

ArcView 3.x Project Notes

To utilize the ArcView 3.x project on this DVD, you must first convert the project file to indicate the path to the shape file directory. If you are running under a Windows operating system, first move the LongIsland.apr file to your hard drive. Make sure the project file is unlocked, then run SETPATH.EXE. You will be prompted to select the project's .apr (in this case LongIsland.apr) file and then any file in the Shape file directory. You only need to do this once, unless you move the Shape directory to another location. In that case you will need to again download the LongIsland.apr from the DVD and rerun the above program. You may keep the shape files on the DVD or you may move them onto your hard drive, just make sure they are in their final destination when you run SETPATH.

If you are running on a UNIX platform, you will need to set a global variable, *AVLI* to the path where the Shape file directory resides. For example, from the C shell you would enter:

```
setenv AVLI /DVDrom/avproj/shape
```

if you wanted to run from the DVD and your DVD was mounted at the directory /DVDrom. You may also move the shape file directory onto your hard drive – this will likely improve performance.

Be aware that files moved from the DVD onto the hard drive may be locked (read-only). These privileges may need to be changed to utilize the ArcView project.