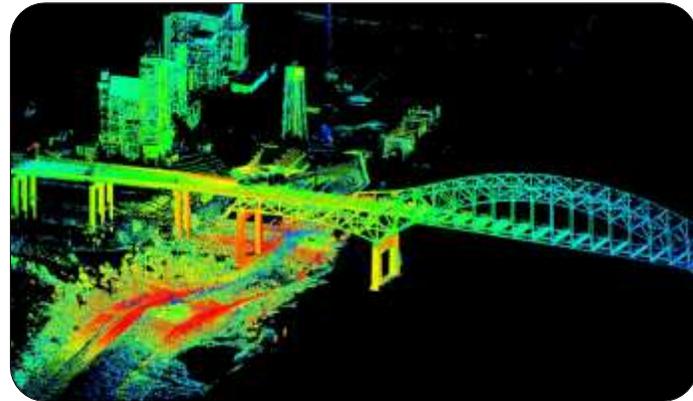


Structures Datasets as NGDA



NGDAs

National Geospatial Data Assets

core set of digital spatial information for the Nation that
serve as a foundation for users of geographic
information

(Best federal dataset available)

Structures part of:

theme:

Real Property

location of real property entities, typically consisting of one or more of the following: unimproved land, a building, a structure, site improvements and the underlying land & complex real property entities "facilities"

USGS National Structures Database (NSD)

(built for development of USGS map products; [USGS is not the Authoritative Source](#))

- **Schools**** NGA/ORNL (provides improvement & access to) DOE
- **Prisons**** NGA/ORNL
- **Police stations**** NGA/ORNL (provides access to) HIFLD/pvt company 7 years old
- **Fire stations**** NGA/ORNL (provides access to) HIFLD/pvt company 7 years old
- **Post offices**** BOC (provides access to) USPS
- **Hospitals**** ORNL (provides improvement & access to) HHS
- **State Capitols**** GNIS
- [\(new, experimental, partial\)](#) Trailheads, campgrounds, visitor centers, active mines

** in HIFLD OPEN

[NOT MAINTAINED](#) but also in the NSD:

Churches

Cemeteries

Water supply facilities (should not be made publically available)

Wastewater treatment facilities (should not be made publically available)

power facilities, transportation facilities, . . .

and much more . . . ([we cannot vouch for location, quality](#))

Federal Authoritative Sources

- USGS happy to make the National Structures Dataset (NSD) available but it is not the authoritative source and can be **misleading and incomplete**
- **Let's go to the federal authoritative source to supply the NGDA's**