MEETING NO. 3

FirstNet Subcommittee

Wednesday, January 25, 2017
1PM – 2PM

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CALL TO ORDER
(The Honorable Curt Hagman, San Bernardino County)

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

INFORMATION ITEM

- First Responder Network Authority (FirstNet)
  (Supervisor Curt Hagman, San Bernardino County)

FUTURE AGENDA ITEM/S

ANNOUNCEMENT/S

ADJOURNMENT
DATE: January 25, 2017

TO: FirstNet Subcommittee

FROM: Supervisor Curt Hagman, San Bernardino County

SUBJECT: First Responder Network Authority (FirstNet)

ACTION:
For Information Only – No Action Required

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:
Following previous meetings of the FirstNet Subcommittee, which have included presentations by both the Single Point of Contact (SPOC) for the First Responder Network Authority (FirstNet) for the State of California, as well as a tour of the Los Angeles Regional Interoperable Communications System Authority’s (LA-RICS) headquarters, Jeanette Kennedy, FirstNet Government Affairs, will provide an update on current activities.

STRATEGIC PLAN:
This item supports SCAG’s Strategic Plan: Goal 1: Improve Regional Decision Making by Providing Leadership and Consensus Building on Key Plans and Policies; Objective C: Provide practical solutions for moving new ideas forward.

BACKGROUND:
On May 5, 2016, the General Assembly adopted GA Resolution No. 2016-1, initiated by Supervisor Curt Hagman, San Bernardino County, which directs SCAG to work with FirstNet in developing the nation’s first high-speed wireless broadband network dedicated to public safety. The resolution also authorized the creation of the FirstNet Subcommittee of the Regional Council, which was established to provide leadership and guidance on the project. The SPOC for FirstNet for the State of California, William D. Anderson, who serves as the 9-1-1 Emergency Communications Branch Manager in the Governor’s Office of Emergency Services, as well as Leisa Dickson, the FirstNet Region 9 Continental U.S. Lead, provided presentations on FirstNet and updates on both state and federal activities.

The second meeting of the FirstNet Subcommittee took place on September 21, 2016 at the LA-RICS headquarters. The staff at LA-RICS provided Subcommittee members with a demonstration of the technology and hardware of the FirstNet-compatible system, as well as an in-depth overview of the system.

Looking towards the future, however, and especially after FirstNet passes the implementation and operational phases, SCAG staff will require further and future direction from the FirstNet Subcommittee. With respect to the initial capabilities of the FirstNet system and how technology can be of great assistance to the six counties and 191 cities in the SCAG region, future work might require broadening the scope of the Subcommittee. While technology is becoming an increasingly integral part of our governmental, professional, and interpersonal lives, the ways in which we view technology may...
have to change from the service or amenity we see it as today to a vital and fundamental component of our region’s, state’s, and nation’s infrastructure.

As the FirstNet Subcommittee contemplates the future of the Subcommittee, the following questions should be considered:

- Is the FirstNet Subcommittee’s purpose to raise awareness?
- Is the FirstNet Subcommittee’s purpose to look for opportunities?
- What role does the FirstNet Subcommittee see the Subcommittee playing now or in the future?
- Does the FirstNet Subcommittee envision the scope of the Subcommittee changing to focus on more generalized Smart Cities initiatives?
- Would future work on Smart Cities initiatives be better suited for one of the standing SCAG policy committees?

Following along the lines of previous meetings, and the potential for adjustment towards Smart Cities initiatives, the meeting today will feature an update on FirstNet activities, which will be provided by Jeanette Kennedy, FirstNet Government Affairs. She previously contributed a piece to the FirstNet blog that discussed FirstNet and its relationship to Smart Cities, which can be found at the following link: http://www.firstnet.gov/newsroom/blog/firstnet-network-smart-response-smart-cities.

ATTACHMENT:
None