

Ref: Region 53 700MHz Meeting

Dear Public Safety Official,

The Region 53 (Texas-San Antonio)¹ 700 MHz Public Safety Regional Planning Committee (RPC) will hold a meeting on Thursday, January 12, 2012, 1:30 pm, hosted by the Golden Crescent Regional Planning Commission. The meeting will be in room AH101 in the Allied Health Building at the Victoria College, 2200 E. Red River, Victoria, Texas 77901. Area hotels include: La Quinta (state rate \$80) phone 631-572-3585; Candlewood Suites (state rate \$85 upon availability) phone 361-578-0236; Best Western Inn and Suites, phone 361/485-2300.

The preliminary agenda for the meeting includes:

1. Call to order and welcome to all present and conference bridge attendees.
2. County role-call and teleconference self-introductions.
3. Review and approve agenda.
4. Review and approve previous meeting minutes.
5. Review, discussion and approval of Region 53 Plan and Appendices.
6. Old business.
7. New business.
8. Receive Public Comments.
9. Next meetings scheduled.
10. Meeting adjourned.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, you may participate via the WebEx conference bridge. Additional information on this and future meetings, WebEx instructions, and planning documents are available on the NPSTC NIIIX website at www.niix.org under “*Your Communities*” go to “*Texas Region 53 700 Planning Committee*.” The WebEx instructions for this meeting, minutes from the previous meeting, City of Victoria map and a campus map can be found in the General Information or Meeting Minutes folders.

The Region 53 700 MHz Public Safety RPC meeting is open to the public. All eligible public safety providers in Region 53 may utilize these frequencies. It is essential that eligible public safety agencies in all areas of government, including state, municipality, county, and Native American Tribal be represented in order to ensure that each agency’s future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not oriented in the communications field should delegate someone with this knowledge to attend, participate, and represent their agency’s needs.

For further information, please contact:

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¹ The Region 53 (Texas-San Antonio) 700 MHz regional planning area consists of the counties of Aransas, Atascosa, Bandera, Bee, Bexar, Brooks, Calhoun, Cameron, Comal, Dewitt, Dimmit, Duval, Edwards, Frio, Gillespie, Goliad, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hidalgo, Jackson, Jim Hogg, Jim Wells, Karnes, Kenedy, Kerr, Kendall, Kinney, Kleberg, LaSalle, Lavaca, Live Oak, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Nueces, Real, Refugio, San Patricio, Starr, Uvalde, Val Verde, Victoria, Webb, Willacy, Wilson, Zapata, and Zavala.