

# BUTLER REGIONAL INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

## ADVISORY BOARD MEETING MINUTES

**Date:** 08/25/2011

**Location:** GSC

**Board Members Present:**

**Absent:**

Meeting called to order by Co-Chair Schutte

**Meeting Minutes:** Motion to accept the minutes from the meeting on July 28, 2011: 1<sup>st</sup>: St. John 2<sup>nd</sup>: Goller. **PASSED**

### **BRICS System Updates:**

- Matt Franke; The system is doing well until Monday's issues. A reboot at a Comm Center caused a less than 3 minute outage. No other major issues to report.
- BRICS requests if local IT Departments are doing work in the Communications Centers, please notify BRICS so they are aware of any accidental outages.
- Monthly BRICS reports will be posted on the website soon.
- Matt Kellum provided an overview of how BRICS will be using the turned in Legacy equipment. The Powerpoint is attached.

### **Committee Updates:**

- PSAP Meeting; Overview of the system and how the Consoles are connected to the system. The 3 minute outage from 9Com on Monday caused issues in other Comm Centers due to the way the system is connected.
- Law Enforcement Plain Talk; Chief Dickey discussed the plain talk draft that was submitted to the Police Chiefs for review. They will be discussing further at a future Chief's Association Meeting.

**Old Business:** None

**New Business:** Matt Franke; The September meeting will include a presentation on the ICS205 program for Communications including ComT and ComL certifications.

**Good of the Order:** Next month and future meetings will be held at the BRICS Main Office on Princeton Rd.

Next meeting: September 22, 2011 1:30PM. The location will be at the AG Building/ BRICS Office.

Meeting adjourned at: 2:30 PM

Respectfully,

*Richard A. Miller*  
Secretary

# LEGACY EQUIPMENT

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An overview of the Butler Regional Interoperable Communications System collection of legacy radio equipment from subscriber agencies.

Matt Kellum, Butler County Sheriff's Office



**BRICS**

# Why We Collect

- Equipment will no longer be needed by agency
- Inspect repair and reprogram equipment and reuse for cache purposes
- Each user agency will have access to cache for deployment for special events etc..

- PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT

- Purposes according to the terms of this Agreement; (b) to use any Subscriber Equipment, regardless of whether it was acquired by the Commissioners or such joining political subdivision in accordance with this Agreement as well as any rules for System use adopted under the authority of this Agreement; and (c) to surrender such joining political subdivision's owned (not leased) surplus radio communication equipment as is: (a) no longer needed, or (b) is currently incapable of operation on the System's Network Equipment. It being the intention of Butler County to reprogram and reuse compatible radios as spares, when a joining political subdivision has older but identical Motorola equipment to the Subscriber Equipment being provided by Butler County, it will exchange that identical equipment for the new Subscriber Equipment on a one for one basis.

# Why We Collect Now?

- Agencies requested additional time to assemble equipment.
- Agencies asked to retain their legacy equipment until everyone had switched over to the new system.



# What happens to equipment?

- **Usable Equipment** will be:
  - Inspected
  - Repaired (if needed)
  - Reprogrammed
  - Set up as cache deployment ready
- **Unusable Equipment** will be:
  - Organized by vendor, model etc..
  - Organized for sale to 3<sup>rd</sup> party company. (Sunny Communications)



# Deployment Ready Cache

- Radios will be deployed with response vehicles.
- Cache will be available for subscriber agencies.
- VHF / UHF / 800





# Sunny Communications

- Non-narrowbandable equipment will be used in countries that do not require narrowbanding.
- Prices given will be based on current demand at time of sale.
- Prices will vary based on model.

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# Fund Allocation

Any funds received from sale of equipment will be used for the repair or reprogramming that will be necessary for the organization and deployment of cache resources.





# BUTLER COUNTY 800 MHZ RADIO ADVISORY BOARD

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MATT KELLUM	BCSO
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