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UCGIS endorses the NSGIC's initiative "Imagery For The Nation" (http://www.nsgic.org/committees1/documents.cfm?cid=67) to further improve and institutionalize federal orthophotography programs within a more consistent 3-year cycle. The NSCIG proposal reflects the shared concerns of UCGIS and NSGIC about the critical importance of a rational and effective national program that supports the research foundations of GIS, as well the countless programs/policies supported by the many public, non-profit and commercial GIS interests with an investment in this infrastructure. Thanks for taking the leadership on this matter.

Please let us know if we can do anything else to support this effort.

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