



California  
Geographic  
Information  
Association

CGIA was formed to facilitate coordination, collaboration, and advocacy for California's GIS community

- Statewide professional organization
- Formed in 1994
- Non-profit, 501(c)(3) status



We're as old as The Lion King!

Disney, via Photofest

## A few highlights:

- Defined CA portion of the National Spatial Data Infrastructure
- Supported creation of State GIS Council
- Annual CGIA awards
- Networking events, conferences, webinars



## Webinar series:

- 2019: Emergency GIS
- 2020: Role of GIS in Governance



## What makes us different:

- **Advocacy:** Advocate for California GIS leadership and coordination (legislation and peer-to-peer)
- **Responsiveness:** each Board drives focus for the year and members can participate on Board committees



Join us!

Membership is \$50 annually, \$25 for students

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