

0:0:0.0 --> 0:0:0.950

Neal, Barbara

OK, let me try that.

0:0:2.680 --> 0:0:4.70

Morrison, Jennifer

It looks like it worked Cali.

0:0:4.140 --> 0:0:4.820

Morrison, Jennifer

I think I got it.

0:0:4.320 --> 0:0:5.270

Audet, Cally

OK, great.

0:0:5.650 --> 0:0:6.390

Neal, Barbara

Oh, there we go.

0:0:6.940 --> 0:0:7.100

Dominick Arcuri

Yeah.

0:0:5.340 --> 0:0:8.690

Audet, Cally

Yes, it does show that you started it perfect.

0:0:8.800 --> 0:0:9.220

Audet, Cally

Thank you.

0:0:8.860 --> 0:0:9.700

Dominick Arcuri

I got no notice.

0:0:8.490 --> 0:0:9.880

Neal, Barbara

OK X.

0:0:11.320 --> 0:0:11.860

Neal, Barbara

Excellent.

0:0:11.900 --> 0:0:12.690

Neal, Barbara

OK, great.

0:0:13.60 --> 0:0:14.290

Neal, Barbara

So good morning everybody.

0:0:14.300 --> 0:0:18.470

Neal, Barbara

I am calling this meeting of the Public Safety Communications Task force to order.

0:0:18.480 --> 0:0:20.450

Neal, Barbara

It is 1127.

0:0:20.880 --> 0:0:23.730

Neal, Barbara

On July 10, 2024.

0:0:23.740 --> 0:0:24.890

Neal, Barbara

And I'm Barbara Neil.

0:0:25.500 --> 0:0:34.370

Neal, Barbara

As a reminder, the meeting is in fact being recorded and that recording recording will be posted on the Task force web page following the meeting.

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Neal, Barbara

So let's start with a roll call of Task Force members.

0:0:37.960 --> 0:0:40.570

Neal, Barbara

Please acknowledge your presence when I call your name.

0:0:40.810 --> 0:0:41.500

Neal, Barbara

Jen Morrison.

0:0:42.290 --> 0:0:42.730

Morrison, Jennifer

I am here.

0:0:44.160 --> 0:0:44.520

Neal, Barbara

Warning.

0:0:46.280 --> 0:0:47.40

Neal, Barbara

Ron krumitz.

0:0:47.640 --> 0:0:48.720

Ron Kumetz

I am here as well.

0:0:49.640 --> 0:0:51.520

Neal, Barbara

Morning and Jim Mack.

0:0:52.490 --> 0:0:52.710

James Mack

Here.

0:0:54.260 --> 0:0:54.990

Neal, Barbara

Good morning.

0:0:55.150 --> 0:0:55.910

Neal, Barbara

OK.

0:1:5.940 --> 0:1:6.80

Dominick Arcuri

Hello.

0:0:56.0 --> 0:1:9.580

Neal, Barbara

Also joining us today is Cali Audette as our administrative support, our project management team, Rick and Dom from Tel Aviv and our mission critical partner rants.

0:1:9.630 --> 0:1:11.860

Neal, Barbara

Duffy is here as well.

0:1:12.430 --> 0:1:15.720

Neal, Barbara

And then we have making sure I didn't miss anyone.

0:1:15.730 --> 0:1:18.260

Neal, Barbara

Then we have some members of the public.

0:1:18.500 --> 0:1:24.710

Neal, Barbara

I'll call your name, and if you'd like to introduce yourself and any affiliation you care to share, that'd be great, Senator Renner.

0:1:26.250 --> 0:1:26.800

Sen. Irene Wrenner

Hi everyone.

0:1:26.810 --> 0:1:29.830

Sen. Irene Wrenner

Irene Renner I serve on the Joint Information Technology Oversight Committee.

0:1:31.430 --> 0:1:32.220

Neal, Barbara

Nice to see you.

0:1:32.650 --> 0:1:33.470

Neal, Barbara

Uh kimchi.

0:1:35.170 --> 0:1:40.740

Kim Cheney

And Kim Cheney of former chair and uh.

0:1:42.100 --> 0:1:43.170

Kim Cheney

What should I say?

0:1:43.180 --> 0:1:51.890

Kim Cheney

Ceremonial are survivor of the last effort of communications planning.

0:1:55.410 --> 0:1:57.200

Neal, Barbara

Welcome and Steven Whittaker.

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Sleep Whitaker.

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My failure.

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Uh.

0:2:3.690 --> 0:2:12.610

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Also, a participant in what was not the last effort that Kim refers to, but the last anyway, go ahead.

0:2:14.790 --> 0:2:15.730

Neal, Barbara

Thank you, Steven.

0:2:15.740 --> 0:2:17.930

Neal, Barbara

And I do see that I missed someone.

0:2:17.940 --> 0:2:20.200

Neal, Barbara

Phil Sisk from mission critical welcome.

0:2:22.50 --> 0:2:22.530

Phillip Sisk

Good morning.

0:2:24.400 --> 0:2:28.190

Neal, Barbara

OK, so let's move on to approval of the agenda.

0:2:28.200 --> 0:2:31.610

Neal, Barbara

The agenda was distributed to Task Force members by email.

0:2:31.620 --> 0:2:37.260

Neal, Barbara

It's also available on our web page do Task Force members have any changes to the agenda for today?

0:2:42.70 --> 0:2:53.790

Neal, Barbara

OK, hearing nothing will consider the agenda approved Umm and move on to approval of the Minutes from the June 19th meeting.

0:2:53.800 --> 0:2:56.290

Neal, Barbara

That was regular meeting #28.

0:2:56.540 --> 0:2:58.540

Neal, Barbara

Are there any changes needed to these minutes?

0:3:3.320 --> 0:3:7.170

Neal, Barbara

Hearing anything, is there a motion to approve the minutes from 619?

0:3:7.830 --> 0:3:9.630

Ron Kumetz

I will make a motion to approve the Minutes.

0:3:10.790 --> 0:3:11.290

Neal, Barbara

Thank you, Ron.

0:3:11.120 --> 0:3:11.610

James Mack

Seconded.

0:3:12.580 --> 0:3:13.390

Neal, Barbara
Thank you, Jim.

0:3:13.500 --> 0:3:14.340

Neal, Barbara
Any discussion?

0:3:16.660 --> 0:3:19.830

Neal, Barbara
All in favor, please raise your hand or indicate by saying aye.

0:3:20.740 --> 0:3:21.40

Morrison, Jennifer
Aye.

0:3:22.330 --> 0:3:24.600

Neal, Barbara
Here Jen, I see Ron Kummetz.

0:3:24.770 --> 0:3:26.530

Neal, Barbara
My hand is up, as is Jim Max.

0:3:26.540 --> 0:3:32.920

Neal, Barbara
So the minutes from June 19th are approved and will move on to public comment.

0:3:35.630 --> 0:3:36.450

Neal, Barbara
Let's see.

0:3:36.460 --> 0:3:39.740

Neal, Barbara
Uh Senator Brenner, would you like to offer any comments today?

0:3:43.480 --> 0:3:44.50

Sen. Irene Wrenner
No, just heard.

0:3:44.60 --> 0:3:44.700

Sen. Irene Wrenner
Listen, thank you.

0:3:45.960 --> 0:3:47.680

Neal, Barbara
OK, Kim chini.

0:3:51.620 --> 0:3:54.700

Kim Cheney
I'm just curious for there was any follow up on the.

0:3:57.320 --> 0:3:58.390

Kim Cheney
Central Vermont.

0:4:0.480 --> 0:4:2.420

Kim Cheney
Congressional funding plan.

0:4:4.40 --> 0:4:6.640

Kim Cheney
Make sure it's integrated with what you folks are doing.

0:4:10.910 --> 0:4:13.490

Neal, Barbara
Uh, that I don't know an answer to that.

0:4:13.580 --> 0:4:13.690

Neal, Barbara
What?

0:4:15.780 --> 0:4:16.320

Kim Cheney
Well, it was.

0:4:19.260 --> 0:4:20.130

Kim Cheney
What mentioned?

0:4:22.900 --> 0:4:26.730

Kim Cheney
Probably a month ago I thought somebody would have followed up on that.

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Neal, Barbara
OK.

0:4:29.230 --> 0:4:38.80

Morrison, Jennifer

The radio technology shop is assisting communities that have approached us for assistance with congressionally directed spending requests for radio infrastructure.

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Morrison, Jennifer

So I am not clear that we have any uh conversation going on with Central Vermont, but I can certainly ask Mr Chase and get back to you.

0:4:48.870 --> 0:4:49.370

Kim Cheney

Thank you.

0:4:49.380 --> 0:4:50.70

Kim Cheney

Appreciate it.

0:4:52.660 --> 0:4:53.150

Neal, Barbara

Thank you, Jen.

0:4:55.120 --> 0:4:55.500

Neal, Barbara

OK.

0:4:55.660 --> 0:4:57.370

Neal, Barbara

Any public comment?

0:4:57.920 --> 0:5:0.110

Neal, Barbara

Well, Kim, where you well done with your public comment.

0:5:1.840 --> 0:5:4.810

Kim Cheney

Yep, anxious to see what anybody can tell us.

0:5:4.820 --> 0:5:6.630

Kim Cheney

Where progress we're making.

0:5:8.360 --> 0:5:10.870

Neal, Barbara

OK, that'll be coming up a little bit later in the agenda.

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Neal, Barbara

Steven Whittaker, would you care to share any comments?

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I do.

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James Mack

It's.

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You wanna come up here?

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I am concerned I did get responses back from both the Department of Public Service and the Enhanced 911 Board that there are no records exist as far as uh, mission critical partners pursuing the cell database, access to conduct the propagation study of LTE coverage as required.

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And there's no reason that that shouldn't have been started by now.

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There's a big policy issue as to whether or not it's gonna take, you know, governor's staff liaison to find that that data needs to be made available.

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For conducting that propagation study, this similar effort was done as part of Italy or telecom plan.

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That, and I'm not yet unknown expense, but without the data of the accurate antenna locations, it's kind of useless.

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So I'm concerned that we are apparently dragging anchor and allowing politics to subvert this effort.

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Umm, the lawyer that was supposed to be convinced.

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Uh.

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Retained to help with forming municipal governments or regional governance to be ready to own and manage and govern these systems seems to have been shelved and I just can't fathom why.

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If all the federal guidance says governance is prerequisite to this, why we're not making an effort to insist that our hired contractors be providing support in convening the governance.

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The I'm concerned that the Windham County sheriff's earmark the person the not yet awarded the Central Vermont earmark failed to integrate with what the charge of this committee is, which includes LTE and LMR and uh, of necessity governance and to be missing the boat while these projects go off on their own track.

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I wanna take issue with as I did before you charged elevate with reviewing the congressionally directed spending for DPS.

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It's it's self serving and it's dishonest to have televote claim that the 9,000,000 expenditure

is foundational to regional dispatch when there is no regional dispatch plan nor yet completed inventory or resiliency design to lend any credence to that claim.

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It's more like paying a contractor to tell you what you want to hear, and you're paying a contractor who lied to us about first net and lied to Central Vermont Public Safety Authority about completing an inventory of their system and continues to claim that it should already, when there is no.

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Failover engineering.

0:10:10.340 --> 0:10:15.0

Neal, Barbara

Umm, so let me turn it over to Dom from Tel Aviv to get this conversation started.

0:10:30.890 --> 0:10:32.110

Dominick Arcuri

Go through the status report.

0:10:33.20 --> 0:10:33.160

Dominick Arcuri

No.

0:10:36.950 --> 0:10:39.920

Dominick Arcuri

Uh, this is a status report.

0:10:52.220 --> 0:11:9.30

Dominick Arcuri

Yeah, as as as many of you know, we are still in the midst of data gathering and we had distributed the data questionnaire how to all dispatch centers over these last few weeks.

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Dominick Arcuri

We've been receiving responses and contacting those agencies that have not yet responded to make sure we were.

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Dominick Arcuri

They were pursuing and working on the our response to the questionnaire we have.

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Dominick Arcuri

Uh, we have not received all of them yet, but we have been in contact with all of the agencies and we are also working to schedule the on site meetings to the dispatch centers, which are are critical.

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Dominick Arcuri

They will begin next week, actually the week of the 15th.

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Dominick Arcuri

And MCP will have teams on site to meet with the dispatch centers.

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Dominick Arcuri

They will be reviewing the data, questionnaires, the responses from those agencies that have responded and to those that have not yet completed the questionnaires they'll be working with them to help them complete during the on site meetings.

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Dominick Arcuri

MCP is also working to organize on site review of the wireless and other dispatch systems.

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Dominick Arcuri

They have a plan to meet with the radio technology services on the 29th of this month and also trying to set up meetings with the some of the major radio shops in the state that would have knowledge of the wireless systems.

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Dominick Arcuri

Those are those are the primary activities that we've had ongoing.

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Dominick Arcuri

We have the list of action items that we are continuing to follow.

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Dominick Arcuri

A number of these have been complete and archived.

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Dominick Arcuri

These are the current ones that are in process.

0:12:58.520 --> 0:13:8.910

Dominick Arcuri

The ones regarding agencies that may not interact directly with 911, but do some dispatch, we're still still working on that.

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Dominick Arcuri

And also as I mentioned, we're working to collect the data questionnaires.

0:13:14.480 --> 0:13:20.210

Dominick Arcuri

We expect a total of 38 from the dispatch centers.

0:13:20.790 --> 0:13:21.350

Dominick Arcuri

Uh.

0:13:21.780 --> 0:13:29.340

Dominick Arcuri

Latest update I have is that we've received 17, possibly more over the last day or so.

0:13:29.350 --> 0:13:30.790

Dominick Arcuri

I know they are still coming in.

0:13:32.320 --> 0:13:41.540

Dominick Arcuri

So so we are a bit behind on the data questionnaires and I do a mark that as an issue.

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Dominick Arcuri

This is the risk item list that we have been following since the beginning of the project, highlighting the dispatch Center Information collection.

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Dominick Arcuri

As we as I mentioned, we have not received all of the questionnaires as planned by the end of June, but we feel we can deal with that or or confident that we can mitigate that through

our on site meeting plan and mission critical partners is in the process of completing that on site meeting schedule.

0:14:15.860 --> 0:14:38.950

Dominick Arcuri

As I mentioned, it will start next week, so we've taken that issue or we've taken that risk that is materialized into an issue and this is what we are following where identifying, taking actions by contacting all the dispatch centers to get their status on the questionnaire and assist them as best we can.

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Dominick Arcuri

There was some initial information that was captured when we did contact the dispatch center, so that has given us information to help with scheduling the onsite meetings and we anticipate getting the information that we need during the on site meeting.

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Dominick Arcuri

Now we have also created a, a somewhat of a more visual schedule, if you will.

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Dominick Arcuri

Uh, hopefully this is useful to the task force members to uh, give everyone.

0:15:13.960 --> 0:15:24.640

Dominick Arcuri

Kind of a clear look as to where we stand, we show the red line red vertical line there in the center through the 1st week of July where we are.

0:15:24.650 --> 0:15:39.780

Dominick Arcuri

That does indicate that we have, uh, as slipped behind on the completed forms, but as I mentioned, we are confident that we can still get the data we need during the on site visits.

0:15:40.270 --> 0:15:47.160

Dominick Arcuri

There is a line item there for perform site visits and that was originally scheduled to start this week.

0:15:47.590 --> 0:15:52.300

Dominick Arcuri

That has been moved to start next week and.

0:15:52.890 --> 0:16:1.480

Dominick Arcuri

Uh, that the the overall schedule has changed changed there, even though it will be starting a week later than what was shown here.

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Dominick Arcuri

Uh, MCP still has their schedule to complete that within the mid August time frame.

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Dominick Arcuri

So that is an item we are watching, but not a major concern at this time.

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Dominick Arcuri

Also I wanna highlight here that we are still obviously in the data collection phase with the analysis system, inventory and assessment and analysis coming up.

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Dominick Arcuri

We will not have system design options, so we won't.

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Dominick Arcuri

We won't have any knowledge and recommendation in terms of some of the options for the types of systems moving forward until the November time frame.

0:16:47.480 --> 0:16:53.750

Dominick Arcuri

So that is according to the schedule that has been in place since the beginning of the of the project.

0:16:53.980 --> 0:17:14.810

Dominick Arcuri

Those major deliverables are shown to the left in bold font and also we have some data trackers on the bottom of the schedule here which is showing the data collection questionnaires showing the percent complete as those that were received.

0:17:15.260 --> 0:17:17.390

Dominick Arcuri

This was of as of Monday.

0:17:17.400 --> 0:17:17.990

Dominick Arcuri

It has been up.

0:17:18.270 --> 0:17:26.830

Dominick Arcuri

No, it has increased since then to nearly 50% and we're also showing the site visits when they start.

0:17:26.840 --> 0:17:36.790

Dominick Arcuri

We'll be tracking those and the workshops that will also occur after the site visits uh.

0:17:36.800 --> 0:17:53.350

Dominick Arcuri

So we'll try and show this at every status update to give you kind of a uh one page look as to where we are and what where we stand within the project and key items that we're tracking.

0:17:54.650 --> 0:17:54.820

Dominick Arcuri

Uh.

0:17:54.830 --> 0:18:0.10

Dominick Arcuri

Happy to answer any questions from Task Force members on on the status.

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