IEEE 802.16
Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access
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Broadband Wireless Access
(BWA)

802 LMSC Opening Plenary
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802.16 Function

Develops standards and recommended practices to support the development and deployment of Broadband Wireless Metropolitan Area Networks (WirelessMAN®)
802.16 Membership

• 229 Members [prior to session]

• 117 Potential Members [eligible to become members at this session]

• Session #44 this week:
  – 380 preregistered
    • 232 Primary, 148 Secondary
802.16 Interim Sessions

- #41: January 2006
  - New Delhi, India

- #43: May 2006
  - Tel Aviv, Israel

- #45: September 2006
  - Mont Tremblant, Quebec, Canada
Active Projects

- P802.16/Conformance 04
  - PICS (stationary [pre-802.16e])
  - Completed Sponsor Ballot
  - RevCom: 15 September 2006

- Earlier-stage projects
  - P802.16g
  - P802.16h
  - P802.16i
  - P802.16j
  - P802.16k
NetMan Task Group

• Phil Barber, Chair
• P802.16g: Management Plane Procedures and Services
  – WG Letter Ballot #20, plus two recircs
  – 80% approval ratio
• P802.16i: Mobile Management Information Base
  – Pre-draft baseline document in review
• P802.16k: Bridging of 802.16
  – Amendment to 802.1D
  – WG Letter Ballot #22 (96% approval ratio)
Licensed-Exempt Task Group

• Mariana Goldhamer, Chair

• P802.16h: *Improved Coexistence Mechanisms for License-Exempt Operation*

• Working Document in review
  – Comments to resolve
Relay Task Group

- Mitsuo Nohara, Chair
- P802.16j PAR approved 30 March 2006
- Met once (Session #43)
- This week, will attempt to complete:
  - system usage model
  - terminology
  - valuation methodology
  - technical requirements
Maintenance Task Group

- Jon Labs, Chair

- Developed standing maintenance process
  - Modeled after 802.3 process
  - Approved in WG Letter Ballot #21

- Change requests to review this week
ITU Ad Hoc

- José Costa, Chair

- Developing input for ITU-R Working Party 8A, in response to liaison statement
802.16 WG Officers

- Chair: Roger Marks
- Vice Chair: Ken Stanwood (resigning)
- Secretary: Peiying Zhu

- Election for Vice Chair
  - Five candidates
  - Opening Plenary, Monday
  - Runoff: Closing Plenary, Thursday
Resources

• local server:
  – http://lan.WirelessMAN.org

• permanently:
  – http://WirelessMAN.org