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GIS at MVRPC





Going Places was the catalyst

- Conclusion: use Implementation Tools as main component to support *GP* goals
- Tools will have MVRPC Lead, Partner or Support
- GP committee voted strongly for an implementation tool called "Shared Regional GIS"
- MVRPC staff created a business plan for GIS in order to Lead this effort



MVRPC's regional GIS:

- Better member access to enhanced GIS services
 - Transportation, environment, census, land use layers
 - Boosting the capacity of member communities
- Address regional needs for geospatial coordination
 - Identify, prioritize applications and layers that are used and/or needed



Two components to MVRPC's GIS:

- GIS Professional Support Services (PSS)
 - 'short range' but long lasting
- Regional Geospatial Coordination (RGC)
 - 'long range' but needed to see the big picture



GIS Professional Services Support (PSS):

- Service-oriented program
 - Help to *update* your GIS layers
 - Train staff on using GIS software
 - Help you *maintain* your GIS layers
 - Publish these layers to the web
 - *Connect* your community with neighboring ones via GIS
 - Multiple subject areas
 - Ongoing: Miami County zoning



Regional Geospatial Coordination (RGC):

Partnership program

- More collaborative and long term
- Working group of GIS professionals
- Will involve needs assessment survey
- Determine specific layers that will benefit the region
- Discover useful applications that will benefit the region
- Ongoing: SWOGIS, Needs Assessment



This program is in place to help you!

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