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Roy Romer
Governor

EXECUTIVE ORDER

COLORADO GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION COORDINATING COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, government and private agencies in Colorado share a need for up-to-date land and resource information products; and

WHEREAS, it benefits both public and private parties to coordinate and share geographic information; and

WHEREAS, there is a need for a forum for coordinating geographic information;

NOW, THEREFORE, I Roy Romer, Governor of the State of Colorado, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the laws of the State of Colorado, order:

1. The Colorado Geographic Information Coordinating Committee is hereby established. This committee shall have the following responsibilities:
 - a. Promote a spirit of cooperation between state, federal, and local agencies, and the private sector in addressing geographic data and information needs and services in Colorado;
 - b. Identify and provide recommendations to state and federal agencies on mapping and geographic data needs, priorities, and standards;
 - c. Establish or recommend guidelines for interchange of data among state agencies;
 - d. Advise the United States Geological Survey of State priority areas for use of federal resources;
 - e. Promote coordination of programs, policies, technologies, and resources to maximize opportunities and minimize duplication of effort;

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- f. Provide a contact point and rudimentary clearinghouse within state government for local governments and private entities with geographical information systems concerns.
 - g. Provide recommendations to the Governor, where appropriate, concerning issues related to geographic information.
 - i. Report to the Governor on an annual basis, commencing on or before October 1, 1990 and on or before each October 1 thereafter.
2. The Colorado Geographic Information Coordinating Committee shall be composed of the executive directors, or the designees of the executive directors, of the following agencies and organizations:
- a. Colorado Department of Local Affairs;
 - b. Colorado Department of Natural Resources;
 - c. Colorado Department of Highways;
 - d. Colorado Department of Health;
 - e. Colorado Department of Administration;
 - f. Colorado Department of Agriculture; and
 - g. Colorado Department of Higher Education.
3. Representatives from federal agencies shall be invited to sit on the Committee in an ex-officio capacity as the Committee deems appropriate.
4. Representatives from local governments, other state agencies and the private sector shall be invited to sit on the Committee in an ex-officio capacity as the Committee deems appropriate.
5. State agencies, to the extent possible, will be provided with computer resources to permit them to work with geographical information.

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6. The Committee will be chaired by the Executive Director of the Department of Local Affairs or his designee.
7. This Executive Order shall expire December 31, 1991 unless extended by Executive Order.



GIVEN under my hand and the Executive Seal of Colorado this 19th day of October, 1989.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Roy Romer".

Roy Romer
Governor

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