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Mr. Stuart R. Davis, President  
National States Geographic Information Council  
2105 Laurel Bush Road, Suite 200  
Bel Air, MD 21015

Dear Mr. Davis,

I am pleased to inform you that the Board of Directors of the Wisconsin Land Information Association (WLIA) has approved an endorsement for the National States Geographic Information Council's (NSGIC) initiative entitled "Imagery for the Nation." The Board recognizes that this initiative establishes an imagery program that will not only benefit the state of Wisconsin, but the entire nation.

The WLIA's endorsement reads as follows:

The WLIA is aware of NSGIC's *Imagery for the Nation* initiative. It offers the potential of providing the state with systematically acquired, high-resolution ortho imagery on a set schedule. This proposal offers something much needed by state and local governments and the private sector in Wisconsin. The WLIA endorses this proposal in concept, and looks forward to working with NSGIC and federal agencies in its implementation.

WLIA supports the vision for a sustainable, comprehensive statewide digital aerial imagery program as outlined in the *Imagery for the Nation* proposal. To that end, WLIA will actively promote this initiative to local stakeholders, state and local government leadership, the Wisconsin State Legislature and the Wisconsin Congressional delegation.

Sincerely,

Fred Halfen, President  
Wisconsin Land Information Association

cc: Ted Koch

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