

NGAC 3DEP Subcommittee Report



3DEP Subcommittee Membership – October 2023

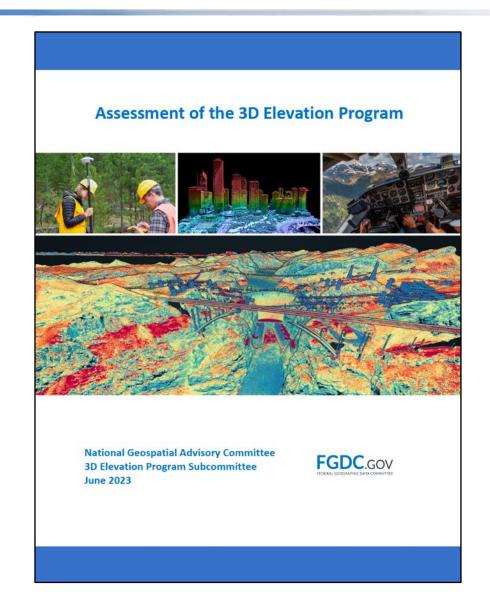
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NGAC 3DEP Assessment Report

- Approved by NGAC June 28, 2023
- Final Report posted on NGAC website:
 - https://www.fgdc.gov/ngac/meetings/june-2023/ngac-assessment-of-the-3d-elevation-program-june.pdf
- USGS developing responses to recommendations in assessment report





Potential 3DEP Subcommittee Study Topics

- 1. Feedback on draft next generation 3DEP research plan
 - Jason Stoker will present 3DEP research plan at next subcommittee meeting
 - 3DEP subcommittee will provide feedback
 - Final feedback/inputs provided before end of 2023 calendar year
- 2. Develop an approach to conducting outreach into areas where 3DEP is lacking partnerships/funding considering both the Federal and private sector sides
 - Transportation will be initial focus
 - Levels of engagement: "what can you do to help?"
 - Infrastructure
 - Agriculture
 - Energy
- 3. For a 2024 NGAC meeting, 3DEP subcommittee proposes a panel of Departments of Transportation (DoT)
 - How transportation uses LIDAR
 - How do we work between USDoT and state DoTs on a strategy



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Next Steps:

- Provide feedback on 3DEP research plan
 - December 2023
- Develop 3DEP Outreach Plan
 - Host NGAC DoT Panel (2024 Q1)

