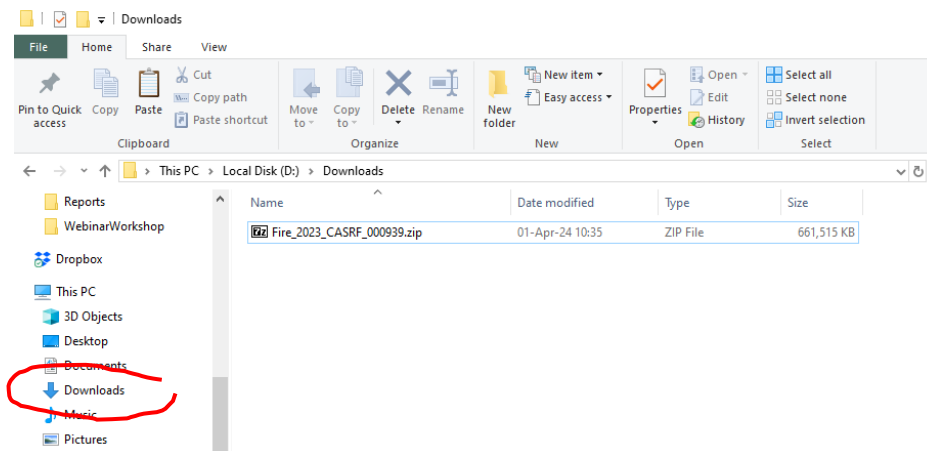# Unzipping Project Folders/Files

Here at Idaho State University's GIS Center, we use 7-Zip software and this tutorial reflects how this particular software functions. Most ZIP software functions in a very similar way and it is likely you will be able to emulate these same steps with nearly any type of ZIP software, even the default software provided with Microsoft Windows.
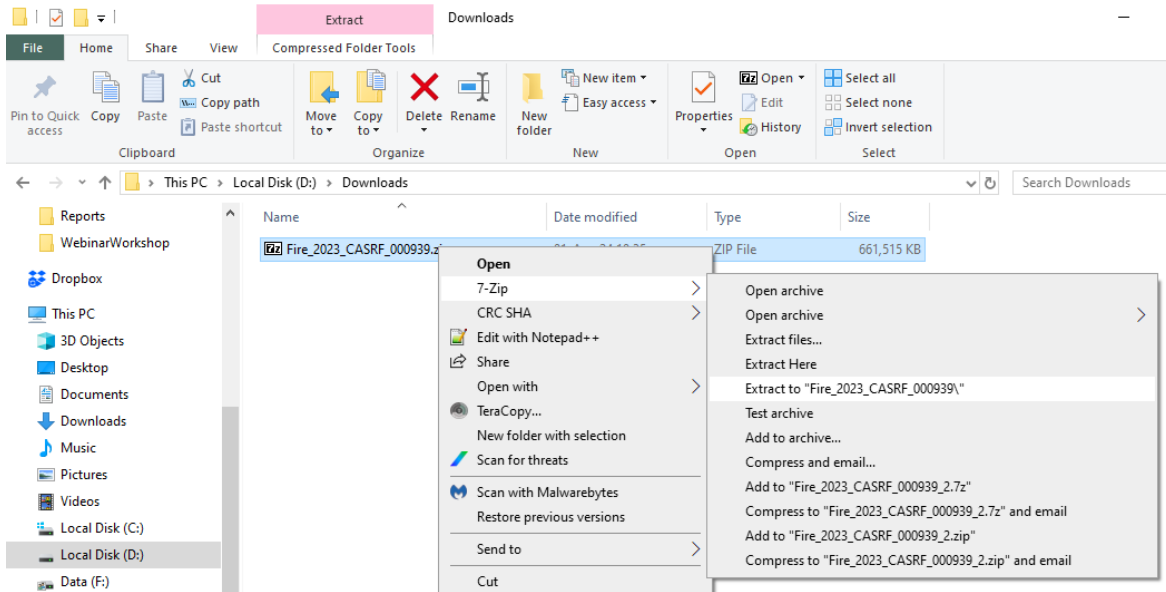
STEPS:
1. Open Windows File Manager (HINT: You can do this easily by pressing the Windows Key+E on your keyboard).
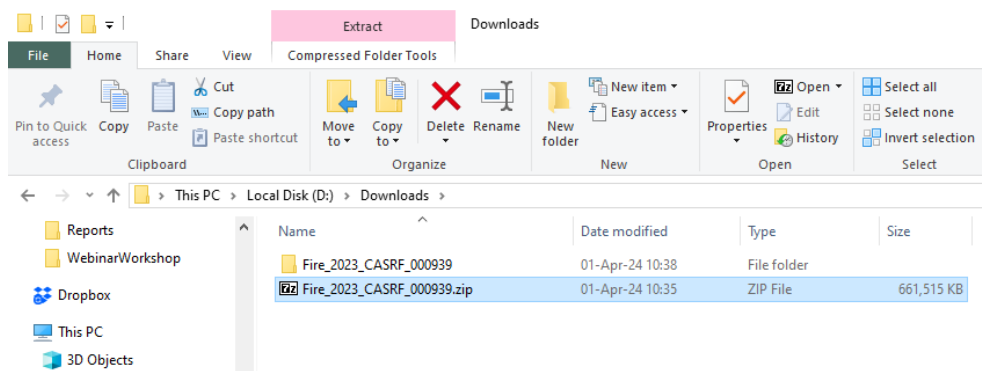

2. Navigate to the folder where the ZIP file exists (see the figure below). By default, this will normally be your `Downloads` folder. NOTICE: The name of this specific ZIP file is Fire_2023_CASRF_000939.zip.

3. Right-click the ZIP file and choose 7-Zip—Extract to Fire_2023_CASRF_000939 NOTICE: The suggested name of the folder is the same as the name of the zip file, but without the .ZIP extension (see the figure below).

4. The ZIP file will be extracted to your hard drive and become a sub-folder within the same folder as the original ZIP file (see the figure below for an example).

5. Navigate into the new folder to explore its contents. Since these files have been extracted to your computer they are ready for use by other software installed on your PC (e.g., ArcGIS Pro).

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
Fire_2023_CASRF_000939.gdb	06-Feb-24 7:51	File folder	
Aspect Cardinal Ordinal Directions.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	13 KB
Aspect.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	15 KB
AspectCompassRose.png	02-Jan-24 10:59	PNG File	216 KB
BPS.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	1,213 KB
BPS.tfw	14-Oct-23 2:05	TFW File	1 KB
BPS.tif	14-Oct-23 2:05	TIF File	655 KB
BPS.tif.aux.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	1 KB
BPS.tif.ovr	14-Oct-23 2:05	OVR File	259 KB
BPS.tif.vat.cpg	14-Oct-23 2:05	CPG File	1 KB
BPS.tif.vat.dbf	14-Oct-23 2:05	DBF File	144 KB
BPS.tif.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	15 KB
Documentation_Links.pdf	14-Oct-23 2:10	Adobe Acrobat D...	105 KB
Elevation.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	13 KB
EVC.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	267 KB
EVC.tfw	14-Oct-23 2:05	TFW File	1 KB
EVC.tif	14-Oct-23 2:05	TIF File	2,599 KB
EVC.tif.aux.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	1 KB
EVC.tif.ovr	14-Oct-23 2:05	OVR File	912 KB
EVC.tif.vat.cpg	14-Oct-23 2:05	CPG File	1 KB
EVC.tif.vat.dbf	14-Oct-23 2:05	DBF File	85 KB
EVC.tif.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	12 KB
EVT.lyrx	14-Oct-23 2:10	ArcGIS Pro Layer F...	874 KB
EVT.tfw	14-Oct-23 2:05	TFW File	1 KB
EVT.tif	14-Oct-23 2:05	TIF File	789 KB
EVT.tif.aux.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	1 KB
EVT.tif.ovr	14-Oct-23 2:05	OVR File	322 KB
EVT.tif.vat.cpg	14-Oct-23 2:05	CPG File	1 KB
EVT.tif.vat.dbf	14-Oct-23 2:05	DBF File	196 KB
EVT.tif.xml	14-Oct-23 2:05	XML File	14 KB

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