

Approved Minutes
Public Safety Data Network Governance Board
October 15, 2025
Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection
1111 Country Club Road
Teams Conference Call
Middletown, Connecticut

Committee Members

John Elsesser
Jeff Morrissette
Bob Grauer
Ralf Calciano
Bob Guthrie
Tom Gorman

Representing

Chair
State Fire Administrator
Manager E9-1-1 PSAP (Acting Chair)
DPH/OEMS
Volunteer Fire
Connecticut State Police

Others in Attendance

Clayton Northgraves	Division of Statewide Emergency Telecommunications
John Masciadrelli	Division of Statewide Emergency Telecommunications
Chuck Fuller	Division of Statewide Emergency Telecommunications
Bonnie Guarneri	Division of Statewide Emergency Telecommunications
Steve Schindler	Division of Statewide Emergency Telecommunications
John Walshaw	DAS/BITS
Lauren Clarke	DAS/BITS
Phil Nassetta	DAS/BITS
David Ruiz	DAS/BITS
Steve Johnson	DAS/BITS
Brian Mirizzi	Litchfield County Dispatch

Call to Order

Bob Grauer, Acting Chair, called the meeting to order at 10:30 a.m.

Approval of the minutes

Bob Guthrie made a motion to approve the minutes of August 20, 2025. Ralf Calciano seconded the motion. The minutes were voted on and approved.

Public Comment

No Public Comment.

PSDN Refresh

Steve Schindler reported that currently 103 PSAPs are now operating their 911 system on the Juniper network and two more PSAPs will be migrated on 10/17/25. Six Brownfield sites have been completed, and it is anticipated five more sites will be completed on 10/16/25 and an additional five more next 10/20/25. The PSDN refresh staff have the network configurations and the circuit audits completed for the ten new sites. They will be also testing COLLECT and CJIS applications at the Greenfield sites.

PSDN Technical Update

- Public Safety Requests Fulfilled
 - Provisioned connection between Avon and Farmington

- Provisioned connections between Norwich PD to Rocky Hill VA and Southbury for public utilities
- Migrated Farmington PD from CCGW to VLAN 2040
- Provisioned several new tunnels for migrating services
- Open Access Requests Fulfilled
 - N/A

PSDN Application Status Report Update

John Masciadrelli reported that to date 234 PSDN requests submitted to the PSDN Governance Board are in the pre-approval stage or have been approved and are operating on the PSDN. 222 of those requests have been raised, reviewed and/or voted on by the board. All 222 requests have been approved to operate on the PSDN. To date there are 209 requests operating on the PSDN. There are 13 additional requests awaiting an implementation date or are in the process of being implemented. The remaining requests are in various stages of the connection process.

Application Review and Approval

John Masciadrelli presented request NM18785 Litchfield County Dispatch (LCD) is requesting the establishment of a circuit to the Church Hill Tower. This circuit will function as a disaster recovery for NEXGEN computer aided dispatch, providing redundancy and continuity of operations. The circuit will support LCD as well as Torrington PD, Winsted PD, and Plymouth PD, ensuring that critical public safety communications remain available during outages or emergencies. This is a Core Service, and no vote is necessary

Discussion

Mr. Masciadrelli announced that the next PSDN Governance Board is tentatively scheduled for December 17, 2025.

Public Comment

No public comment.

Adjournment

Jeff Morrissette motioned to adjourn the meeting. The motion was seconded by Bob Guthrie. The meeting was adjourned at 10:36 a.m.