The Data Stewardship Advisory Committee

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Reports To: Associate Executive Director of PRI and member of Operations Team

Charge:
1. Define the scope of data stewardship shared services across PRI (including GIS data).
2. Propose a data stewardship vision statement and general three-year workplan for PRI data stewardship efforts, and present to the Executive Director and Survey Directors by June 30, 2015 for review and approval. Vision and workplan shall be based on consideration and possible inclusion of:
   a. identification of strategic priorities for data stewardship, including rescue/digitization of data, data sharing within PRI, formalization of metadata and minimum standards, and making data available for use by outside constituents as appropriate,
   b. assessment of organizational models for improved data stewardship efficiency,
   c. a priority list of decision support tools, and resources to be developed,
   d. a list of key external data stewardship efforts in which PRI staff can be encouraged to participate,
   e. listing of prioritized budgetary needs for strategic investment (i.e., equipment, personnel), and
   f. identification of key opportunities for leveraging campus resources (e.g., the University Library and the Research Data Service, NCSA and the CyberGIS Center, Cooperative Extension, Indiana-Illinois Sea Grant) and key partnerships to
obtain external funding and deliver information (e.g. Resilient Watersheds Initiative).

3. Work with the other PRI service teams, including IT, Web and the Engagement Initiative to implement the goals of the workplan and meet the needs of our constituents.