



**Eastern Great Lakes Region**  
**American Society for Photogrammetry and**  
**Remote Sensing**

**Reaching-out and Reconnecting:  
Exploring the Status of Geospatial Technology within the Great Lakes Region**

***California University of Pennsylvania***  
***Eberly 110***  
***California, PA 15419***

***Saturday October 9, 2010***

**9:30am - Gathering and Arrival**

**9:45 – 10:45 EGLR Business and Student Chapters Meeting**

**11:00 – 12:00 Introducing The Views**

- 1) AmericaView – 11:00-11:30**
- 2) PAView - 11:30 – 12:00**

**Lunch**

**1:30 -3:00pm**

**The Industry Perspective**

- 1) Terrasim – 1:30-2:00**
- 2) ESRI – Image Analysis Tools in ArcGIS – 2:00-2:30**
- 3) Pictometry – 2:30-3:00**

**Break**

**3:15 – 4:00**

**Regional Stories – The Good, the Bad and the Ugly  
(Panel Discussion)**

- 1. Allegheny County, PA**
- 2. Washington County, PA**

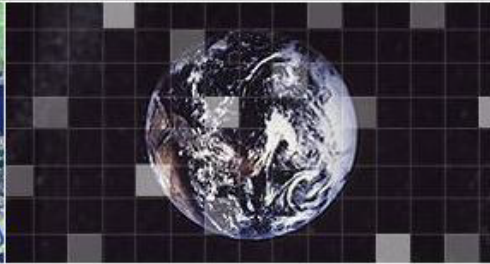
**4:00 – 4:30**

**Meeting Wrap-up**

**5:00**

**Dinner and Departures**

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## SPOTLIGHT

[Senator Tim Johnson \(SD\) Meets with USGS Director Nominee McNutt, discusses the AmericaView Consortium and pending legislation](#)

Welcome ConnecticutView, our 37th member! For more information on ConnecticutView, see the [News page](#).



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## EVENTS

[AmericaView Fall 2010 Technical Meeting](#)

October 11-13, 2010

Hosted by [WisconsinView](#)

The Pyle Center, Madison, Wisconsin

AmericaView (AV) is a nationwide program that focuses on satellite remote sensing data and technologies in support of applied research, K-16 education, workforce development, and technology transfer.

The AmericaView Consortium is comprised of university-led, state-based consortia working together to build a nationwide network of state and local users. AmericaView works to further expand communications networks, facilities, and capabilities for acquiring and sharing remotely sensed data among AmericaView members. The Consortium is actively working with the USGS and universities across the country to expand participation in the AV Program to all 50 states.

A Nationwide Consortium for Remote Sensing Education, Research, and Geospatial Applications



## About PA View

PAView is a collaborative effort of a consortium of members throughout the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. PaView was established in September of 2005 and is a full member of the [AmericaView](#) program. The current members who have a wide range of research and outreach interests include: California University of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania Topographic and Geologic Survey, the Pennsylvania Office of Information Technology/Bureau of Geospatial Technologies, the Pennsylvania State University, Pennsylvania Spatial Data Access—the public access GIS clearinghouse for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the Pennsylvania Space Grant Consortium.

PAView, as part of the AmericaView—program, will focus on public domain remotely sensed data and technologies in support of applied research, K-16 education, workforce development, and technology transfer. AmericaView (AV) is administered through a partnership between the U.S. Geological Survey and the AmericaView SM Consortium. The Consortium is the federal government's primary partner in achieving the AV Program vision and goals.

PAView was developed to further one of the primary goals of the AmericaView program—educating the public about remotely sensed imagery and to provide an additional portal to data and information in a public forum.

### The goals of PAView are:

- To build partnerships within the Commonwealth to support interests in public domain remotely sensed data.
- To create resources for K-12 teachers to utilize in their classrooms to educate students about satellite imagery.
- To promote the sharing of data through connections with existing resources and acquisition of new data resources.
- To promote the annual Pennsylvania Workshop on Remote Sensing.
- To work with undergraduate educators and institutions through the Commonwealth to enhance access to satellite data and encourage its use in their courses.