

Statewide Interoperability Executive Committee
State of Louisiana

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SIEC TECHNICAL SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES

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The Technical Subcommittee met on Wednesday, October 15, 2025, at the State Emergency Operations Center, located at 7667 Independence Boulevard, Baton Rouge, LA 70806, and via Teleconference.

I. Call to Order

- A. Chairman Billie Giroir called the meeting to order at 12:30 p.m.

II. Roll Call

- A. GOHSEP, Jake Chatfield, conducted the SIEC Technical Subcommittee roll call and a quorum was established.
- B. The following SIEC Technical Subcommittee members were present or absent as noted:

Committee Members Present	Representing Agency
Billie Giroir , Chairman	West Feliciana Sheriff's Office
Chuck Cassard	Louisiana Sheriff's Association
Doyle Dempsey	Region 7/Bossier Parish Sheriff's Office
Lorn Bourgeois	Jefferson Parish Sheriff's Office
Bill Vincent	APCO
Conrad Baker	St. John Sheriff's Office
Julio Peck	MCS Radio Maintenance

III. New Business

- A. Billie Giroir presented the proposal to move Boothville Tower Site to Belle Chase Tower. This would consist of moving all equipment from one site to the other. This move would increase the coverage to Plaquemine, Jefferson, St. Bernard, and New Orleans Parishes. This move will be funded from UASI Grant and will not require state funding. Billie Giroir made the motion for the request, Doyle Dempsey second the motion. Motion carried unanimously.

- B. Chuck Cassard discussed the issues with in building coverage with state schools and briefed the committee on radio over IP technology that is being tested throughout the state offered from commercial carriers. More information will follow as testing occurs.

IV. Unfinished Business

No unfinished business

I. Public Comments

No comments.

II. Adjournment

Billie Giroir made a motion to adjourn. Doyle Dempsey second the motion. The SIEC Technical Subcommittee voted unanimously to adjourn at 12:38 pm.