

CURRITUCK COUNTY GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SERVICES: GIS

What does Geographic Information Services do?

Geographic Information Services (GIS) is a division of the Currituck County Information Technology Services Department. The primary purpose of the Geographic Information Services division is to maintain the County's Geographic Information System, a computerassisted information system to collect, store, manipulate and display spatial (geographic) data within the context of an organization, with the purpose of functioning as a decision support system. In addition, the GIS division provides geographic data, maps and related services to County departments, citizens, internet users, private businesses and various boards, commissions and committees.





What is a Geographic Information System?

A Geographic Information System (GIS) is a computer system which uses graphics and data to create maps. These maps can be used to identify problems and evaluate possible solutions. GIS mapping links spatial data (the actual physical location of something) with attribute data, or information about that location. For example, the physical location of a lake is spatial data, while the lake's name and size are attribute data.

What can GIS data and mapping be used for?

Parcel Ownership E-911 Mapping Economic Development Land Development Code Enforcement Infrastructure Mapping Storm Damage Mitigation Service Routing Environmental Analysis Flood Plain Mapping Tax Value Assessment Crime Analysis Health Trends and Patterns Population Analysis Representation Analysis Point of Interest Mapping

Can I access Currituck County GIS data?

Yes, Currituck County GIS data is available through our online data portal. Click the link below to check it out.

https://maps.currituckcountync.gov/gis/

Who can I contact for additional information?

Please send us an e-mail: gis@currituckcountync.gov



A GIS RENDERED FLOOD ZONE MAP

