

Quad City P25 Radio Project



MINUTES (for approval) QC P25 INTERGOVERNMENTAL ADVISORY GROUP WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2020, 2:00 P.M.

Appointed Members present: Steve Seiver, Jeff Snyder, Darren Hart, Steve Knorrek, Linda Frederiksen, Tracey Sanders, & Shawn Roth all via ZOOM.

Others Present: Mark VanKlaveren, Dave Donovan, Rick Carlund, Sam Fleege, Jason Cook, Ron Erickson, Kathy Swett, Dave Kaun, Stacey Bollinger, Courtney Pershall, Ryan Butler, & John Thompson all via ZOOM.

Chair Hart called the meeting to order at 2:02 P.M. Roll call was completed.

Moved by Shawn Roth, seconded by Steve Knorrek, approval of the Minutes of the October 28, 2020, QC P25 Intergovernmental Advisory Group. All ayes.

There was continued discussion on the Network Guidelines. Chair Hart advised that Johnson County has no written guidelines, but provided written agreements for the group to look over. Tom Jones spoke to Linn County about developing policies but in the end none were developed. Discussed that RICO will work like Linn County and SECC will work like Johnson County once towers and radio are working.

Discussed amongst the group the SARA polices and the Ft Worth policies that were sent out to the group. Discussed that SARA might have too many polices and Ft Worth is a good starting point for this group. Kathy Swett advised the group to start and focus on 5-6 polices and work off of those.

Next thing on the agenda to discuss was Talk Groups and Encryption. RICO met with fire departments within their jurisdiction. They have a follow up meeting in December to continue talks on talk groups and fleet mapping. RICO also meeting with police departments to work on their talk groups and will continue to have follow up meetings. RICO committed to single key encryption.

SECC will talk with their agencies about moving towards single key encryption. Will discuss with the agencies the benefits of this. SECC feels that most departments will accept this and can move forward with the single key encryption. Will bring back to the next meeting their decision if one is available.

SECC would like to get a few numbers from RACOM reference some talk groups that are unknown if they are needed or not.



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RACOM brought in a few techs that have worked with the P25 program. Discussed the benefits of single key – multi key encryption. Talked about patching within encryption and is it possible. There was discussion with encryption within the SARA network and is that a possibility with our new system. RACOM advised that single key encryption doesn't have the capability for OTAR.

It was discussed amongst the group that their needs to be smaller groups to discuss the talk groups between the two counties.

No public comments.

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, December 23, 2020, at 2:00 P.M.

Meeting adjourned at 3:31 P.M.

These minutes are subject to approval at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

Respectfully submitted by,

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