## NYSGISA Education Committee Meeting Minutes Oct, 2021 Attendance: Paula (Chair), Susan, Mike, Eileen, Wayne

Sept Min approved

Webinars – questions about legal issues need to be addressed. Mike suggested reaching out to Rozi Kasad

Big discussion about the idea of an educators day and perhaps combining with NEARC on it. Susan notes this comes up every few years.

Why DO professionals come to us.

Eileen- what about a zoom session with vendors, educators and maybe also have lightening talks, prof prep for students to enter the workforce.

Differences in needs for K-12 and College/Grad

Minnasota has a GIS day, very tight format  $\frac{1}{2}$  a day maybe we could do  $\frac{1}{2}$  day for k-12 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  + first day of whole conference for higher ed.

How to get people. Free? Or 10\$ and tht gets you amembership and we get an email address.

Also a networking space, lounge... say through slack.

Perhaps we need to collaborate more with regional committee ... if on line, need moderators in each room.