



June 9, 2017

Statewide GIS Users Group Meeting Hosted by GVMC/REGIS

On Thursday June 1st, The Statewide GIS Users Group meeting was hosted in West Michigan at the Kent County Road Commission (KCRC). GVMC worked with the State of Michigan's Department of Technology, Management and Budget (DTMB) to coordinate the meeting. We would like to thank KCRC for allowing us to use their facility. The meeting had great attendance and attendees enjoyed presentations about asset management, our REGIS Utility Finder Tool

and ongoing state GIS projects. Attendees also got a chance to see the GVMC Pavement Data Collection Van on display. Mike Zonyk and Mike Brameijer, both Transportation Planners at GVMC talked about how "The Van" is used to collect valuable data in the field.



Sand Lake's Dave Dewey Joins GVMC Board



Dave Dewey, is past President and a current Trustee for the Village of Sand Lake. He has been on the Village Council since 2005, after retiring from Grant Public Schools.

We welcome Dave to Grand Valley Metro Council and appreciate his participation.

GVMC Helps 1,000 Students Experience the Grand River

As part of the recent International River Rally held in Grand Rapids, GVMC Environmental Programs staff along with many other organizations participated in an educational program which allowed 1,000 8th grade students from GRPS to experience the Grand River firsthand. For the majority of students this was the first time they ever experienced the river in canoes.

