Joint Opening Plenary

IEEE 802.21
Media Independent Handover Services
Session #17
Dallas, Texas

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- The WG has 74 voting members as of this meeting
Session Time and Location

- **Location:** Hyatt Regency, Dallas, TX
- **Time:**
  - Monday:
    - Afternoon: 1.30 pm – 6.00 pm (2 meeting slots: PM1, PM2)
  - Tuesday to Thursday:
    - Morning: 8.00 am – 12.00 pm (2 meeting slots/morning: AM1, AM2)
    - Afternoon: 1.00 pm – 6.00 pm (2 meeting slots/evening: PM1, PM2)

- **Total of 14 meeting slots**
  - To get attendance credit towards voting membership for this Plenary, one would require 75% attendance in 11 meeting slots
802.21 WG Charter

- IEEE 802.21 is developing standards to enable handover and interoperability between heterogeneous networks including both 802 and non-802 networks
Summary of Completed Work

• Draft Specification (P802-21-D01) confirmed – May 2005
• WG Letter Ballot Progress
  – LB #1 Completed (April 30, 2006)
    • Return Ratio: 81%, Approval Ratio: 26%
  – LB #1a Recirculation Completed (Oct 23, 2006)
    • Return Ratio: 85%, Approval Ratio 30%

• Ad Hoc Meeting in New Jersey Oct 31 - Nov 2
  – Discussion of various contributions for comment resolution for LB#1a

• Interaction with other 802 groups and other SDOs
  – 802.16: MIH solution incorporated in 802.16g in Nov 2005
  – 802.11: MIH solution incorporated in 802.11u in Sep 2006
  – 3GPP: Requirements for IS Accepted at SA2#52 in May-2006, Discussion paper on IS submitted at SA2#55 in Oct-2006
Plans for the Nov Meeting

- Approve output of 802.21 ad hoc in Oct/Nov at New Jersey
- Complete LB #1a Comment Resolution
- Plan for Re-circulation of draft at end of Nov meeting
- Discussion on future WG activities
  - Multi-radio paging
- Interaction with other 802 groups and external SDOs
  - Joint sessions with 802.11u
  - Discussion with FMCA on 802.21 adoption and deployment
  - Update from IETF
  - 3GPP/3GPP2 next steps discussion
- Tutorial on CALM on Tue, Nov-14 at 8:00 PM