WASHOE COUNTY REGIONAL 800 MHz COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

Joint Operating Committee

AGENDA

Friday ~ October 20, 2017 ~ 10:00 a.m.
Washoe County Administration Complex
Building A – Second Floor Caucus Room
1001 East Ninth Street, Reno, Nevada

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The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee may consider items on the agenda out of order.

The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee may combine two or more agenda items for consideration.

The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee may remove an item from the agenda or delay discussion relating to an item on the agenda at any time.

Time Limits – Public comments are welcomed during the Public Comment periods for all matters, whether listed on the agenda or not, and are limited to three (3) minutes per person. Additionally, public comment specific to the action item of three (3) minutes per person will be heard during individual action items on the agenda. Persons are invited to submit comments in writing on the agenda items and/or attend and make comment on that item at the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee meeting. Persons may not allocate unused time to other speakers.

Forum Restrictions and Orderly Conduct of Business – The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee conducts the business of Washoe County and its citizens during its meetings. The presiding officer may order the removal of any person whose statement or other conduct disrupts the orderly, efficient or safe conduct of the meeting. Warnings against disruptive comments or behavior may or may not be given prior to removal. The viewpoint of a speaker will not be restricted, but reasonable restrictions may be imposed upon the time, place and manner of speech. Irrelevant and unduly repetitious statements and personal attacks which antagonize or incite others are examples of speech that may be reasonably limited.

Responses to Public Comments – The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee can deliberate or take action only if a matter has been listed on an agenda properly posted prior to the meeting. During the Public Comment period, speakers may address matters listed or not listed on the published agenda. The Open Meeting Law does not expressly prohibit responses to public comments by the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee. However, responses from 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee to unlisted public comment topics could become deliberation on a matter without notice to the public. On the advice of legal counsel and to ensure the public has notice of all matters the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee will consider, 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee may choose not to respond to public comments, except to correct factual inaccuracies, ask for Washoe County staff action or to ask that a matter be listed on a future 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee meeting agenda. The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee may do this either during the Public Comment item or during the following item: “800 MHz JOINT OPERATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND/OR STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS, REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION AND SELECTION OF TOPICS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS (Non-action item).”

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1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL [Non-action item]

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS [Non-action item] - Comment heard under this item will be limited to three (3) minutes per person and may pertain to matters both on and off the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee agenda. The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee will also hear public comment during individual action items, with comment limited to three (3) minutes per person. Comments are to be made to the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee as a whole.

3. APPROVAL OF THE JULY 28, 2017, MINUTES [For possible action]

4. NEVADA PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE (NPSCC) [For possible action] – An informational update and possible direction to staff on recent activities of the NPSCC. Ryan Sommers

5. NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CORRESPONDENCE [For possible action] – A review, discussion and possible action to approve, deny or otherwise modify a request to waive Section 19.3 of the WCRCS (Washoe County Regional Communications System) Interlocal Agreement. Alternatively the 800 MHz JOC may remand the matter to the 800 MHz users Committee for review and comment. Quinn Korbulic – Washoe County Technology Services

6. 800 MHZ REGIONAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM MEMBER PARTICIPATION (For possible action) – A review, discussion and possible action to implement possible remedies intended to improve attendance of 800 MHz Users Committee membership participation, including potential modifications to the Interlocal Agreement. Ed Atwell – UNR

7. AUTHORITY OF THE JOC (Joint Operating Committee) ON ISSUES INVOLVING WCRCS (Washoe County Regional Communications System) [For possible action] – A continuing review, discussion and possible action to approve, deny or otherwise modify a recommendation from the 800 MHz Users Committee concerning Washoe radio support staff as it pertains to the selection of representatives to review proposals for the Nevada Shared Radio System contract and other issues that the JOC may have authority to approve, deny or modify. Ed Atwell - UNR

8. REDUNDANT MIGRATION GATEWAY [For possible action] – A review, discussion and possible action to approve, deny or otherwise modify recommendations to purchase a redundant EDACS Migration Gateway device to provide a second path and improve reliability for Dispatch Operations on the WCRCS (Washoe County Regional Communications System). Shawn Tayler – Regional Communications Coordinator

9. LID (Logical Identification Number) STATUS UPDATE [For possible action] – An ongoing review, discussion and possible recommendation to recommend that the 800 MHz Joint Operation Committee (JOC) approve, deny or otherwise modify recommendations to resolve LID issues with WCRCS (Washoe County Regional Communications System) Users. Shawn Tayler – Regional Communications Coordinator
10. **800-MHz REGIONAL COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM PROJECTS UPDATE** [Non-action item] – An informational update on the status of the DC Conversion project for the communications system. Shawn Tayler – Regional Communications Coordinator

11. **NEVADA SHARED RADIO SYSTEM PROJECT UPDATE** [For possible action] – A review, discussion and possible direction to staff on the status of the project that Washoe County is working in partnership with NDOT (Nevada Department of Transportation) and NV Energy to evaluate technology and vendor options to meet the P25 communications standard. Quinn Korbulic – Washoe County Technology Services

12. **ANTENNA SYSTEM REPLACEMENTS UPDATE** [For Possible Action] – An informational update on the status of the WCRCS Site Antenna Infrastructure and a review, discussion and possible action on a plan to replace damaged and aging units. Shawn Tayler – Regional Communications Coordinator

13. **SYSTEM STATUS UPDATE** (Non-action item) – An informational update on the operational status of the 800 MHz Communication System. Shawn Tayler – Regional Communications Coordinator

14. **SELECTION OF 2018 QUARTERLY MEETING SCHEDULE** [For possible action] – A review discussion and possible action to adopt: 1) the third Friday: January 19, April 20; July 20; and October 19, 2018; or 2) the fourth Friday: January 26; April 27; July 27; and October 19, 2018 (due to the Nevada Day Holiday) as scheduled meeting dates.

15. **800 MHz JOINT OPERATING COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND/OR STAFF ANNOUNCEMENTS, REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION AND SELECTION OF TOPICS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS** [Non-action item] – The next meeting of the 800 MHz JOC (Joint Operating Committee) will be scheduled in January 2018. No discussion among Committee Members will take place on this agenda item.

16. **PUBLIC COMMENTS** [Non-action item] - Comment heard under this item will be limited to three (3) minutes per person and may pertain to matters both on and off the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee agenda. The 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee will also hear public comment during individual action items, with comment limited to three (3) minutes per person. Comments are to be made to the 800 MHz Joint Operating Committee as a whole.

17. **ADJOURNMENT** [Non-action item]