Root Server System Supporting Organization

**Purpose**
- Performs Strategy, Architecture, and Policy Function for RSS
- Joins Empowered Community
- Replaces RSSAC

**Composition**
- RSS Council
- RSS Caucus

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**RSS Council**

**Purpose**
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- Recommends strategic and architectural policies to RSS stakeholders, including the ICANN Board
- Activates Root Server Operator Review Panel

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- Liaisons: IAB, IANA, RZM

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**ICANN org**
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- Performs Finance Function for RSS
- Performs Performance Monitoring and Measurement Function for RSS
- Signs MoU/SLA/SLE with root server operators

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- Performs Designation and Removal Function
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