

K-12 Committee Meeting Minutes

Meeting Date: April 10, 2026 | 9 - 10 a.m.

Attendees

Travis, Gareth, Jacque, Rob, Shana, Mary, Evan, Dennis, Tony

Agenda Items

1. Geofest Update & Planning
 - a. Saturday, October 10, 2026
 - b. Partners
 - i. MAGE
 - ii. UMN (Borchert/Geography)
 - iii. K-12 Education Committee (GIS/LIS + GAC)
 - c. Session(s) to offer
 - i. To discuss at May meeting in a breakout/subcommittee
 - d. Three tracks
 - i. MAGE - teachers present, geography focused
 - ii. GIS/LIS/GAC - hands-on GIS skills
 - iii. UMN - content from faculty
2. GIS/LIS Session proposal
 - a. Who will take the lead on submitting our proposal? Gareth and Mary?
 - b. An update on our work/a call for recruitment to our group
3. Other
 - a. Updating the term 'geo-mentor'
 - i. To be included in work of outreach committee as they reframe the whole process
 - b. Updating the name of our committee
4. Subcommittees
 - a. Outreach stay here
 - b. **Resources:** Shana's Zoom Meeting