



## **PRESS RELEASE: For Immediate Release**

### **Maine Public Utilities Commission hires Applied Geographics, Inc. for GIS System Planning**

BOSTON – May 2006 - The Maine Public Utilities Commission (MPUC) has hired Applied Geographics, Inc. (AppGeo) to plan for the implementation of a secure enterprise Geographic Information System (GIS). MPUC is responsible for regulating electric, gas, water, telecommunications, and ferries and water taxis in Maine.

“The Maine Public Utilities Commission plays a vital role in regulating and licensing public utilities throughout the state,” said Michael Terner, Executive Vice President of AppGeo. “This project will help MPUC to enhance GIS technology support for planning, outage and restoration management, and day-to-day operations, while ensuring the appropriate level of data security.”

#### **About Applied Geographics, Inc.**

Applied Geographics, Inc. (AppGeo) has been providing high quality GIS services to government and private clients since 1991. AppGeo’s consulting services cover the lifecycle of GIS implementation: needs assessment, planning, data development, custom applications, custom cartography, training and technical support. AppGeo has a specialization in strategic and business planning for statewide, state agency, and regional and local government enterprise-wide geographic information systems. AppGeo is an award-winning ESRI Business Partner. AppGeo services are available through a variety of state blanket contracts and nationwide through its GSA IT Schedule.

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