

EGLR NEWSLETTER

Welcome to the Meeting

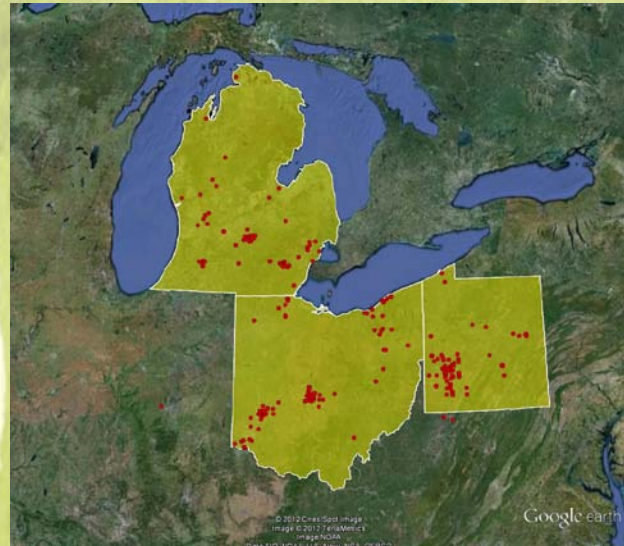
Welcome to the ASPRS 2013 Eastern Great Lakes Region (EGLR) 2nd Annual Dinner Winter Meeting. Tonight fellow colleagues from around the region are meeting simultaneously in Ann Arbor, MI, Columbus, OH, and Pittsburgh, PA. The 3-city event was organized to reduce the economic burden of travel for our members.

As we take a moment to look back at 2012, I would like to thank our Board of Directors for their dedication and volunteerism to the region and ASPRS. We extend our thanks to our meeting coordinators and location hosts for two successful EGLR technical meetings in Ann Arbor and Columbus. Also, 2012 brought us a new EGLR Website, newsletter, and the first time a meeting was broadcast live via the web along with meeting status updates on twitter.

The year 2013 continues this forward momentum of the EGLR. Your Board has begun planning our two technical meetings. The first will be held at Michael Baker in Beaver, PA on Friday June 21st. The summer meeting plans to have a great line up of guest speakers for what will be a "TECH" filled day of geospatial presentations. The second meeting will commence at the University of Toledo in October. The East Lakes Chapter of the American Association of Geographers (AAG) will be co-hosting the two-day event with us. The board looks forward to welcoming you at each technical meeting.

Thank you,

Jim Peters
President, ASPRS Eastern Great Lakes Region



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<http://www.asprs.org/a-regions/EasternGL/>

2nd Annual EGLR-ASPRS Dinner Meeting

Zingerman's Roadhouse – Ann Arbor, MI

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Upcoming Events

ASPRS 2013 Annual Conference
Baltimore, MD
March 24-28, 2013

EGLR – ASPRS 2013 Summer Meeting
Pittsburgh, PA
June 21, 2013

Become a Member of ASPRS

Information on becoming a member of the ASPRS and all of the great benefits associated with membership can be found on the National webpage – www.ASPRS.org

Dinner Meeting Agenda

6:00pm – Meet and Greet (Cash Bar)

6:50pm – Audio/Video Slideshow to be shared between all 3 cities

- Recognition of 2012 Board
- Installation of 2013 Board
- Brief 2012 Year in Review and Preview of the 2013 Technical Meetings

7:00pm – Dinner

After Dinner – Guest Speaker: Richard J. Dobson

Richard J. Dobson, Assistant Research Scientist, of the Michigan Technical Research Institute will present on projects that are using UAV (Unmanned Aerial Vehicle) technology.

9:00pm – Meeting Wrap-up with the Past President's Recognition

Guest Speaker



Richard J. Dobson

Assistant Research Scientist at MTRI

Richard is an Assistant Research Scientist at Michigan Technical Research Institute (MTRI) with over five years experience applying Geographic Information System and Remote Sensing analysis for Environmental, Transportation, and Geologic projects.

Richard earned a BS (2007) in Earth Science and is expected to complete a MS in Environmental Science in April 2013. Richard has also developed 3DOBS (3D Optical Bridge-Evaluation System) for the evaluation of bridge deck surface conditions and is also the lead pilot for the MTRI's Unmanned Aerial Vehicle (UAV) on display in Ann Arbor this evening.