

Enterprise GIS

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Overview

In December 2022, the County Board approved permanently moving the Geographic Information Systems (GIS) division into the Project Administration department. This move took place because GIS was recognized to be an enterprise function, as they provide services to almost every department within the county, in a similar manner to Project Administration.

Mission

Our mission is to establish and maintain a foundation of accurate and reliable geographic information and systems with the intent to create and develop geospatial maps, databases for the benefit and advancement of county projects, local businesses, and residents.

Vision

Our vision is to be a trusted partner for Wright County departments, government agencies, regional partners, and the public by providing effective mapping solutions and services for the benefit and advancement of the county and its residents.

Goals

- Develop, manage, and maintain high accuracy spatial data within the County
- Collaborate with County departments to develop GIS solutions that respond to business needs
- Increase data transparency for County departments and residents
- Educate GIS users through training, networking, and professional development
- Promote the value of GIS throughout the County
- Maximize civic engagement through applications and web services
- Develop and deliver products that highlight County services
- Standardize data formats for GIS use

Customers

The GIS division serves both internal and external customers:

- County departments, leadership, and County Board
- Other government agencies, including local, state and federal entities
- County residents and businesses

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