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## **New NGA Program Pairs Developers with Data to Create Innovative Apps**

*TASC manages government program to solicit, screen and acquire geospatial apps  
from non-traditional vendors*

**CHANTILLY, Virginia** – A new program of the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) pairs developers of commercial applications with unclassified geospatial data to create innovative applications that meet mission needs of government and commercial organizations.

The [Innovative GEOINT Application Provider Program](#), or IGAPP, is intended to help harness the creativity of commercial app developers and bridge the gap between traditional government contracting procedures and non-traditional businesses. IGAPP will feed applications into the [GEOINT App Store](#), NGA's online storefront that provides downloadable applications for mobile, web, and desktop devices.

"IGAPP is a win-win for government, industry and the American public," says Joedy Saffel, NGA's IGAPP program lead. "NGA is committed to opening its content, creatively partnering with industry, and delivering applications that are valued by our customers."

IGAPP will function as a trusted broker between commercial vendors and the government. IGAPP will provide registered and approved app vendors with the infrastructure and support to build, test and launch creative, innovative mapping apps using geospatial data from NGA and other organizations that are then available through NGA's GEOINT App Store.

NGA awarded a four-year, \$25 million contract to TASC, an Engility Company, to manage and operate IGAPP.

IGAPP will be exhibited May 12-13 at the Apps World Conference in San Francisco and June 22-25 at the GEOINT Symposium in Washington DC.

For more information on IGAPP, email [igapp@tasc.com](mailto:igapp@tasc.com).



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NGA delivers world-class geospatial intelligence that provides a decisive advantage to policymakers, warfighters, intelligence professionals and first responders.

NGA is a unique combination of intelligence agency and combat support agency. It is the world leader in timely, relevant, accurate and actionable geospatial intelligence. NGA enables the U.S. intelligence community and the Department of Defense to fulfill the president's national security priorities to protect the nation.

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