Wireless Chairs Standing Committee

Joint 11/15 Executive Committee

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| Project | Wireless Chairs Standing Committee | |
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| Re: | Meeting Minutes | |
| Abstract |  | |
| Purpose | Maintain Meeting Record | |
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**Abbreviations:**

A: Answer

C: Comment

ECJT: Executive Committee of the Joint Treasury

Q: Question

**Sunday September 8th, 2024, 16:00 HAST**

**Wireless Chairs Standing Committee (WCSC) Meeting**

1. **Call to order**: Meeting called to order at 16:01 HAST

* **Chair**: Dorothy Stanley
* **Recording Secretary**: Stephen McCann

1. **Policy and Procedure reminders**

* <http://ieee802.org/sapolicies.shtml>
* The chair read out the relevant policies and procedures, including copyright.
* No statements were made.

1. **Attendees**: See Annex A

* Christy Bahn is the IEEE staff member present.

1. **Review and approve agenda**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0205-01-WCSG-2024-09-08-wireless-chairs-sc-meeting-agenda.docx>
* **Move to approve the agenda:**
  + Moved: Ann Krieger, 2nd: Clint Powell
  + No objection to approving by unanimous consent.

1. **Minutes and Actions**

* **Consider actions from the WCSC meeting August 14th, 2024:**
  + None.
* **Move to approve the minutes for August 14th, 2024:**
* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0204-00-WCSG-2024-08-14-wireless-chairs-sc-meeting-minutes.docx>
  + Moved: Stephen McCann, 2nd: Ben Rolfe
  + No objection to approving by unanimous consent.

1. **Announcements**

None

1. **IEEE publicity**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0115-00-PVIS-possible-public-visibility-sc-activities-with-ieee-sections.pptx>
* Presented by Tuncer Baykas
* Recent updates for publicity.
* Chair: Please can you send the Linkedin announcement text to the WCSC email reflector.
* A: Yes. The title of the email will be “IEEE 802 LMSC Linkedin page”.

1. **IEEE 802.24**
   * <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.24/dcn/24/24-24-0019-03-0000-sept-2024-interim-meeting-agenda-and-presentation.pptx>
   * Presented by Tim Godfrey
   * There are 2 meetings this week and the group is working on the usual whitepapers, considering further updates.
   * No questions.
2. **IEEE 802.19**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.19/dcn/24/19-24-0030-01-0000-september-2024-wg-opening-report.pptx>
* Presented by Tuncer Baykas.
* There are no letter ballots at the moment and the plan is to have 2 meeting slots during this September 2024 session.
  + No questions.

1. **IEEE 802.18**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.18/dcn/24/18-24-0081-00-0000-2024-september-rr-tag-chair-opening-report.pptx>
* Presented by Gaurav Patwardhan.
* The group will be discussing various consultation responses as shown in the document.
* Q: Is Edward Au attending the meeting in person.
* A: I don’t believe he is.

1. **IEEE 802.15**
   * <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.15/dcn/24/15-24-0430-01-0000-sept-2024-802-15-opening-report.pptx>
   * Presented by Clint Powell.
   * There will be some interesting WNG discussion this week, so please attend.
   * Chair: Regarding the voting update tool, is there any update?
   * C: Testing has been performed and all of the issues have been resolved. I’m happy to show people how the tool works if they are interested.
2. **IEEE 802.11**
   * <https://mentor.ieee.org/802.11/dcn/24/11-24-1362-01-0000-2024-september-working-group-chair-opening-report.pptx>
   * Presented by Robert Stacey.
   * There has been a lot of activity over the last 2 months, as many projects have finished. Therefore, the 802.11 agenda for this session is fairly light.
   * No questions.
3. **Future Interim Meetings**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0006-12-WCSG-ieee-802wcsc-meeting-venue-manager-report-2024.pptx>
* Slide #3 shows the status of the IEEE 802 plenary contracts.
* Please take note of the dates in 2026 and 2027, as some dates have changed.
* Slide #5 shows the status of the IEEE 802 interim contracts.
* **May 2025 Warsaw**
* The plan is to still to have Warsaw as the venue for this meeting, although the name of the hotel has changed.
* **January 2026 Victoria**
* This contract is progressing well.

1. **September 2024 Waikoloa**

* There are still some issues with the hotel room block.
* Please note that the rooms in the Ocean Tower do not belong to the Hilton Waikoloa Hotel. They belong to a different entity.
* There are 561 people registered for this session. 294 in-person and 255 remote.

1. **January 2025 Kobe**

* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0214-01-WCSG-kobe-interim-summary.pptx>
* The main hotel is the Portopia.
* C: The text will be simplified for the website. There are also some additional links to the hotels to be added. The website should be ready by the middle of September.
* There are a few issues that still need to be resolved, although this should not be a problem for the session to proceed.
* On the Thursday of the session, lunch will be provided as a Bento box. This is because the local restaurants are not available.
* There are some Japanese entities which will be providing about 20% of the session expenditure.
* An Outreach Workshop is planned for the prior Saturday (2025/01/11).
* The IEEE Japanese chapter has asked to arrange a workshop on the preceding Saturday of the session.
* **Motion (Slide #12)**
* **Move to approve to hold the outreach workshop on Jan 11 Sat, at Kobe as the following conditions.**
* **Organizer: Japanese Volunteer Committee**
* **Date: 2025/01/11 Sat (day before the interim)**
* **Attendance: 100 max**
* **Program:**
  + - * **Opening remarks**
      * **Introduction of WG**
      * **Tutorial to join 802**
      * **Networking dinner**
* **Request to wireless chair meeting**
* **Speaker appointment**
* **Treasurer**
* **Japanese Volunteer Committee provides all of the expenses for this workshop.**
* Moved: Jon Rosdahl, Second: Robert Stacey
* C: I speak in favor of the motion
* Results: Unanimous approval – Motion passes (10 voters present)
* Call for workshop speakers.
* C: Stephen McCann & Ben Rolfe have already volunteered for this. Please can they work with Hiroshi Mano to arrange the details.
* C: It’s likely that they will require 1 speaker per working group.
* No questions.

1. **Treasurers’ Report**

* There has been a recent new banking system rollout.
* This has caused some issues and therefore there is no stable report at the moment.

1. **September 2024**

* Chair: are there any fee waivers for this session?
* None noted.
* Chair: There is a wireless interim opening meeting tomorrow morning at 08:00 HST.
* There is a “things to know” document about this week:
* <https://mentor.ieee.org/802-ec/dcn/24/ec-24-0215-00-WCSG-waikoloa-802w-0924-thingstoknow-hwv-0904.pptx>
* C: There is a short dolphin show at 08:00 on Tuesday. There may be a hotel wide alarm test during the week. The Lava Lava restaurant has now re-opened.
* **Straw poll:**
* **Would you support returning to the Hilton Waikoloa for 2028 and 2029?**
* Yes: 89%, No: 11% (17/2/0)
* C: This is a great venue, although it’s a shame that the restaurant options are limited, especially in the evenings.
* C: Regarding the first-time attendees, one idea is to have an early morning breakfast on the Monday morning, prior to the start of the EC meeting.
* C: There used to be a document called “Why Hawaii”, which could be updated again. It’s a very useful international location between North America and Asia.

1. **AoB**

* **2024 November LMSC Workshop**
* Please note that there is an LMSC Workshop on Saturday 16th November 2024. WG vice-chairs are also invited. This meeting will be held in-person only.
* **WCSC Meetings**
* The dates of the next WCSC meetings are:
  + 2024-10-09 – Wednesday, 3pm ET
  + 2024-11-10 – Sunday, 4pm PT, Vancouver
  + 2024-12-18 – Wednesday, 3pm ET

1. **AoB**

* None

1. **Adjourn**

* No objection to adjourning.
* Adjourned at 16:04 HAST.

**Annex A: Attendance & Affiliation**

| **Name** | **Affiliation** |
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| Baykas, Tuncer | Ofinno |
| Branik, Daniel | MTG events |
| McCann, Stephen | Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd |
| Powell, Clint | HID Global |
| Rolfe, Benjamin | Blind Creek Associates |
| Rosdahl, Jon | Qualcomm Technologies, Inc. |
| Patwardhan, Gaurav | HPE |
| Stanley, Dorothy | HPE |
| Krieger, Ann | DoD |
| Slykhouse, Dawn | FTF Events |
| Bahn, Christy | IEEE Staff |
| Stacey, Robert | Intel |
| Stuebing, Gary | Cisco |
| Chaplin, Clint | Samsung Electronics |
| Das, Subir | Peraton Labs |
| Hamilton, Mark | Ruckus/CommScope Wireless |
| Beecher, Phil | Wi-SUN Alliance |
| Levy, Joseph | InterDigital |
| Jorg, Robert | TU Ilmenau |
| Ansley, Carol | Cox Communications |
| Eastlake, Donald | Futurewei |
| Benham Dezfouli | Nokia Technologies |
| Godfrey, Tim | Electric Power Research Institute Inc. (EPRI) |

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