

**MPSFAC**  
**800 MHz Region 21 Regional Planning Committee**  
**May 11, 2023**  
**Ann Arbor, MI**

Member	Affiliation	Present	Excused	Absent
Keith Bradshaw-Chairperson	MIAPCO-Frequency Coordinator	X		
Dale Berry – Vice Chairperson	MI Association of Ambulances	X		
Patricia Coates - Secretary	MIAPCO	X		
Brent Williams	MIAPCO –Frequency Coordinator	X		
Lt. Dan Zdybek	MI Sheriff's Association		X	
Lt. Jen Wolf	State of MI – DNR		X	
Dominique Clemente	State of MI – DNR (Alt)		X	
Todd Tolbert	MI Department of Transportation	X		
Robert Ciupka	MI Department of Transportation (Alt)		X	
Chief Dale Greenleaf	MI Association of Chiefs of Police		X	
Francis Dhuyvetter	MI APCO (alt)		X	
Eric Hutchinson	MI APCO	X		
Christine Collom	MI APCO (Alt)		X	
Scott Schlehuber	State of MI – MSP		X	
Kasey Mlujeak	State of MI – Corrections		X	
Adam Carroll	MI Association of Fire Chiefs		X	
Joe Turner	MI Municipal League		X	
Roger Morgan	MI Association of Counties			X
Greg Farrer	State of MI – MPSCS	X		
Jerry Ellsworth	State of MI – MDHHS-BETP	X		
Vance Stringham	MI APCO		X	
<b>Other Attendees</b>				
Michael White	MPSCS	X		

**I. Call to order**

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Bradshaw 10:08 a.m.

**II. Introductions**

Members and attendees introduced themselves.

**III. Approval of Agenda**

**Motion** by Hutchinson, supported by Barry, to approve as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

**IV. Approval of Minutes of the March 16, 2023, 800 MHz RPC meeting**

**Motion** by Barry, supported by Hutchinson, to approve the minutes as corrected. Motion carried unanimously.

**V. Correspondence**

Ms. Coates advised of requests for excused absences from Schlehuber, Stringham, Mlujeak, and Clement.

**VI. Applications**

**A. Old Applications**

1. None

**VII. New Applications**

**A. State of MI – Rothbury SOW**

Mr. White advised that a COW would be deployed. Mr. Bradshaw stated that the frequencies requested are clear. **Motion** by Barry, supported by Williams, to approve. Motion carried unanimously.

## **VIII. 800MHz Subcommittee Reports**

### **A. Interoperable Communication Subcommittee**

Mr. Bradshaw reported that he now has contact information for Region 14. He updated the committee on an exercise in Algonac in which the Oakland County Sheriff Department used a TAC repeater that was able to work off the Open Sky system. He recommends that the MPSCS utilize TAC repeaters and statewide training. He suggested that the committee look at the 201 map in the 800 Plan, which Mr. Farrer said should still be accurate.

### **B. Engineering/Technical Subcommittee**

Mr. Farrer advised of a new project, adding DSR to the core for dynamic system resilience. This includes juniper router upgrades and additional redundancy using CENS as a second path.

### **C. 800 MHz Plan Update Standing Subcommittee**

Mr. Bradshaw discussed the obsolete S160 agreement for use of Federal talk groups, which is still included in the Plan but no longer used.

## **IX. Old Business**

### **A. Web Site**

No Report

### **B. 4.9 GHz**

Mr. Williams stated that everything is still frozen until the “band manager” is appointed. Incumbents can still apply for renewals, but the FCC is not accepting new applicants.

### **C. Other**

Mr. Bradshaw provided an update on the Oakland new system, which is functional on 14 out of 16 channels, as two are still on Open Sky. Coverage testing started May 1 with 6 days of drive testing and 100 buildings tested for in building -18 dBu coverage. Connectivity is still being worked on.

## **X. New Business**

### **A. Mid-band Non-NPSPAC Channels**

No update.

### **B. Other**

None

## **XI. Next Meeting Date**

The next meeting will be July 13 2023, at the Roscommon County Road Commission

## **XII. Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned by the chair at 11:04 a.m.