



# OneMAP for ME

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## What is *OneMAP for ME*?

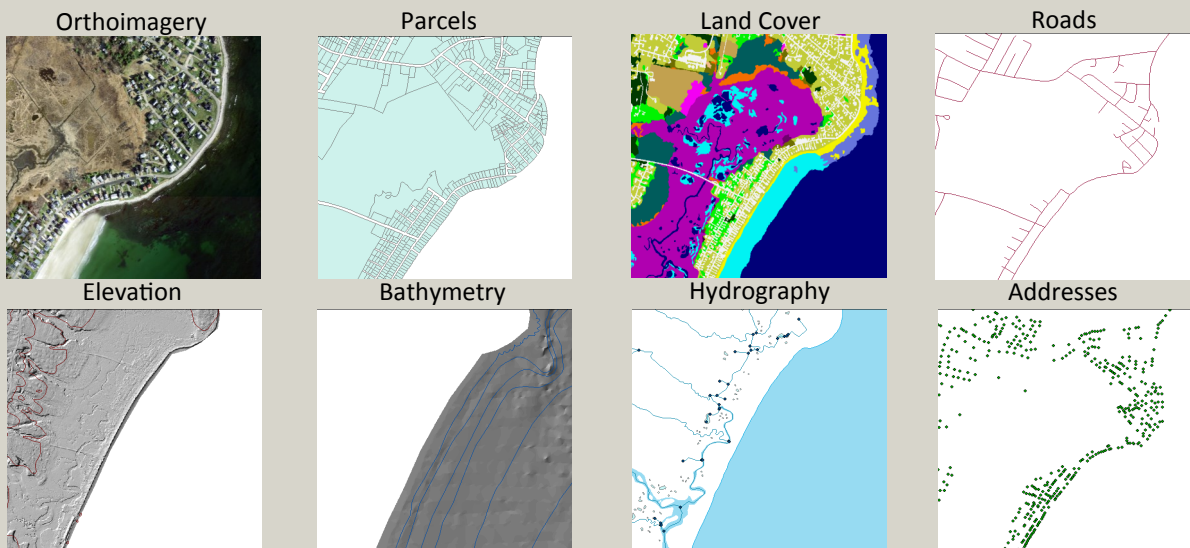
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The GeoLibrary, in cooperation with the Maine Office of GIS and, through their respective legislatively mandated responsibilities, initiated a strategic planning process in 2008. That process identified eight key mapping data layers (SEE EXAMPLES BELOW) where stewardship is rightfully designated as a statewide service requiring systematic and coordinated approaches to improving the state's mapping data. The Board has attempted to meet these needs through collaborative efforts but has consistently fallen short of meeting the state's needs.

The GeoLibrary's 'OneMAP for ME' program responds to this need for current authoritative mapping data. By acquiring data for large geographic areas and partnering with other users the Board can reduce the costs of acquisition and/or leverage funds from other partners to pay for the costs of acquisition. The GeoLibrary Board proposes a six million dollar bond for continuing investment in geospatial data important to the development community and management of Maine's assets. This Bond anticipates leveraging an investment of an additional \$8 million from other private, non-profit, state, federal, local, and county sources.

Testimonials on the reverse side of this document the value of the GeoLibrary's data library and data acquisitions. As noted in the previous paragraph all levels of government within Maine use this data and more importantly the University of Maine, private and non-profit business sectors rely on this data as well.

DATA ACQUISITION BUDGET		
DATA		Total
<b>LiDAR</b>	Terrestrial	\$ 4,000,000.00
	Bathymetry	\$ 3,000,000.00
		\$ -
<b>Orthoimagery</b>		\$ -
	Organized Communities	\$ 952,000.00
	Unorganized Territories	\$ 934,000.00
<b>Land Cover</b>		\$ -
	Land Cover	\$ 846,666.67
<b>Parcel Mapping</b>		\$ -
	New	\$ 4,200,000.00
	Updates	\$ 418,000.00
	<b>Total Acquisition</b>	<b>\$ 14,315,833.33</b>
	<b>Anticipated Funding Partners</b>	<b>\$ 8,390,700.00</b>
	<b>Bond Request</b>	<b>\$ 5,925,133.33</b>



# TESTIMONIALS

“The Town of Newcastle is currently revising its Comprehensive Plan and Land Use Ordinance with the assistance of a commercial planning firm. The availability of a wide variety of zero-cost, royalty-free (in contrast to files from well-known web search firms), professionally executed and documented computer mapping files from the Maine GeoLibrary has provided our contractor, and thus the Town with considerable savings.”

Mal Carey  
Member of the NLPC

“Since the mid-2000’s our firm has been using the State of Maine’s high resolution imagery to provide information and answer questions for clients and regulators on important private and public sector projects throughout Maine. Free mapping services, such as those from large internet firms, do not provide the quality imagery which the State collects. The State’s publicly accessible orthoimagery has become an essential tool to property owners and businesses, like ours, in the management and development of land for economic growth.”

Mark Adams, President/CEO  
Sebago Technics, Inc

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Maine Office of GIS  
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“By having geo-referenced photos we save considerable time in doing preliminary surveys for water main extensions, evaluating land use within our aquifer area, and providing an aerial view that is extremely helpful in customer service issues.”

Kennebunk, Kennebunkport and  
Wells Water District

“Highly accurate base maps are essential for providing information to engineers for water/wastewater projects, DOT road construction, bridge revitalization, and economic planning.”

Dave Edson  
President/CEO  
James W. Sewall Company

“In 2005 we spent \$36,000 to acquire color imagery for 56 square miles. In 2012 we participated in the GeoLibrary Orthoimagery Acquisition Program and paid just \$9,262.00 for color imagery and additional infrared imagery, ***we saved \$26,738.00*** and received a superior product.”

Brett Horr, GIS Manager  
Town Of York