

MPSFAC
700 MHz Region 21 Regional Planning Committee
May 12, 2020
Remote Meeting Pursuant To Governor's Order No. 2020-48

Attendees	Affiliation
Keith Bradshaw - Chairperson	MI APCO/Frequency Coordinator
Dale Berry – Vice Chairperson	MI Association of Ambulances
Patricia Coates – Secretary	MI APCO
Kasey Mlujeak	State of MI - DOC
Dominique Clemente	State of MI - DNR
Todd Tolbert	State of MI – MDOT
Chuck Cribley	MI Association of Fire Chiefs
Ray Hasil	MI APCO
Mark Jongekrijg	MI APCO
John Imeson	MI APCO
Brent Williams	MI APCO
Darren Ofiara	MI Sheriff Association
Scott Schlehuder	State of MI - MSP
Greg Farrer	State of MI – MPSCS
Tobechi	State of MI – MPSCS
Mel Maier	Oakland County Sheriff Department

I. Call to order

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Bradshaw 11:55 a.m.

II. Approval of Agenda

Motion by Berry, supported by Cribley, to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried unanimously by roll call vote.

III. Approval of Minutes of the March 12, 2020 700 MHz RPC meeting

Approval postponed to the July meeting, per the chair

IV. Applications

A. Old Applications

1. Other - None

B. New Applications

1. State of MI – Eaton Simulcast
2. State of MI – Jackson Simulcast
3. State of MI – Dimondale
4. State of MI – Muskegon 1
5. State of MI – Muskegon 2

All five State of Michigan applications were considered jointly, as all are simulcast systems utilizing channels assigned to the respective counties. Mr. Bradshaw saw no potential interference except for the applicant's own Jackson, site, and the spelling of Parma needs to be corrected. Motion by Hasil, supported by Cribley, to approve all five. Motion carried unanimously by voice vote. - None

V. Subcommittee Reports 700 MHz Plan Update

A. 700 MHz Plan Update Standing Subcommittee

Mr. Bradshaw had distributed proposed language on fixed base interoperability channels. Mr. Cribley and Mr. Hasil corrected the MAC codes. Mr. Bradshaw spoke with Mr. Stoddard, who is no longer expecting a channel sort. Mr. Imeson has a streamlined version of the language from discussion at the July meeting.

The public hearing is on hold due to Covid, and pending SWIEC approval.

B. Other

No other subcommittee reports

VI. Old Business

A. First Net

Mr. Williams advised that the two temporary overflow hospitals are using FirstNet, primarily for data. Both Motorola and Harris are currently developing devices for FirstNet voice. Mr. Maier advised that the State of Indiana had attached P25 to FirstNet, overloading the P25 system. Operations will be going remote during the pandemic. There are 1.2 million devices and 11,000 agencies on the network. An announcement of enhanced PTT embedded in wave form is imminent, limited only by devices. Carrier interoperability process is at the FCC, although there is debate about FCC authority under First Net legislation.

B. Other

None

VII. New Business

A. Other

Ms. Mlujeak advised that she is working with the MPSCS on encryption algorithm arc 4, as ADP is not proprietary as commonly believed. She will bring examples to the July meeting.

VIII. Next Meeting Date

The next meeting will be July 23, 2020, at MDOT in Gaylord Kalamazoo

X. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned by the Chair, at 11:18 AM.