

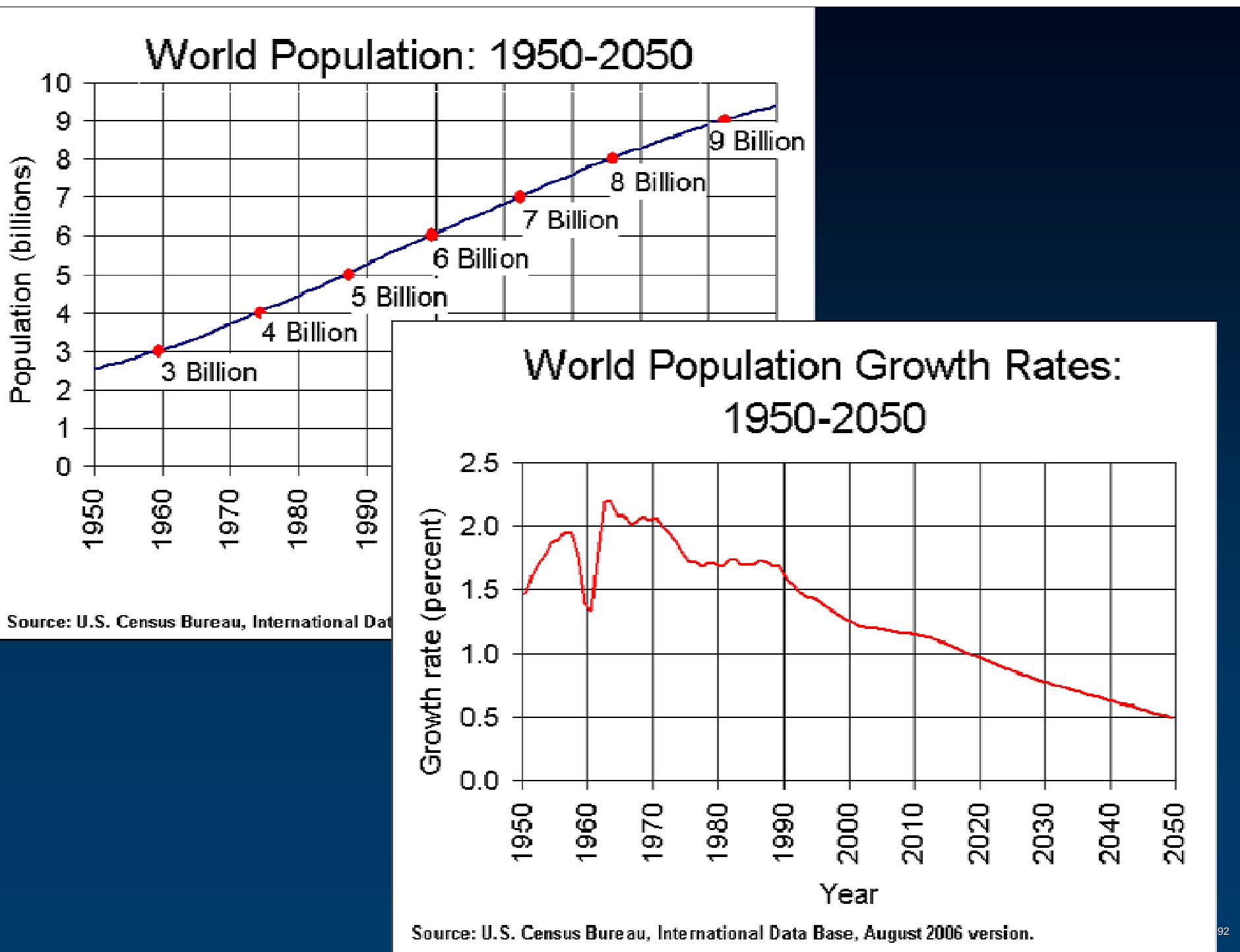


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# World Population

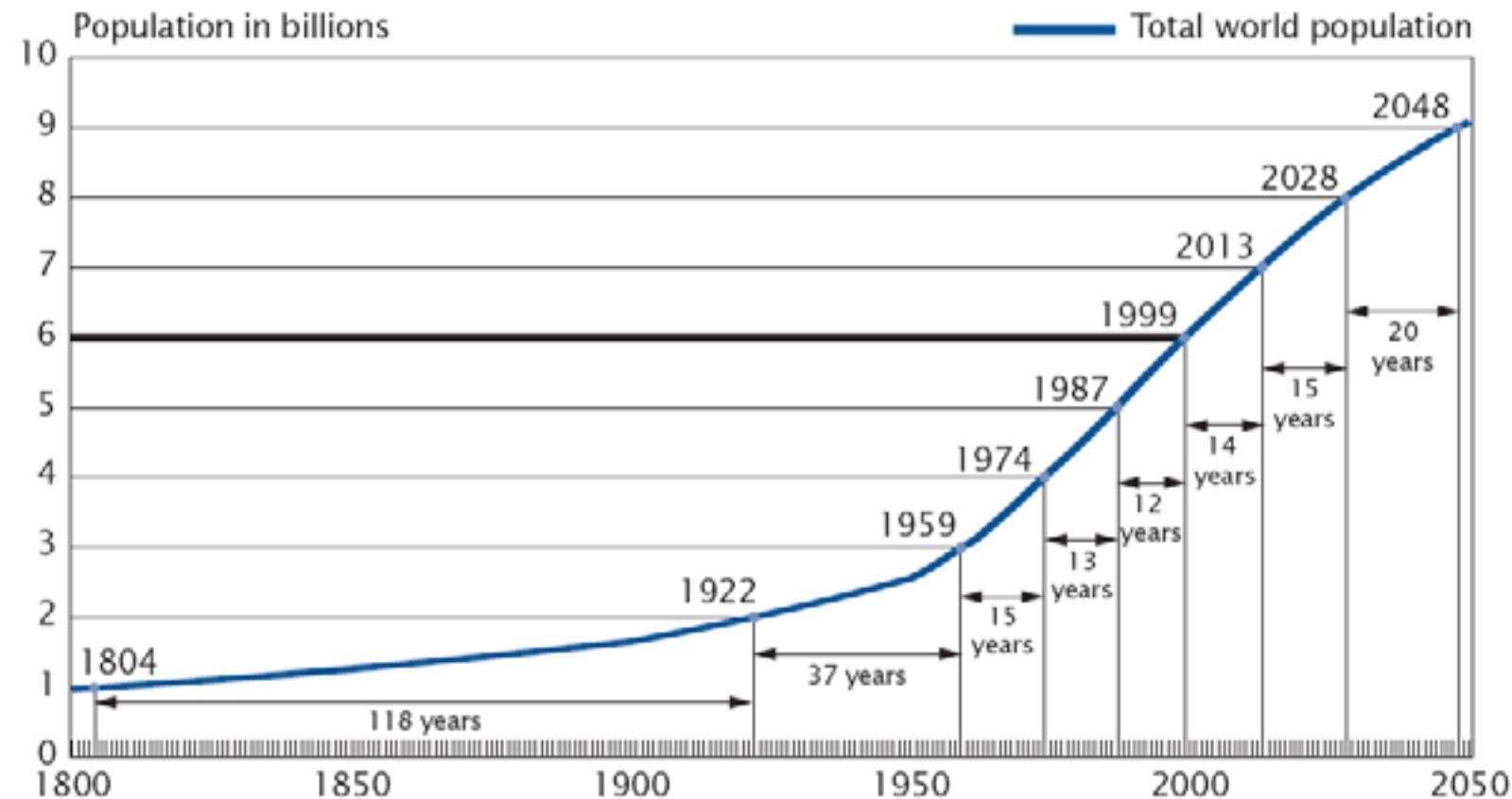


Sources: U.S. Census Bureau and Times Atlas of the World, tenth edition 2004 Estimate



# Reaching the Next Billion...

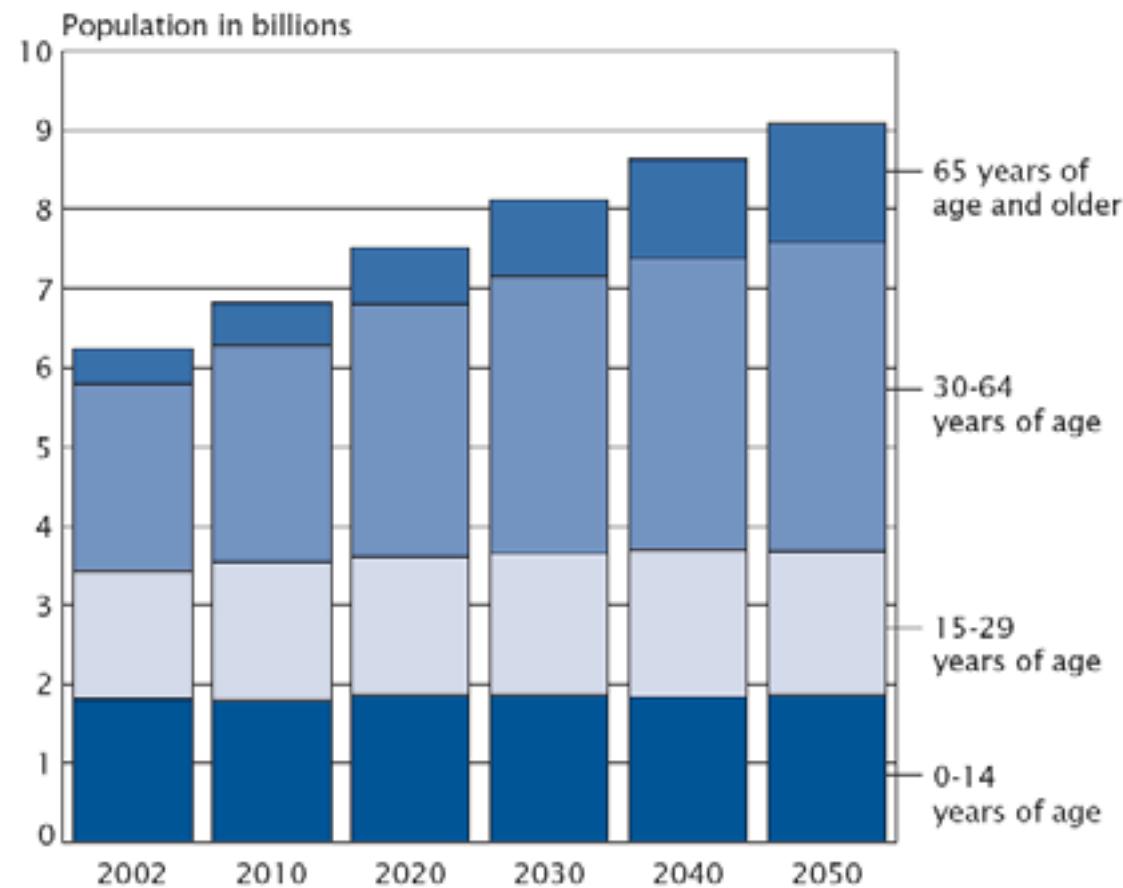
**Annual Additions and the Annual Growth Rate of Global Population**  
**The growth of global population has peaked.**



Source: United Nations, *World Population Prospects: The 1994 Revision*; U.S. Census Bureau, International Programs Center, International Data Base and unpublished tables.

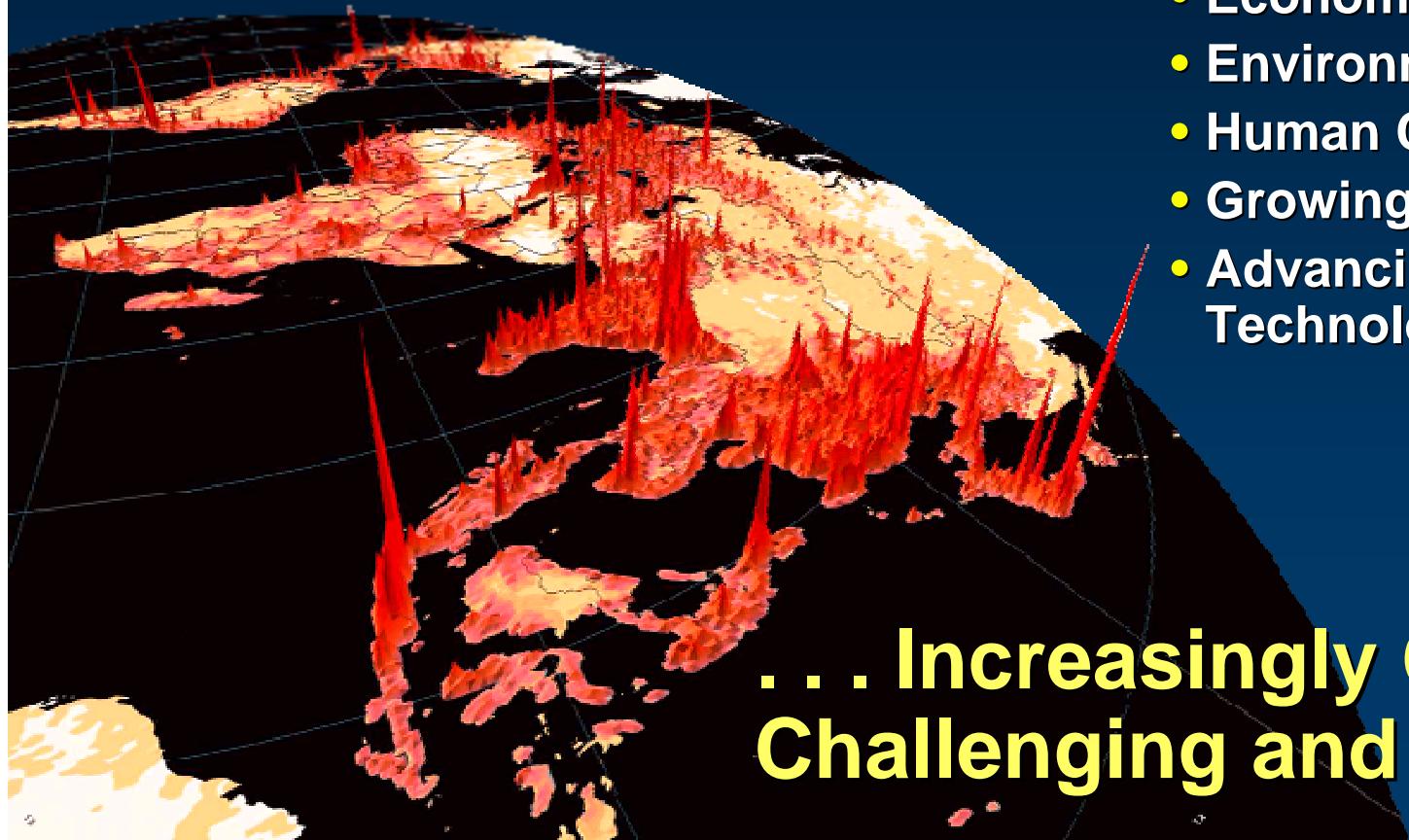
## Population Growth of Specific Age Groups: 2002 to 2050

**The elderly population is projected  
to grow most rapidly.**



Source: U.S. Census Bureau, International Programs Center, International Data Base.

# Sustaining A Changing World



- Population
- Urbanization
- Globalization
- Economic Development
- Environmental Change
- Human Conflicts
- Growing Knowledge
- Advancing Science and Technology

**... Increasingly Complex,  
Challenging and Crowded**

# What Do You Mean, Sustainable?

- A Report from the World Conservation Union defined sustainable as ‘development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs’
- Two fundamental issues: Environmental degradation typically accompanies economic growth, yet such growth is needed to alleviate poverty
- Can we balance environment, economic growth and community?
- What sustain-ability must our environment and resources have in order to have sustain-able development?
- What is the capacity of the biosphere to absorb pollutants, provide resources and services in space and time

## Summarizing

- **Geospatial technology is experiencing rapid changes - as are information management systems in general.**
- **Restructuring of relationships across traditional agency/organizational boundaries.**
- **GIS has been changing at a fundamental level, from a database and data sharing approach to a knowledge approach.**
- **Necessary to adapt to new technologies such as web services, distributed data and server-based apps**
- **Data is often developed for one product or application, rather than across a range of potential uses**
- **Elimination of duplication of effort through strategic planning and a common mission or sense of purpose**

# The Web is Becoming Geographically Enabled

*Many Services and Lots of Communities*

- Many Authors & Publishers
- Interconnected
- Interoperable
- Integrative
- Dynamic



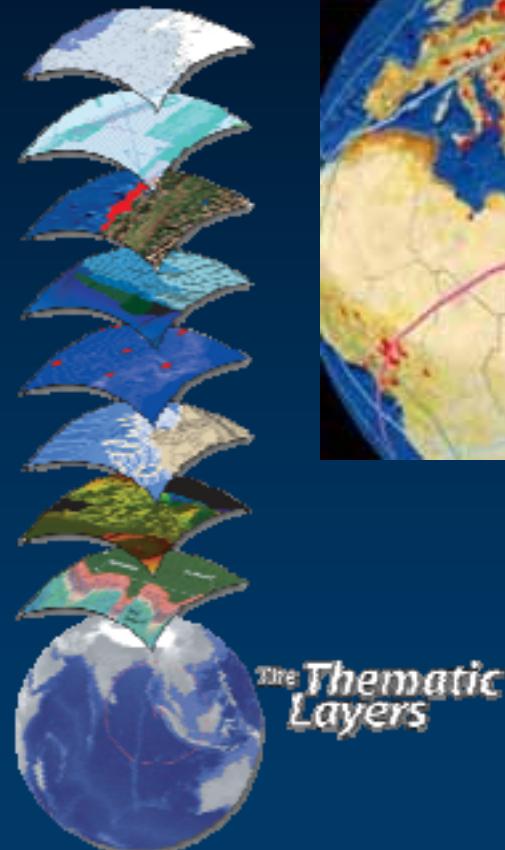
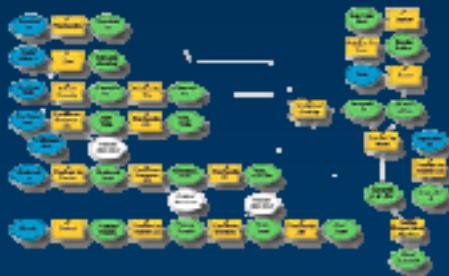
# GIS Provides a New Medium To Understand Issues That Are Increasingly Complex

*Modeling the Physical and Cultural Knowledge of our World*

*Breaking Down the Earth into Components to Understand Systems . . .*

## Providing

- Systematic Knowledge
- An Integrative Framework
- Analytic Methods
- Intuitive Visualization



*... Creating Order and Meaning*

*... Defining Interconnections and Interdependence*

*... Providing a Broad Understanding of Natural and Human Ecology*



Thanks!

