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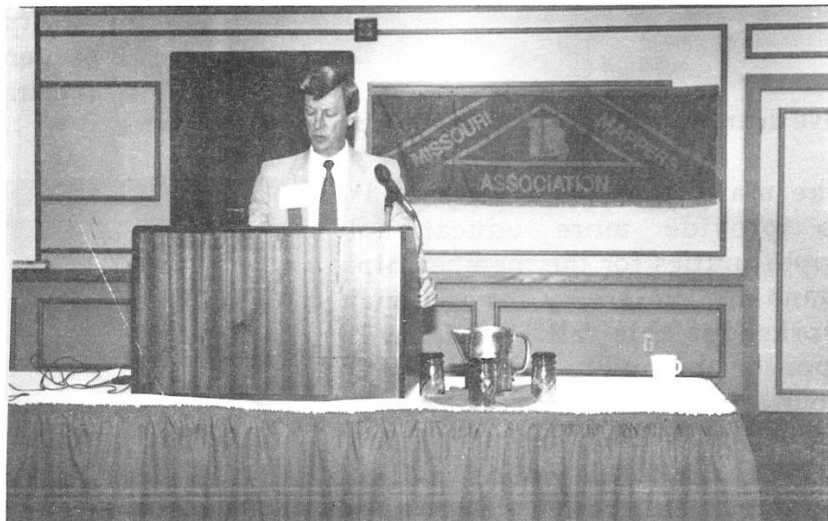
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THE 1990 ANNUAL MEETING



The 1990 Annual Meeting opened with a welcome from President Don Cleveland. He introduced the board members and committee chairpersons and recognized all charter members who were in attendance.

Lisa Welker of McDonnell Douglas Systems Integration Co., was the first speaker. She presented an overview of Gis Systems and their operation.

The second morning session was presented by Tim Haithcoat of the University of Missouri. he explained the TIGAR files, which consist of digital maps and data used by the United States Census Bureau.

After lunch, Bob Boley reviewed the process the State went through to acquire the maps in use today. He emphasized their importance in the assessment process.

Stephen Fair, Geography Instructor and Coordinator of the Missouri Geographic Alliance, brought in copies of a United States map which was manually drawn in extreme detail. He then took everyone on a "geographic tour" of southeast Missouri and adjoining states.

Our thanks to the exhibitors for an enjoyable hospitality hour. Many door prizes were distributed.

The evening banquet speaker was Senator Roger Wilson. He represented a challenge to everyone in attendance to personally get involved in shaping and molding the future of our state and country.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

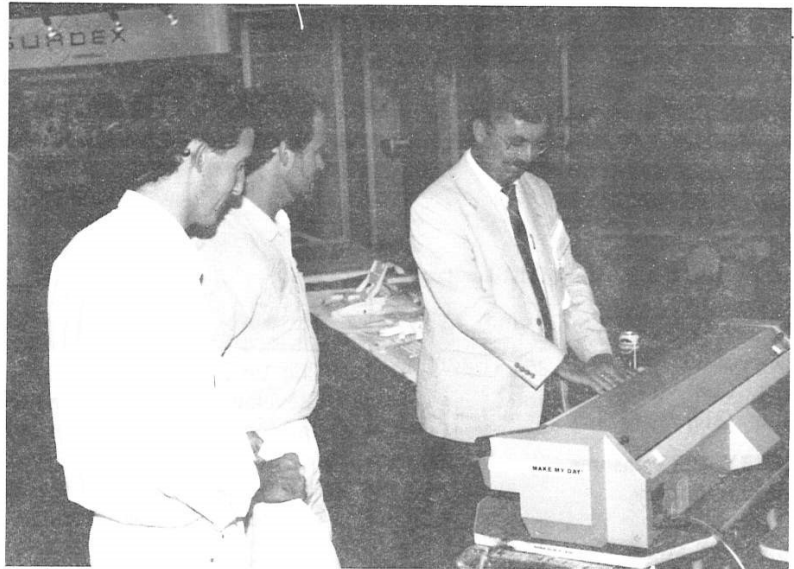


What a great 1990 Annual Meeting. My thanks again to Linda Crane, who served as committee chairman, for all of her hard work and dedication.

I foresee the next year to be a very busy, but exciting one. I am pleased to have been selected to guide MMA through the plans and programs being considered by the board of directors and committee chairpersons. I am delighted that we had several members volunteer for the chairmanship of each committee. Please

give them your support if they contact you for assistance.

The main goal for this year is to provide more educational opportunities for the membership. Plans are underway for regional workshops this fall. MMA will sponsor the newly revised IAAO Course 6 - Fundamentals of Mapping. The tentative date is February 4 thru 8, 1991. The details will be finalized very soon and notice will be sent separately.



Another goal for this year is legislation. The passing of the Bill that requires all surveys which create new parcels to be recorded is a big step forward. We will be working with other organizations to iron out any problems with this legislation. The board of directors would support and work for the passage of any other legislation which would benefit the mapping profession. If you have any questions, please let us know.



Let's make a commitment to work together this year for the betterment of MMA.

Dan Roe, PMM
President

PMM PROCEDURE MANUAL

The Procedure Manual for the Professional Missouri Mappers was adopted by the Board of the Missouri Mappers at their meeting on September 15. This manual gives an outline as to the duties of the Professional Missouri Mapper as well as the Certification Committee. The Certification Committee chairman will be mailing out to each PMM a copy of this manual for their perusal. If for some reason a PMM does not receive a copy please contact Stan W. Balsman PMM and he will supply you with a copy.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

As of September 30, 1990 there are 109 current members of the Missouri Mappers Association. To quickly check if your membership is current, look at the mailing label on this newsletter. It lists the expiration date of your membership and if that date has passed then you need to renew. If there is a mistake either in your address or expiration date or if you want to make any changes to your mailing address let Bob Norris know. Please forward and changes in writing to: Missouri Mappers Association • P.O. Box 1692 • Jefferson City, Missouri 65102 • Attn: Bob Norris

At present the committee is preparing a letter to former members inciting them to renew their membership. Also the committee is going to revise the informational pamphlet which will introduce our Association to potential members. Any suggestions on information to include or artwork for the cover would be greatly appreciated. Contact either Loraine Boyd, Fred McGruder, Steve Tate or Bob Norris.

A third project will be the annual membership directory, currently planned to be published in the December newsletter. The directory will include name, employer, address, and phone numbers. If there are any changes or you would like your phone number excluded let the committee know at the address listed above.

UNIQUE, UNUSUAL NAMES

Franklin County Mappers say Hello! They also included a list of some of their favorite Unique names. Do you have a picture of your mapping room you would like to see in the newsletter or any trivia you would like to share with us? Please send to: Jean Beasley • Rt. 2 Box 397 • Steelville, Missouri 65565



Unusual Names

Bob White	Robert E. Lee
Goldie Black	Lloyd Bridges
Doris Day	Ron Regan
Ronald McDonald	Johnny Cash
Ben Gay	Lulu Sugg
Booker T. Washington	James Dean
Cam Adams Redwing	Sieglinde Kurz
John Doe	Pinky White
Pierce Glass	Charlie Brown
Mary Jo Gojohn	Regan Ford
Russell & Paige Rowbottom	George Kennedy
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