IEEE P802.23 Final Report to IETF - ECRIT Monday July 25, 2011

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The Bottom Line

- Insufficient Participation all along
- It wasn't getting better
- Perhaps getting worse
- Motion last week at 802 to:
 - Cease holding meetings
 - Withdraw the PAR
 - Polish off and archive documents
- Motion was approved
- Group will formally die after Sept IEEE Stds Bd Mtg.

Draft Status

- 802.23 Draft developed by WG Chair since Singapore
- Reviewed and improved at May Interim (King of Prussia, PA)
 - (Thank you Richard Barnes)
- Resulting draft: D0.9
- Sent forth for 30 day structured review on 6/12/2011
- Comment period closed on 7/13
- 6 Commenters, 43 Comments
- WG met last week to consider comments (2 att)
- Resolved all comments
- Developed editing instructions to improve draft.
- Draft will be updated to D1.0 for archive

Does Draft Have Value?

- I believe it is a reasonable guide as to the structure of information flow for an ES call through an 802 access network.
- It points to work that needs to be done in 802.1 to fill gaps to support standardized location in an 802 network.
- Points to a need for a network map server that would be useful for Emergency Services and might be an interesting product.
- Short, reasonably concise and pretty painless to read (one might also argue that it is content free)

THANK YOU!!

- Archive location: https://mentor.ieee.org/802.23/documents
- Final versions of everything should be posted by the end of this week
- My Contact information for any questions (now or in the future)
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BACKUP SLIDES

W.G. status/evaluation

- No voting members added since 1st WG meeting last July
- Initial driving participant no longer involved
- WG history is of no technical contributions
- No attendees (other than WG Chair) in Singapore
- 2 attendees (other than WG Chair) at May interim
- No prospects for improvement
- Without technical contributions, draft can't reasonably progress
- Lack of participation indicates poor prospects for market adoption of a standard.
- Viable options not apparent without participation

W.G. Shutdown Plans

- Cease further operation as a Working Group
- Move to withdraw PAR
- Plan for PAR to be withdrawn by Nescom/SASB in Sept.
- Generate final draft (D1.0) from comments for archiving
- Archive all documents in existing WG directory on Mentor
- Update tools and web pages as appropriate
- Continue to participate in EC voting until September SASB meeting.

Motion Withdrawal of 802.23 PAR

Move to submit withdrawal of P802.23 PAR to NESCOM (on the basis of lack of participation)

Moved: Geoff Thompson

Second: Tony Jeffree

YES__15__ NO __0__ ABSTAIN __0___

PASS