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Abstract	This document addressed two issues in WG operating procedure: how to define the format of document materials of 802.20 WG and how to setup a ML for voting members. Schemes are proposed for discussion.	
Purpose	This document is provided as input for the development of the 802.20 operating rules.	
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A Discussion on Working Group Operating Procedure

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Introduction

- 802.20WG Operating Rules Procedures
 - Documentation
 - Mailing List

File Naming Scheme

- Current document material format in 802.20:
 - We do not have a formal 802.20 template for contribution files (e.g., ppt and doc).
 - All submission files are converted to a "pdf" format.
 - File name is edited like C802.20-03-29.
- Learn from other Working Groups
 - ppt & doc are used
 - Working Groups 802.11, 15, 18, 19
 - pdf is used
 - Working Groups 802.1, 3, 16, 17
- What will be our choice in 802.20WG?

Pros & Cons

DOC & PPT files

- User friendly, not author friendly.
- Animation can be used.
- Easily reused by other users.
- Can be modified.

PDF files

- Not easily reused by other users.
- Author friendly, not user friendly
- Printing may have problems.
- Protected from modification.

Motion

- To affirm DOC & PPT & PDF file format to be an IEEE802.20 formal template. If PDF is used, an original format must use white color as a background for a printing purpose.
- To affirm any text proposed for inclusion in a draft standard to be available in DOC.
- To empower Gang Wu to create template formats, DOC and PPT, for IEEE802.20.

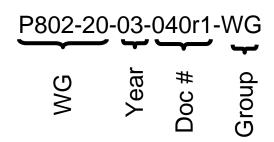
Current File Name Numbering

Documents 802.20-3/40

Permanent 802.20-PD01
Documents

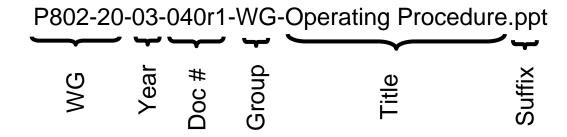
New Naming Scheme

Document Number (in header of doc)-



- 1. No category (e.g., contribution, documents, permanent documents)
- 2. Explicitly two digit year, three digit doc# revision #, Group (e.g., WG, TG, ...)

Document File Name



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 To affirm a new document naming scheme and all submitted document is incorporated into the new document naming scheme.

Mailing List

- Currently only one mailing exists:
 - stds-802-mobility@ieee.org
- Create new mailing lists
 - Mailing list for all people with interesting (Public)
 - stds-802-mobility@ieee.org
 - Mailing list for Voting Member only (Private)
 - stds-802-20@ieee.org

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 To empower interim vice chairs to create mailing lists for voting members only and public purpose, respectively.