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Sent Via Email (eadam@co.lincoln.or.us)

Eli Adam OSGeo Conference Committee

Dear Mr. Adam:

We are pleased to write this letter in support of the FOSS4G Calgary 2020 bid being submitted to the OSGeo Conference Committee by the Calgary LOC.

The Alberta Land Surveyors' Association is a self-governing professional association legislated under the Land Surveyors Act. The Association regulates the practice of land surveying for the protection of the public and administration of the profession.

Alberta Land Surveyors have always been early adopters of new technologies as they explore new ways to provide a greater level of service and a broader range of services to their clients. The FOSS4G conference in Calgary would not only be an opportunity for Alberta Land Surveyors to showcase their expertise but also to learn from the open source geospatial community.

The Alberta Land Surveyors' Association believes that bringing the FOSS4G to Calgary will highlight the city and the province as an emerging technology hub for geospatial in Canada and internationally.

The Alberta Land Surveyors' Association fully supports the efforts of the Calgary LOC as they seek to be selected for the 2020 event.

Yours truly,

W. Bruce Clark, ALS

President