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FCC Spectrum Task Force Announces Agenda for Indoor Small Cell Forum

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The FCC Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, in conjunction with the FCC's Technical Advisory Committee Small Cell working group and Spectrum Task Force, is organizing a forum focusing on indoor deployments of small cell sites on Friday, October 28, 2011, at the Commission's Headquarters in Washington, DC.

Recent developments in technology offer an increasingly wide array of products to provide wireless coverage and capacity in limited or confined areas. Together, they offer potentially useful solutions to addressing the exploding demand for spectrum that is being driven by the exponential growth in wireless data services.

The forum will provide an overview of small cell technologies currently available or soon to come on line, including software defined radios and enhanced Wi-Fi in both licensed and unlicensed spectrum. In addition, panelists will explore the business opportunities and challenges involved in expanding wireless data coverage. Finally, the forum will assess the potential economic impact of small cell deployments, particularly with respect to job creation, and explore possible policy approaches.

Tentative Agenda

- 10:45am** **Opening Remarks**
Tom Wheeler, Managing Director, Core Capital Partners, TAC Chairman
- 11:00am** **Panel #1: Small Cell Technologies**
Rupert Baines, VP Marketing, Picochip
Keith Kaczmarek, VP/GM Global Wireless Solutions, Powerwave Technologies
Steven Glapa, Senior Director of Field Marketing, Ruckus Wireless
Jim Seymour, Senior Director of RAN Strategy, Alcatel Lucent
Jay Weitzen, VP Technology, Airvana
- Moderators: Charles Mathias, Associate Bureau Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
and Tom Peters, Chief Engineer, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau*
- 12:15pm** **Conclusion of Panel #1**
- 12:30pm** **Luncheon Speaker**
Ed Cantwell, SVP West Wireless Heath Institute
(Attendees are encouraged to bring lunch or to purchase lunch in the

FCC cafeteria)

1:00pm

Panel #2: Business Opportunities and Challenges

Robert Juliano, VP and CIO, Brandywine Realty
Lyn Lansdale, VP Strategic Business Services, Avalon Bay
Tormod Larson, VP & CTO, Extenet Systems
Steve Lilley, Wireless Practice Manager, Presidio Networked Solutions
Tom Nagel, VP Wireless, Comcast
Iyad Tarazi, VP Network Engineering & Development, Sprint Nextel

Moderators: John Leibovitz, Deputy Chief, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and Paul de Sa, Chief, Office of Strategic Planning & Policy Analysis

2:15pm

Panel #3: Policy Directions

Brian Daly, Director, Core Standards, AT&T
Russ Gyurek, Office of the CTO, Cisco Systems
Paul Mankiewich, Chief Architect, Global CTO – Service Provider, Juniper Networks
Dennis Roberson, Vice Provost, Illinois Institute of Technology
Jesse Russell, Chairman & CEO, INC Networks

Moderators: Julie Knapp, Chief, Office of Engineering and Amy Levine, Wireless Advisor, Office of the Chairman

3:30pm

Adjourn

Attendance. This forum is open to the public. All interested attendees are requested to arrive promptly. The forum will also be webcast on <http://www.fcc.gov/events/forum-indoor-deployments-small-cell-sites> and available for consultation on.

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