IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access

Roger Marks, Chair



IEEE 802.16 Working Group on Broadband Wireless Access (BWA)

802 LMSC Opening Plenary
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Dallas, TX, USA

802.16 Function

Develops standards and recommended practices to support the development and deployment of

Broadband

Wireless Metropolitan Area Networks (WirelessMAN®)

802.16 Membership

227 Members [prior to session]

 103 Potential Members [eligible to become members at this session]

- Session #46 this week (as of 7 Nov):
 - -405 preregistered
 - 241 Primary, 164 Secondary

802.16 Interim Sessions

- #41: January 2006
 - -New Delhi, India
- #43: May 2006
 - -Tel Aviv, Israel

- #45: September 2006
 - -Mont Tremblant, Quebec, Canada
- #47: January 2006
 - –London, UK

IEEE-SA SB Approvals

- IEEE Std 802.16/Conformance 04
 - Standard approved 15 September 2006

- PAR 802.16-2004/Corrigendum2
 - -PAR approved 15 September 2006

Active Projects

- -P802.16g
- -P802.16h
- -P802.16i
- -P802.16j
- -P802.16k
- -P802.16-2006/Corrigendum2

NetMan Task Group

- Phil Barber, Chair
- P802.16g: Management Plane Procedures and Services
 - -WG Letter Ballot #20, plus four recircs
 - -86% approval ratio
- P802.16i: Mobile Management Information Base
 - Pre-draft baseline document in review
- P802.16k: *Bridging of 802.16*
 - -Amendment to 802.1D
 - -Sponsor Ballot Recirc complete

Licensed-Exempt Task Group

Mariana Goldhamer, Chair

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

- Working Group Letter Ballot #24
 - Comments to resolve

Joint meeting with 802.11 TGy Thursday

Relay Task Group

- Mitsuo Nohara, Chair
- P802.16j PAR approved 30 March 2006
- Issued Call for Technical Contributions
- Dozens of contributions to review

Maintenance Task Group

Jon Labs, Chair

- Standing maintenance process
 - -Modeled after 802.3 process

Balloted change requests for Corrigendum2

Comments to resolve this week

ITU Liaison Group

José Costa, Chair

- Developing input for ITU-R WP 8F
 - To propose adding IEEE 802.16 as an additional IMT-2000 radio interface

Meeting this week to refine documents.

Will review with 802.18.

P802.16m PAR Proposal

- advanced air interface to meet the requirements of next generation mobile networks
- intended for incorporation into the IMT-Advanced standardization activity being conducted by ITU-R
- Tutorial: IEEE 802.16 and IMT-Advanced
 - -Monday, 8 pm

802.16 WG Officers

- Chair: Roger Marks
- Vice Chair: Jose Puthenkulam
- Secretary: Peiying Zhu

Resources

- local server:
 - http://lan.WirelessMAN.org

- permanently:
 - http://WirelessMAN.org