



# National Dredging Quality Management Program

## QUICK GUIDE: DQM VIEWER – Adding a Geospatial Map Layer

**Note:** The following are required to complete these procedures:

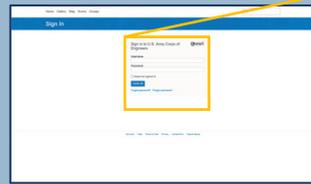
1. The map layer must be published from your local GIS server with a valid secured certificate.
2. You must have an account on the USACE Geospatial Platform and be a member of the DQM group.
3. You must have a DQM Viewer account.

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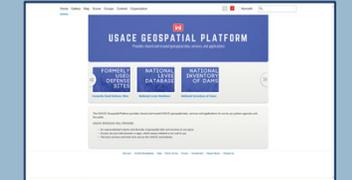
### Log in to the USACE Geospatial Platform

- a. In web browser, go to the USACE Geospatial Platform (<https://usace.maps.arcgis.com>).
- b. Enter your username and password, click **SIGN IN**.

NOTE: To set up a new account for the USACE Geospatial Platform, contact the DQM Center.



The home page displays.



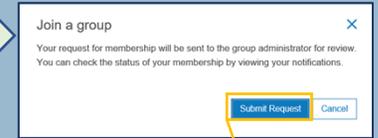
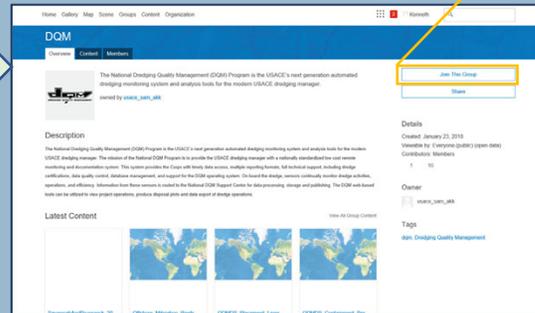
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### Join the DQM Group

- a. On the Geospatial Platform toolbar, click **Groups** for **My Groups**. If DQM (Dredging Quality Management) is included in the group list, skip to “Adding a Geospatial Map Layer to the DQM Viewer”; Otherwise:



- b. Click the **My Organization's Groups** tab.
- c. Locate the DQM group.
- d. Click the DQM link.
- e. Click the Join this Group button.
- f. Click Submit Request.



NOTE: The DQM Center will review the request and you will be notified upon approval.





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### 3 Adding a Geospatial Map Layer to the DQM Viewer

- On the Geospatial Platform toolbar, click **Content** for **My Content**.
- On the My Content toolbar, click **Add Item**.
- From the **Add Item** drop-down, select **From the web**: *The Add an Item window displays.*
- Ensure **ArcGIS Server web service** radio button is selected.
- Enter the URL of the web service to add to the DQM Viewer.  
**NOTE:** You must use a fully qualified domain name and remove the port number from the URL.
- Enter a title for the new layer. **NOTE:** Prefix name with your District's 3-letter acronym (e.g., SAM ODMSD Berm)
- Enter keywords that users can use to search for the layer. Include your USACE District acronym (e.g., "CESAM) as one of the tags.
- Click **Add Item**. *The layer screen displays.*
- Click **Share**. *A Share dialog displays.*
- Check the **DQM** box.
- Click **OK**.
- Contact the DQM Support Center to request that the layer be reviewed and approved for viewing by the public.

**!** Email: [DQM-Support@usace.army.mil](mailto:DQM-Support@usace.army.mil)  
Telephone: (877) 840-8024

**Note:** Sharing data with the public requires approval by the USACE Geospatial Platform District Administrator. Once the layer is shared and approved, it is available for visualization in the DQM Viewer.

**EXAMPLE:**  
For <https://coesamgsp01sam.sam.ds.usace.army.mil:6443/arcgis/rest/services/Placement/MapServer>  
Use <https://coesamgsp01sam.sam.ds.usace.army.mil/arcgis/rest/services/Placement/Mapserver>

### 4 Displaying a Geospatial Map Layer to the DQM Viewer

See the DQM **QUICK GUIDE: DQM VIEWER – Displaying Additional Map Layers** for details.

- In the DQM Viewer, click the **LAYER CONTROLS** tab.
- Click your District layer or **Other Layers**.
- In the drop-down menu, select (check) the layer you just added (layer displays).
- Drag the opacity slider to adjust the opacity as desired.
- Click the **LAYER CONTROLS** tab again to hide menu.

Use slider bars to control transparency of each layer.