

**Summary of Organizational Assignments**  
**Regional Land Cover Dataset**  
(Adopted by MetroGIS Policy Board January 26, 2000)

<b>Components</b>	<b>Tasks Involved</b>	<b>Responsible MetroGIS Entity</b> <i>(Advisor(s) in Italics)</i>	<b>Custodian (Regional Dataset)</b>	<b>Custodian (Primary Data Source)</b>
<b>Executive Guidance</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- developing a shared vision among stakeholders</li> <li>- developing a strategic plan for the enterprise</li> <li>- establishing organizational structures, operational environments, orderly communications, decision making, and other governance processes</li> <li>- developing and maintaining policy and funding support for the effort among senior executives and other influential parties</li> <li>- providing a legal foundation for contracts, liability, other issues</li> </ul>	DNR and Policy Board <i>(Coordinating Committee)</i>		N/A
<b>Coordination</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-fostering cooperation and partnerships among organizations</li> <li>- implementing processes and incentives that encourage widespread participation</li> <li>- encouraging practices that provide for smooth operations</li> <li>- Mediating and resolving conflicting priorities and disputes among participants</li> </ul>	DNR and Coordinating Committee		N/A
<b>Data Access</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- providing access to data and metadata</li> <li>- processing data requests and charges</li> <li>- determining and providing needed data distribution formats</li> <li>- reporting and acting on users' concerns</li> <li>- directing users to other resources</li> </ul>		DNR	N/A
<b>Data Development, Maintenance &amp; Integration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- generating original data</li> <li>- revising original data</li> <li>- merging <i>and coordinating</i> spatial and attribute data from different sources</li> <li>- documenting the data</li> <li>- evaluating the data</li> <li>- integrating the data</li> </ul>		DNR	N/A
<b>Data Management</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- maintaining data</li> <li>- ensuring data integrity and security</li> <li>- developing and evolving data definitions, designs, and models</li> <li>- developing and evolving other technical specifications</li> <li>- providing for data archive, backup, retrieval, and disaster recovery</li> </ul>		DNR	N/A
<b>Monitoring and Response</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- measure users' satisfaction with the framework / <i>MetroGIS</i></li> <li>- providing for market analysis</li> </ul>	DNR and Coordinating Committee		
<b>Resource Management</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- estimating income and expenses</li> <li>- identifying, obtaining, and allocating resources</li> <li>- providing logistical support for framework development</li> </ul>	DNR and Policy Board <i>(Coordinating Committee)</i>		