A layer is a set of data that can be viewed on the map. Click here to view layers.

Click on a visible layer’s name to make it active. Making a layer active will make it visible on the map. A layer must be active in order to use any tools on it. The active layer is highlighted in yellow.

Click to measure between points on the map.

Clear all selections and measurements on map.

A buffer is a zone showing distance to a feature on the map. Create a buffer around a feature using the SELECT tool.

Identify the selected layer and the tool selected.

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