



CGIA Community Forum Presents: 3D Hydrography for California

DRAFT Agenda, subject to adjustment

February 12, 2026 - 12:00 Noon to 1:30 PM

Zoom Meeting Registration:

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MEETING TOPIC:

**Development of Statewide Elevation-Derived Hydrography Data for California:
A Federal-State-Regional-Local-Public-Private Community Effort**

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12:00 – 12:05 PM: Welcome and Opening Announcements – Tracy Tober, CGIA Chair, and Jane Schafer-Kramer, CGIA Community Forum Chair

- Feel free to use the chat feature during the presentations for questions, answers, and comments. Open Q&A will happen after all presentations.
- Please stay on mute and keep your camera off unless you are speaking.

12:05 – 12:10 PM

Hydrography Data Stewardship for California

Jane Schafer-Kramer, Lead Hydrography Data Steward, CA Department of Water Resources

12:10 – 12:20 PM

US Geological Survey's Role in the National Hydrography Dataset and the 3D Hydrography Program

Cynthia Ritmiller, USGS National Map Liaison for CA, HI, AZ, CO, NM, NV, UT

12:20 – 12:40 PM

What's So Special About 3D Hydrography Program Data?

David Blodgett, USGS Hydro Informatics Specialist, Acting Chief of the Geo-Intelligence Branch

12:40 – 12:50 PM

The Role of CSU Chico and CSU Northridge in 3D Hydrography Data Development for CA

Erik Fintel, Project Manager, North State Planning and Development Collective, CSU Chico
Joel Osuna-Williams, Project Manager, Center for Geospatial Science and Technology, CSU Northridge

12:50 – 1:00 PM

Building a Regional Collaborative for 3DHP Data Acquisition

Colleen McNally-Murphy, Project Manager, San Mateo Resource Conservation District and the Santa Cruz Mountain Stewardship Network

1:00 to 1:25 PM

Questions & Answers, Open Discussion

1:25 – 1:30 PM

Wrap-Up

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