

Data Governance Advisory Council

Meeting Summary: January 29, 2025

The following provides a summary of topics discussed with EPA Data Officers during the January 29, 2025 Data Governance Advisory Council (DGAC) meeting.

Summary:

- OMB M-25-05 Update
 - The Office of Management and Budget (OMB) has released [OMB M-25-05](#) which communicates Phase 2 Implementation of the Evidence Act.
- Artificial Intelligence (AI) Updates
 - Executive Order on AI
 - Executive Order 14110 has been rescinded and a [new EO](#) for AI has been issued.
 - GovChat Release
 - The release of GovChat, EPA's generative AI tool, is anticipated during the first week of February.
- Spring Data Officer Meetings
 - Planning is ongoing for the spring Data Officer Meeting to be held on March 11 and 12.
 - Data Officers reviewed and provided feedback on the draft agenda.
 - Strategic planning discussions, training on EPA's Enterprise Data Catalog (EDC) and training provided by Gartner on data management topics are anticipated.
- Data Maturity Assessment Update
 - Data Officers have been asked to complete the Gartner Data Maturity Assessment and identify additional experts within their organizations that they would like to complete it.
 - Data Officers have not yet completed the assessment are encouraged to do so to ensure results are robust and can inform strategic planning discussions.