

The State of Interoperable Communications in Indiana, 2010

“Looking Back, Reaching Forward”



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Continuing to Improve – keyword...

“continuing” as much remains to be done! NEVER OUT OF WORK.....

- **Hoosier SAFE-T, 800MHz statewide network**
 - Regional/statewide IOC talkgroups, NPSPAC conventional
 - Implementation of IOC tools – ACU1000, Motobridge and others.
- **Interstate voice interoperability initiatives**
 - Cross-border planning with Ohio, Illinois
 - Regional exercises with Louisville METRO –Thunder over the Ohio
 - Inter-state Interoperability achievedstand by!



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Indiana Code 5-26 – IPSC Enacting Legislation –
Public Safety Voice **AND Data** interoperability....

- **Data Interoperability Initiatives**
 - CAD/RMS statewide deployment
- **INdata** – statewide initiative to create data architecture standards for public safety – ensure future data sharing/interoperability



Local and State Governance Model

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Statewide IOC Governance

- Well established in Indiana – IC 5-26, Integrated Public Safety Commission – serves as model for the nation
- U.S. D H S Office of Emergency Communication Indiana’s statutorily created governance structure to develop its’ “Interoperability Continuum” and one of the recommended best practices for other states.

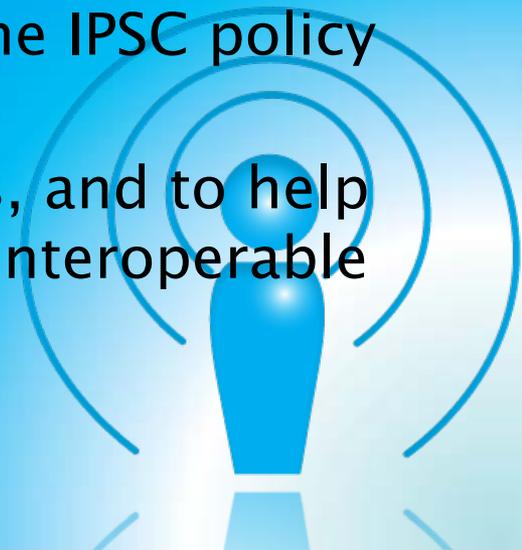


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Local & Regional Governance – Statewide Interoperable Communications Executive Committee (SIEC)

- **We listened** to your feedback...
- **Partnered with IDHS**, sharing a common vision that collaboration, teamwork and communication not only saves money, it saves lives.
- **Aligned the local and regional governance** structure to fit within the IDHS District structure and the IPSC policy advisory structure
- **Purpose** is to further both: agencies’ goals, and to help close the gaps identified in the Statewide Interoperable Communications (SCIP) Plan.



SIEC Charter

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- **Creative solutions** to resolve “gaps in planning, delivery, and execution of emergency communications training and exercises”
- **SIEC will function** as an governance advisory committee to the Integrated Public Safety Commission.
- **Primary role** is to develop and recommend policy and best practices for statewide interoperable communications.
- **Jointly review** communications plans and policy; offer recommendations and/or alternatives as deemed appropriate.



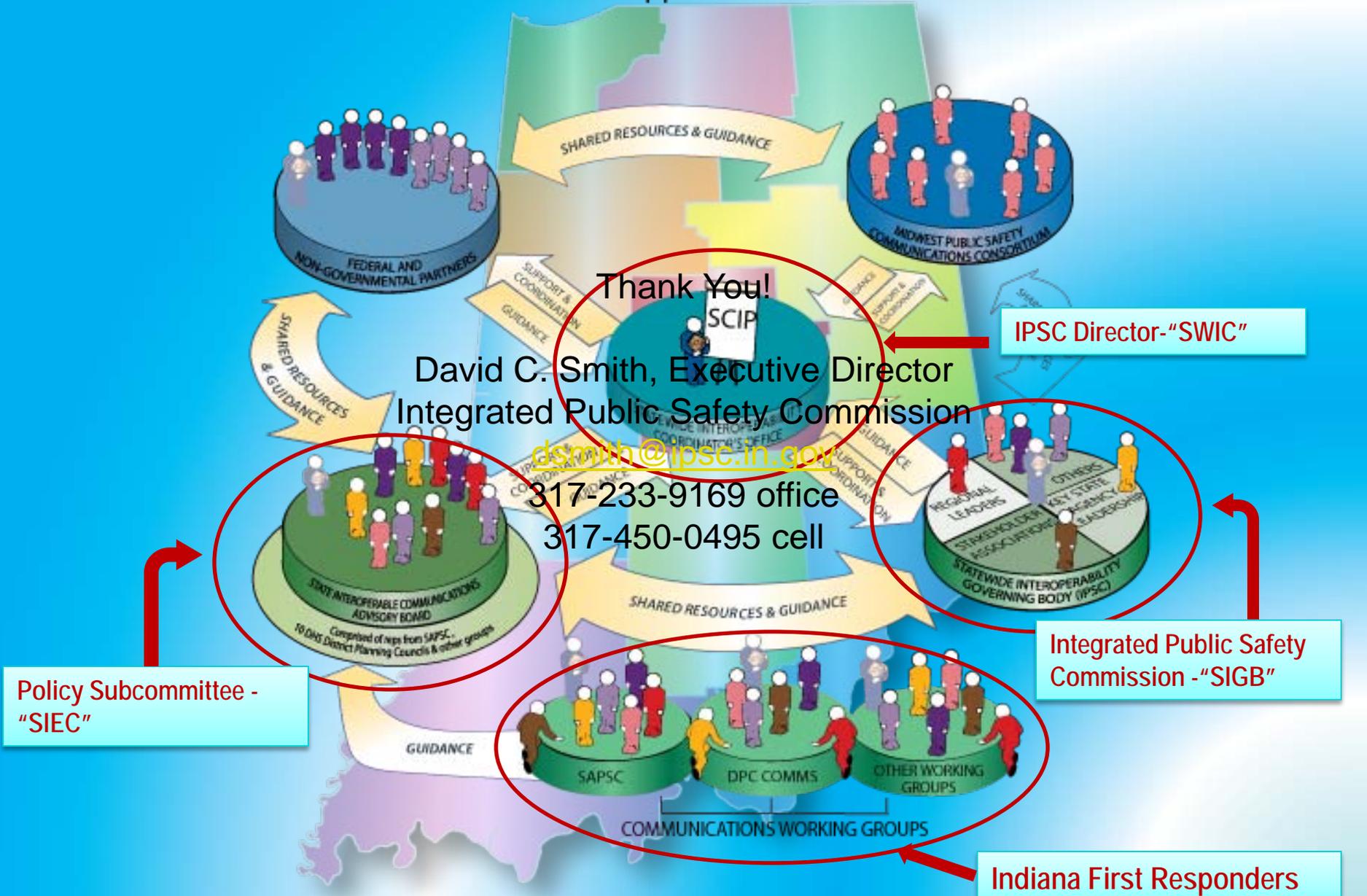
SIEC Membership

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- *Comprised of:*
- Members of the former IPSC Policy Sub-Committee
- A “communications” representative from each of the Indiana Department of Homeland Security Districts
- Individual elected or appointed should be knowledgeable of district communications issues
- SIEC members elect a Chair and Vice Chair from within the Committee
- Statewide Interoperable Communications Coordinator – liaison to the IPSC



Indiana's Interoperable Communications Governance Support Structure Model



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Thank You!

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