

# EPA Data Governance Council

Meeting Summary – March 29, 2021

## Chief Data Officer (CDO) Updates

- Subcommittee members can review detailed updates on Data Skills Assessment, Data Webpage, Metadata COTS Analysis, Enterprise Information Management Policy (EIMP) Revision, and Regulated Facilities activities on the Data Governance Council Team site.
- The agency-wide Data Skills Assessment will launch in April 2021.
- The metadata COTS analysis workgroup is in the process of evaluating platforms.
- The FY2021 Information Technology Portfolio Review (ITPR) includes questions that capture resource expenditures on data management. The CDO will host data discussions with each program office and region prior to each ITPR meeting.

## Data Success Story: Data Governance in USGS

- Viv Hutchison and Cheryl Morris of the US Geological Survey (USGS) presented their approach to data governance. The USGS governance framework is composed of policies, people, applications and tools, and assessments and roadmaps.