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## messages

### MESSAGE FROM THE NACIS PRESIDENT

Living in Wisconsin always affords one the opportunity to experience and appreciate the change in climatic seasons. The progression is natural and symbolic of the cycles that we all encounter during our lifetime. An organization must also experience cycles of growth and change, and this year NACIS members will witness several.

First, we will bid adieu to Sona Andrews as our editor of *Cartographic Perspectives*. Over the last several years she has provided meritorious service to our organization that will be very difficult to replace. Her imagination, tireless devotion, and intense desire to improve our journal will be sorely missed by all cartographic professionals. At the NACIS Annual Banquet last October Sona was presented with a plague signifying her achievements as Editor.

Given Sona's impending editorship retirement, the *Cartographic Perspectives* Editorial Board is now currently searching for a new editor. By this Spring a selection will be made and we hope to have a smooth transition between editors before the end of