

**GREATER AUSTIN AREA TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK (GAATN)  
INTERLOCAL AGENCY**

**MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

July 10, 2018 1:30 p.m.  
Lower Colorado River Authority  
LCRA Service Center, Room A502/503  
3505 Montopolis Blvd.  
Austin, Texas

**AGENDA**

- 1. Call to Order and Roll Call (Chairperson, 1 minute)**
- 2. Citizen Communications (3 minutes)**

You may address the Board for up to three (3) minutes on GAATN issues, whether those issues are posted on this agenda or not. If you inquire about a subject not on this agenda, then, by law, the Board cannot discuss the subject with you at this Board meeting and the Board Members cannot discuss the subject among themselves. The Board, however, may respond to your inquiry with a brief factual statement or state existing GAATN policy on the subject. In addition, after hearing you, the Board may place the subject of your inquiry on a future agenda.
- 3. Review and Approve the minutes for the regular Board Meeting of June 5, 2018 (5 minutes)**
- 4. Consent Agenda Items from Technical Subcommittee Meeting:**
  - A. Seeking approval for UT B2S intercept at case B2S.32.00
  - B. Seeking approval for COA B2S new node 5202 Ben White
  - C. Seeking approval for B1N -- Porsche dealership project relocation
  - D. Seeking approval for C1N -- TxDOT US 183 Direct Connect (DC) Project
- 5. Technical Subcommittee Update (30 minutes) – Discussion and possible action regarding:**
  - A. Seeking approval for DIR TIE -- Cable Between Winters and DROC
  - B. Seeking approval for SRN & D1N Re-route @ Mueller (Manor Rd)
  - C. Seeking approval for C1N & D1N CTECC -- Tilley ST Duct Bank Re-route
  - D. Consideration of policy and impact of new GAATN MAC Contractors as related to entity-specific projects including standards for GAATN approved contractors
- 6. Board Chairperson Update (45 minutes) – Discussion and possible action regarding:**
  - A. GAATN Board and Technical Subcommittee Chair and Vice Chair Annual Election
  - B. GAATN backup NOCC update and options, including ILA status update
  - C. Austin Energy Make Ready, City of Austin Ordinances and GAATN request to Austin Energy
  - D. Seeking approval for GAATN Overlash Policy
- 7. Network Manager's Update (COA, 10 minutes) – Discussion and possible action regarding:**
  - A. Any existing network operations, repairs, or maintenance issues, including any that occurred since the last Board Meeting
    1. Treaty Oak Decommission project status update
    2. Pending projects
    3. Job Budget Tracking review
    4. GAATN Utility Locates RFP Update

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- 8. Executive Session: Adjourn for closed session, under one or more of Texas Government Code sections 551.071, 551.072, 551.074, 551.076 and/or one or more sections 418.175 – 418.181 (“H.B.9”), to seek legal advice or to preserve confidentiality as permitted by law (including but not limited to pending, anticipated or contemplated litigation concerning):**
- A. Construction, equipment, and product warranty claims;
  - B. Damage to GAATN fiber optic cables, equipment, hardware, and other property;
  - C. Contractual, tort or other legal or equitable claims by or against GAATN; or
  - D. The procedures and operations of the Board or the organization;
  - E. GAATN Management and Operation
- And/or to consider matters concerning:
- F. Real property purchase, exchange, lease, easements or value;
  - G. Personnel;
  - H. Security devices, security personnel or security procedures or protocols; or
  - I. Issues involving GAATN physical plant detail made confidential by law
  - J. Or other matters as permitted by the Texas Open Meetings Act

Reconvene for discussion and actions, if any, on matters considered in closed session.

- 9. Discussion and possible action regarding the financial report and current fiscal year budget issues. (AISD, 10 minutes)**
- A. Financial Report
- 10. Meeting & Action Items Summary (10 minutes):**
- 11. Confirm date, time, and location for the next regular Board meeting on August 7, 2018 at 12:00 p.m. at the LCRA Service Center, 3505 Montopolis Blvd., Room A502/503, Austin, Texas.**
- A. Items to be added to the next Board Agenda: