INTRODUCTIONS & QUORUM VERIFICATION (Quorum = 9)

COUNCIL MINUTES
- Review May 14, 2013 council minutes
  Action: Approval

CHAIR’S REPORT

STATE RADIO PROJECT REPORT – Tom Lauer

COUNCIL CHARTER REVIEW – Bob Cozzie

COMMITTEE REPORTS
- Strategic Planning Committee – Bob Cozzie
  Action: Committee charter review and approval
- Partnership Committee – Kathy George
- Technical Committee – Rick Iverson
- Broadband Committee – Rock Rakosi for Mike Duyck
- State Radio User Group – Luci Moore
- 700 MHz Regional Planning Committee – Joe Kuran

STATEWIDE INTEROPERABILITY COORDINATOR’S REPORT – Steve Noel
- FirstNet update

OPEN DISCUSSION, QUESTIONS & PUBLIC TESTIMONY

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NEXT MEETING: Tuesday, November 12, 2013

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES:
- COMLEX Event for COML and COMT trainees | November 5-6. If interested, contact Kourtney Largent.

PLEASE NOTE

REMINDER! – DPSST is now a smoke-free property. Smoking is allowed on the sidewalk outside the main gate.

Agenda – The meeting will begin at 1:30 PM and proceed chronologically through the agenda. If you wish to receive written materials prepared for any of the agenda items, please contact Kourtney Largent at the State Radio Project office in Salem, 503-934-2113 or kourtney.largent@odot.state.or.us, to request a packet for those items which interest you or see the council website at http://www.oregon.gov/SIEC/.

Parking – Parking is available to anyone who attends the meeting.

Reasonable Accommodation of Disabilities – Reasonable accommodations, such as assistive hearing devices, sign language interpreters and materials in large print or audiotape, will be provided as needed. In order to ensure availability, please contact the State Radio Project office at 503-934-6946 at least 72 hours prior to the meeting with your request. TTY users can reach the State Radio Project by using the Oregon Telecommunications Relay Service. Please dial 711 and ask to be connected to 503-934-6946.
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Goals

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Objectives

- Provide leadership through the SIEC-member structure that supports interoperability and obtain the consensus of the public safety community.
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Stakeholder, Customers and Beneficiaries

• Governor and Legislative Assembly
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Success Indicators

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• Consensus on issues of interoperability is achieved;
• Oregon meets or exceeds requirements from the National Emergency Communications Plan (NECP);
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Issues Statement

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Scope and Priority

- Planning, deployment and use of the Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Network
- State of Oregon interoperability
- Coordination with adjacent states and entities as appropriate

Duties of the Council

The State Interoperability Executive Council created under ORS 403.450 (State Interoperability Executive Council) shall:

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Decision Ratifying Body

- The Statewide Interoperability Executive Council

Limitations

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Goals & Objectives

- Review SIEC operating structure, planning benchmarks, and policy guidelines
- Recommend legislative actions
- Review and update the SIEC Charter
- Review and facilitate update of the SIEC website

Customers

- Governor and Oregon Legislative Assembly
- SIEC membership and committees
- Public Safety entities at federal, tribal, state, county and municipal levels
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Success Indicators

- Successful review of the SCIP and effective charters
- Goals and objectives in place within each SIEC committee
- Annual progress report on SCIP implementation

Feedback Plan

- Regular reports to SIEC Executive Committee
- Regular reports to full Council
- Meet as necessary with Council committees, and other customers including the Legislative and Executive branches of State Government

Scope and Priority

Make recommendations to SIEC in line with stated committee mission, goals and objectives.
Procedures & Meeting Frequency

The committee will meet monthly as necessary, or at the call of the Chair.

Decision Making Process

Decisions will be by consensus. If consensus cannot be reached, the chair will decide and will forward the decision along with dissenting opinions to the SIEC Executive Council.

Decision Ratifying Body

The Oregon State Interoperability Executive Council

Boundary Conditions to Decisions Made

- Full communication with all committee members.
- Meaningful input from other committees, as necessary.

How Decisions are Communicated

- Oral and written reports to Council
- Emails or other methods of communication to stakeholders when necessary
- Inclusion of materials on the SIEC website

Committee Membership

Bob Cozzie (Oregon APCO/NENA); Steve Noel (SWIC); Karl Larson (City of Portland); Sean McSpaden (DAS); Phil Roland (Harris Corp.); Larsen Grabenkort (Motorola Solutions); John Hartsock (Clackamas 800 Radio Group); Steve Marks (DAS)

Team Expectations Clause

- Participate, listen and collaborate on meeting the team’s responsibilities
- Be present at scheduled meetings, conference calls or other committee forums
- Relay input in a timely manner

Action Plan

Prepare Statement of Work, including benchmarks and target dates of goals and objectives as set by the committee.