



State Of Delaware  
800 MHz Next Generation Meeting  
17 December 2003

<b>Next Gen Committee Meeting Attendees</b>			
<b>Name</b>	<b>Organization</b>	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Represented By</b>
Stephanie Ulbrich	Representative	Absent	
Greg Patterson	Governor's Office	Present	
James Ford	Homeland Security	Absent	
Thomas Jarrett	DTI	Absent	
Jennifer Davis	Budget Office	Represented	Dave Hill/ Burt Scoglietti
Phil Cabaud	Governor's Office	Present	
Dave Roberts	NCC	Absent	
Richard Dempsey	Kent County	Absent	
Joe Thomas	Sussex County	Present	
Robert Furman	Facilities	Absent	
John Mancus	Courts	Present	
James Cabbage	DVFA	Present	
Gene Donaldson	DelDOT	Absent	
Chip McDaniel	DNREC	Absent	
Jamie Turner	DEMA	Present	
Robert Pederson	DivComm	Present	
Robert Gates	DivComm	Present	
Timothy Westbrook	New Castle County	Absent	
Lynn Hersey-Miller	DTI	Absent	
Elayne Starkey	DTI	Present	
Colleen Gause	DTI	Absent	
Anthony Lazzaro	DTI	Present	
Bryant Baker	DTI	Present	
Guy Sapp	Courts	Absent	
William Carrow	DSP	Present	
Jeff Martin	RCC	Present	
Robert Ross	DHSS	Absent	
Michael Capriglione	Police's Chief's Council	Absent	

Al DeLucca	Courts	Present	
Ed Smith	DNG	Present	
Bill Streets	New Castle County	Present	
PN Nayayanan	DTI	Present	
Richard Reynolds	DTI	Present	

**Call to Order:**

Greg Patterson called the meeting to order at 2:34 pm.

**Introductions and Welcome:**

Introductions were made; attendance was noted as shown in the above table.

**Old Business:**

Homework assignments were given in November. A review of those assignments will be reviewed later in this meeting.

**New Business:**

Mr. Patterson explained the goals of this meeting. A power point presentation was presented to the committee and reviewed as well. With no questions, Mr. Patterson turned the table over to Mr. Baker.

- Mr. Baker started the power point presentation briefing the committee on the requirements and approvals. Maps have been distributed to mark critical buildings for coverage!
- Mr. Reynolds reviewed numbers in-building coverage; to date we have

New Castle County – 919  
Kent County – 387  
Sussex – 416

Bryant Baker asked if anyone had comments or questions –

***John Mancus – What about partitions 1 and 2?***

***Richard Reynolds – We are looking at this – we are also using some type of set categories. We have 4 types as of now; RCC will assign a loss factor to buildings.***

***Jamie Turner – We should also consider construction types per fire code.***

***Richard Reynolds – We will look at that as well Jamie.***

- Mr. Pederson reviewed the City of Wilmington requirement status and asked if anyone had comments or questions.

**Greg Patterson – Have buildings in Wilmington be included in the above numbers?**

**Bob Pederson – Yes.**

**Jim Cabbage – Are we looking at Wilmington on a Phase 1 or 2 status and how it relates to funding?**

**Bob Pederson – Exactly, that is why we have this broken down.**

**Greg Patterson – All information comes back to this committee.**

**Bob Pederson – This is a multi-year project.**

- Mr. Pederson reviewed the Dispatch Console Requirements. To date, we have 127 consoles throughout the state. In order to meet these requirements, there will have to be an infrastructure upgrade.

Does anyone have any questions? No

- Mr. Pederson reviewed the 4.1 Platform upgrades. No user input required; requirements have been developed by DIVCOM, RCC and Motorola.

**Jamie Turner – Have you looked at data transmission?**

**Bob Pederson – Yes, we have looked at DeIDOT – no final determination has been made.**

**Richard Reynolds – DTI is looking at high speed technology to incorporate the data traffic.**

**Greg Patterson – Will the platform upgrade effect the user?**

**Bob Pederson – No**

- Mr. Reynolds briefed and reviewed the Microwave/Fiber backbone component.

Does anyone have any questions? No

- Mr. Pederson briefed and reviewed the Interstate Operability issue – No additional input received from the 9-1-1 Centers to develop specifications.
- Jeff Martin from RCC Consultants briefed and reviewed the consultant efforts.

**Al DeLucca – is detailed coverage in or out of buildings?**

**Jeff Martin – Signal saturation will cover anything and anywhere.**

Mr. Martin indicated that we need to keep the standard specification and identify special areas to include basements.

Mr. Pederson also indicated that Jeff and RCC have received maps and are now in the process of going to buildings.

**Bill Streets – Is there any problems in NCC that we can help with?**

**Bob Pederson – Yes**

**Jeff Martin – We see little risk in NCC**

Mr. Pederson updated this committee on the Rehoboth project. They have received a federal grant and met with city officials last week. The city is requiring the system to be operational by Memorial Day.

Greg Patterson scheduled the next meeting for 16 January to start promptly at 10:00. This meeting will be held at Tatnall Building, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Conference Room.

**Adjournment:**

With no further business to be conducted, Greg Patterson adjourned the meeting at 4:16 pm