

In accordance with its mission, PaMAGIC has been a continual proponent of a Geospatial Advisory Council representing public, private, and academic interests of all levels. We were one of only three (3) groups from outside state agencies to participate in the PA Geographic Information Council (PAGIC) established in 1999. Our participation in legislative hearings in 2003 and 2004 resulted in House Resolution 882 recommending Executive-level strategic planning and coordination of geospatial technologies. That resolution was the impetus for a series of legislative efforts that continually refined the concepts and development of a statewide Council.

Geo-Council Legislative History

- PAGIC 1998-2004 – established through a PRIME Initiative
- HR 882 - Passed October 2004
- HB 2871 – introduced w/o passage 2005-06
- HB 1304 - introduced w/o passage 2007-08
- Geospatial Strategic Plan 2008-2009
- HB 2300 - introduced w/o passage 2009-2010