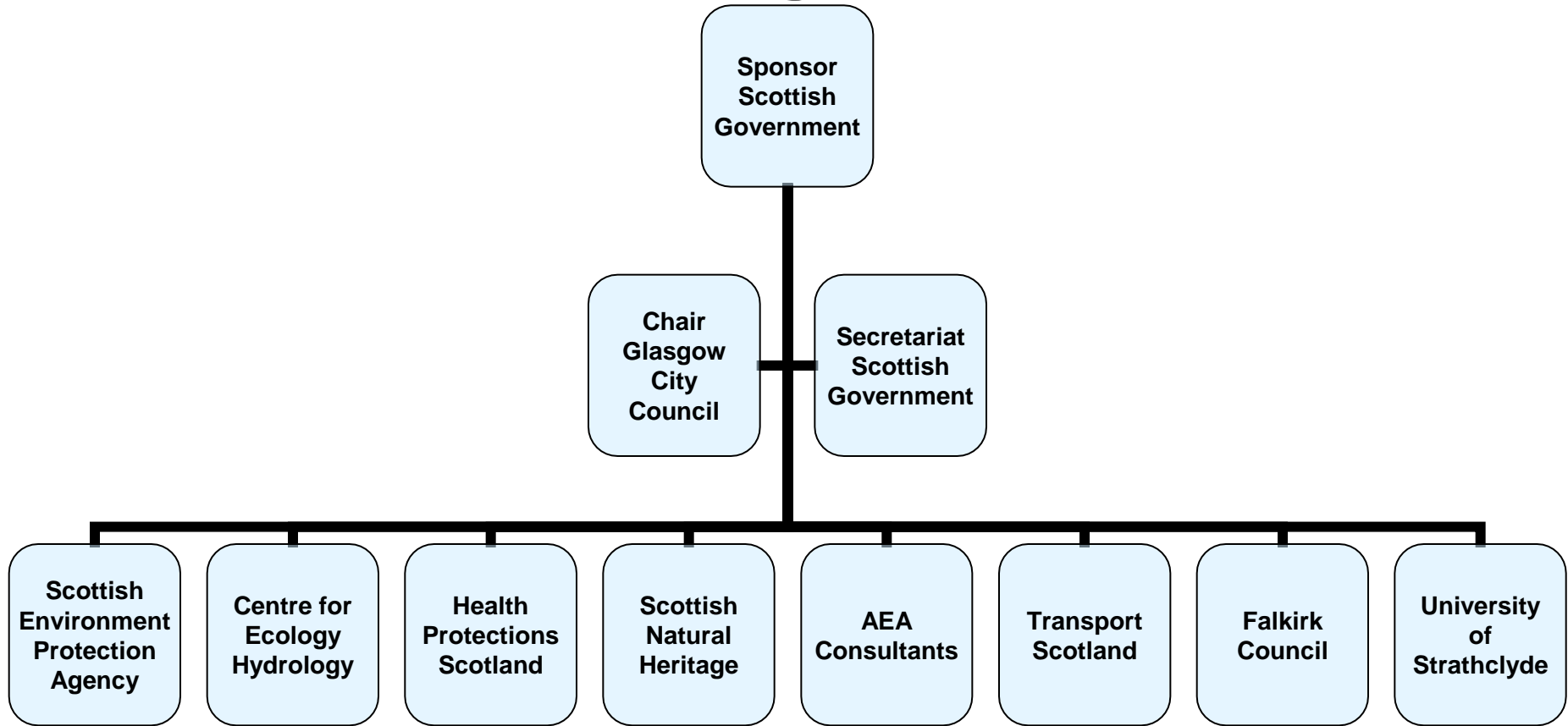# Scottish Air Quality Monitoring Strategy Aim of the Strategy/Workshop

Air Quality Monitoring Strategy Steering Group

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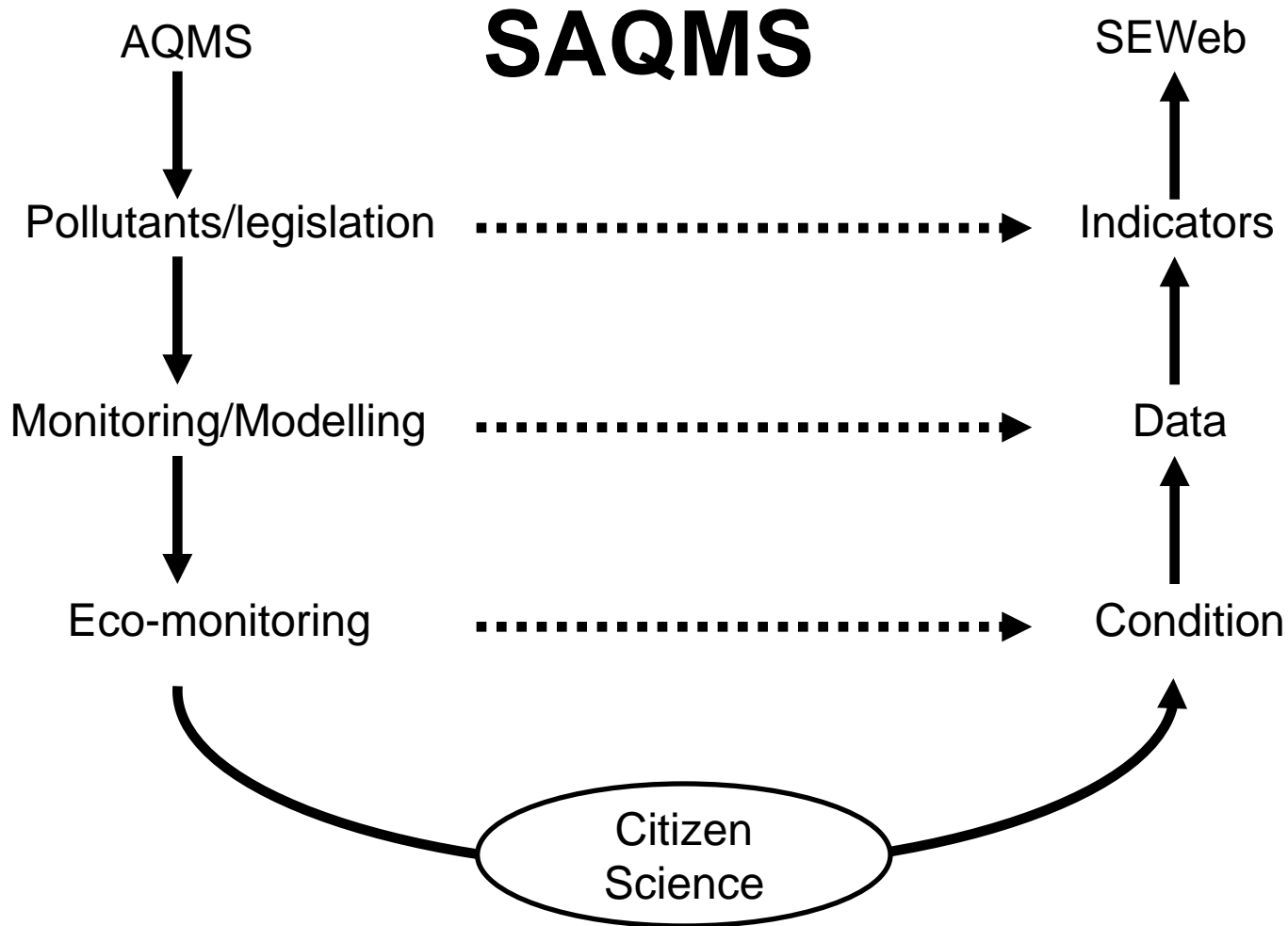| Scottish Environment Protection Agency	Centre for Ecology Hydrology	Health Protections Scotland	Scottish Natural Heritage	AEA Consultants	Transport Scotland	Falkirk Council	University of Strathclyde

- Multi-agency group
- Provide assistance in developing the **Monitoring Strategy** and Identify key areas to be covered within the Monitoring Action Plan

Strategy Objectives…

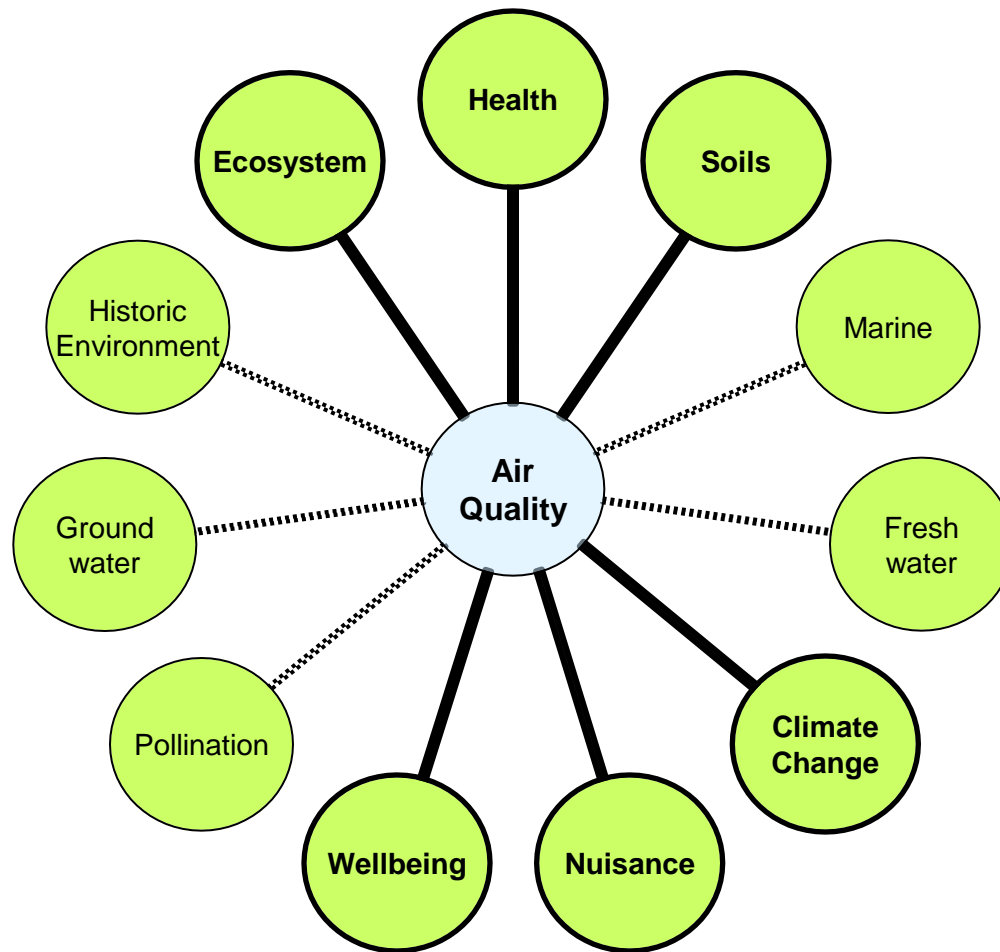**The strategy will aim to fulfil the CAMERAS Objectives:**

- Provide **information on the pressures** upon the environment

- Provide the information to enable the assessment of the **state of the environment** and where possible provide evidence for the consequences of change

- Focus on those parts of the environment which are most likely to be subject to change, have **high environmental value** and affects society

- Detect where possible the environmental consequences of new, **unanticipated environmental pressures** and events

- Deliver statutory and policy **obligations**

SAQMS

AQMS → Pollutants/legislation ┈┈┈► Indicators ← SEWeb

Pollutants/legislation → Monitoring/Modelling ┈┈┈► Data

Monitoring/Modelling → Eco-monitoring ┈┈┈► Condition

Citizen Science

The Strategy will aim to cover:
- Key pollutants and legislation drivers
- Current state of play with monitoring/modelling and identify potential overlaps/gaps
- Identify key indicators and data required to report on condition of the environment and human health
- Identify the best way to present this information for maximum use

Linking with other Topics

The Strategy will consider the link across topics areas within **CAMERAS** and follow the Monitoring Action Plan theme…

Workshop

It is planned that the workshop will help to identify;

• The importance of the current data available

• Potential gaps in the data, particularly when considering reporting requirements and the potential for aligning data sets

• Future drivers for AQ in Scotland

• Ways to enhance public awareness and participation within AQ

• How do we use/present the data obtained through public engagement – i.e. Citizen Science projects

Workshop Programme

- Split into 3 key areas
- Key talks will be followed with breakout sessions
- Set questions will be discussed during each session – write down thoughts to Questions and stick to the posters at the beginning of the Breakout Session
- Feedback will be provided at the end – along with general discussions
- Breakout groups are:

Breakout Session 1 & 2		Breakout Session 3	
Group	Room	Group	Room
1	Conf. Room 1	1 & 2	Conf. Room 1
2	Room 6		
3	Room 7	3	Room 7
4	Room 8	4 (plus 5/4)	Room 8
5	Room 9		
6	Room 11	6 (plus 5/6)	Room 11