



## **MAST Meeting Minutes 13 Dec 2019**

### **Meeting Commenced**

#### **Attendees:**

Courtney Kirkham  
Paul Barnes  
Karen Clark  
Brady Smith  
Adam Terrell  
Jacob Goff  
Mike Miller  
Grant Hobgood  
Hema Goplan  
Usa McEvans  
Jonathan Pitchford  
David Holt  
Alicia Carron  
Andrew Heaton  
Robert Gruba

#### **Presentation: Planet**

- Lisa Gallagher and Pedro Rodriguez
- Attendees were engaged and interested throughout the presentation, with many following up with questions afterward
- Lisa requested information on presenting at MGC 2020.
- Those interested in Planet's services can request a two - week trial at their website (<https://planet.com/trial>)

#### **MGC 2019 Conference Recap:**

- Having a key note was well received, as was the selection for the inaugural presenter.
- Ian Stewart won the Poster Competition and Scholarship.



- Mike Miller and Paul Barnes both volunteered to print posters for free in the future, in an effort to drive up student participation.

### **Board Updates:**

- **Digital Coast Partnership Meeting Report**

- Paul Barnes attended this event in the first week of Dec 2019.
- [NOAA's Office for Coastal Management \(https://coast.noaa.gov/\)](https://coast.noaa.gov/) is a primary sponsor for [Digital Coast \(https://coast.noaa.gov/digitalcoast/\)](https://coast.noaa.gov/digitalcoast/)
  - Digital Coast is a centralized website for accessing imagery from several organizations in one place.

- **Digital Coast Act**

- The Digital Coast Act, H. R. 2189, is a bill in the House of Representatives that, among other things, would allow NOAA to establish a “Best Practices” document for collecting and managing coastal geospatial data.
- More information on the bill can be accessed by viewing the [public congressional data \(https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/2189\)](https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/house-bill/2189) for it.

### **Open Forum**

- The City of Hattiesburg now has a Federated Portal for ArcGIS Enterprise.
- The Department of Marine Resources will start tracking officers for their safety while they are in the field.
- The next meeting will be on February 14th in Hattiesburg, MS.

### **Meeting Adjourned**