

# **IEEE 802.16**

## **Working Group on**

### **Broadband Wireless Access**

**Roger Marks, Chair**



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**(BWA)**

**Status Report**  
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**Waikoloa, HI, USA**

# 802.16 WG Function

Develops standards and recommended practices to support the development and deployment of Broadband Wireless Metropolitan Area Networks

# 802.16 Membership

- 71 Members [prior to session]
  - ~25 will lose membership following the session due to lack of participation in Working Group Letter Ballots

# 802.16 Interim Sessions

- #57: September 2008
  - Kobe, Japan
- #59: January 2009
  - San Diego, USA
- #61: May 2009
  - Cairo, Egypt
- #63: August/September 2009
  - Jeju, Korea
- #63.5: September 2009
  - Waikoloa, USA
- #65: January 2010
  - San Diego, USA
- #67: May 2010
  - Bangalore, India
- #68.5: August 2010
  - Calgary, AB, Canada
- #69: Sept 2010
  - St Petersburg, Russia
- #71: Jan 2011
  - Taipei
- #73: May 2011
  - Lake Louise, AB, Canada
- #75: September 2011
  - Bangkok, Thailand
- #77: January 2012
  - Jacksonville, FL, USA
- #79: May 2012
  - Atlanta, GA, USA
- Expect to be co-locating with IEEE 802 Wireless Interim in the future.
- #80: Sep 2012
  - Indian Wells, CA, USA

# Recent Interim Session

- Session #78
  - Waikoloa, FL, USA
  - Session #78 Report
    - <http://iee802.org/16/meetings/mtg78/report.html>

# Active Projects

- P802.16Rev3
- Revision of IEEE 802.16, minus WirelessMAN-Advanced
  - P802.16n
    - Amendment: Higher Reliability Networks
  - P802.16p
    - Amendment: Machine-to-Machine Applications
- P802.16.1
- New standard based on WirelessMAN-Advanced
  - P802.16.1a
    - Amendment: Higher Reliability Networks
  - P802.16.1b
    - Amendment: Machine-to-Machine Applications

# Maintenance Task Group

- Zheng Yan-Xiu, Chair
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/maint>
- P802.16Rev3 revision project
  - Sponsor Ballot Recirc #1: 99% approval
  - Submitted to RevCom
  - comments in last recirc (third)
- P802.16.1 project
  - Sponsor Ballot Recirc #1: 99% approval
  - Submitted to RevCom
  - comments in last recirc (third)



# M2M Task Group

- Jaesun Cha, Chair, M2M Task Group
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/m2m>
- P802.16p project
  - Sponsor Ballot: 99% approval
  - comments to resolve
- P802.16.1b project
  - Sponsor Ballot: 98% approval
  - comments to resolve

# GRIDMAN Task Group

- Tim Godfrey, Chair, GRIDMAN Task Group
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/gridman>
- P802.16n project
  - WG Letter Ballot #37: met voting conditions
  - recirc comments to resolve
- P802.16.1a project
  - WG Letter Ballot #38: met voting conditions
  - recirc comments to resolve

# ITU-R Liaison Group

- Chair: (vacant)
- No meeting this week
- Liaison issues to discuss in Plenary
- Seeking to fill Chair position prior to Session #80
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/liaison>

# Project Planning Committee

- Acting Chair: Roger Marks
- Considering planning activities and input contributions.
- Open to consideration of new standardization proposals.
- **<http://WirelessMAN.org/ppc>**

# HetNet Study Group

- Meeting Chair at Session #79: Harry Bims
- Input contributions to review.
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/sg/het>

# Metrology Study Group

- Meeting Chair at Session #79: Clif Barber
- Input contributions to review.
- <http://WirelessMAN.org/sg/met>

# 802.16 WG Officers

- Chair: Roger Marks
- Vice Chair: (vacant)
- Secretary: Harry Bims
- Treasurer: (vacant)
  - Acting: Roger Marks

# Resources

- **Web site:**
  - **<http://WirelessMAN.org>**
- **Document with assignments:**
  - **<http://docii.WirelessMAN.org>**
- **Meeting schedules:**
  - **<http://calendar.WirelessMAN.org>**