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TO: MERA Next Gen Project Oversight Committee
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SUBJECT: AGENDA ITEM E: Radio /Wi-Fi Field Survey

Recommended Action: Review, discuss and accept report.

Background:

We have begun conducting the field survey inspections with MERA member agencies. We are looking for information from the following three categories: vehicle information including radio mount type, information and count on all MERA portable radios and chargers, and for each facility, their internet provider and access information to support Wi-Fi radio programming. This is vital to have the correct Next-Gen Radios provided to each agency and for an expedient installation process.

I have reached out to each member agency, outlining the information needed. I will be a visit to each agency to collect this data and look at the vehicles. Currently I have viewed 168 vehicles from 10 member agencies. I have made availability for these inspections on Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays with room for special accommodation.