**Leadership Council**
Sets the strategic direction and identifies what is within and outside of scope for EarthCube. Assess and makes changes to the structure as needed. Voting members are individuals elected by EarthCube Members as their representatives and representatives of the Standing Committees. The non-voting members help to establish a strong connection with the academic geosciences, funding agency, and the Office.

**Standing Committees**
Committees with open-membership and internally elected leadership, fulfilling key functions of EarthCube and supporting ad hoc working groups created by the members to innovate and respond to immediate needs.

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**Engagement Team**
Supports proactive communication and engagement with end-users and other EC stakeholders, including ensuring transparency and building trust.

**Liaison Team**
Leadership by EC stakeholders, implementation by the Office. Supports proactive partnerships with related efforts, both through formal relationships and informal engagements.

**EarthCube Members**
Anyone can be a *EarthCube Participant*, accessing resources, participating in activities, and initiating special interest groups. Anyone who wants to participate in governance activities (voting, leadership roles, initiating Working Groups).

**Office**
Support function of Enterprise Governance. Supports all activities of EarthCube Governance. Implements the actions and suggestions of the Engagement and Liaison Teams.