

802.16 Project Planning Committee

Closing Report Session #45

Project Planning Closing report

- Met Monday PM and Wednesday AM
- Reviewed current project schedules indicating potential need for starting a Revision project NLT mid-2007
- Held extensive discussions about this Revision project – established a consensus recommended approach
- Much discussion of the ITU-R IMT-Advanced project and the role of 802.16 – developed recommendations on approach
- Reviewed and discussed contribution (C802.16-06/020r1) on a proposed AAS enhancement project

Recommendation re Revision

- Initiate “Informal” Editorial Merge of current published documents by IEEE Staff editor(s)
 - 43/1/0
 - Target date for merged document – EOY 2006
 - Conduct a WG review of the merged document – Jan mtg
 - WG Review comments to be reviewed by maintenance TG to determine if already addressed by Cor2. If so, incorporate Cor2 solutions
 - Create merged corrected document
 - Initiate formal revision process/PAR (Jan - PAR preparation)
- Incorporate final approved Cor2 changes into the formal revision, if timing is appropriate

Unanimous

Recommendations – IMT-Advanced

- To draft a PAR for a standards project specifically tied to ITU-R IMT-Advanced activities
- Issue a Call for Contributions on requirements for an “advanced” 802.16. Intent would be to roll these requirements into ITU-R WP8F for IMT-Advanced
 - Proposal for improved antenna technologies to be rolled into the “Advanced 802.16” project