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**PUBLIC SAFETY AND HOMELAND SECURITY BUREAU ANNOUNCES  
REGION 54 (SOUTHERN LAKE MICHIGAN) 700 MHZ AND 800 MHZ REGIONAL  
PLANNING COMMITTEES TO HOLD MEETINGS**

**PS Docket No. 23-237 and WT Docket 02-378**

The Region 54 (Southern Lake Michigan)<sup>1</sup> 700 MHz and 800 MHz Regional Planning Committees (RPCs) will hold two virtual planning meetings via Microsoft Teams on Thursday, April 18, 2024 at 9:00 am (Central Time). The deadline for new applications to be filed for the Spring meeting is April 1, 2024. Applications can be submitted at any time prior to that date using [www.capradap.org](http://www.capradap.org).

The agenda for the 800 MHz RPC meeting includes:

- Old Business
  - Applications
  - Plan modification
  - For the good of the order
- New Business
  - Applications
    - City of Chicago – four applications
    - State of Michigan – four applications
  - For the good of the order

The 700 MHz RPC meeting will convene immediately following the 800 MHz RPC meeting.

The agenda for the 700 MHz meeting includes:

- Old Business
  - Applications
  - NRPC Update
  - CAPRAD
  - FCC Update(s) and required plan modifications due to FCC actions.
  - For the good of the order
- New Business
  - Applications
  - For the good of the order

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<sup>1</sup> The Region 54 (Southern Lake Michigan) 700 MHz RPC encompasses counties in three states bordering Lake Michigan: Winnebago, McHenry, Cook, Kane, Kendall, Grundy, Boone, Lake, DuPage, DeKalb, Will, and Kankakee Counties, Illinois; Lake, LaPorte, Jasper, Starke, St. Joseph, Porter, Newton, Pulaski, Marshall, and Elkhart Counties, Indiana; and Kenosha, Milwaukee, Washington, Dodge, Walworth, Jefferson, Racine, Rock, Walworth, Washington, and Waukesha Counties, Wisconsin. The Region 54 (Southern Lake Michigan) 800 MHz NPSAC RPC includes the Michigan counties of Kent, Van Buren, Kalamazoo, Barry, Muskegon, Allegan, Berrien, Cass, and St. Joseph, in addition to all of the above-mentioned Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin counties.

The Region 54 Regional Planning Committee meetings are open to the public. All eligible public safety providers whose sole or principal purpose is to protect the safety of life, health, or property in the Southern Lake Michigan area may utilize these frequencies. It is essential that not only public safety, but all government, Native American Tribal, and non-governmental organizations eligible under Section 90.523 of the Commission's Rules be represented to ensure that each agency's future spectrum needs are considered in the allocation process. Administrators who are not conversant with telecommunications technology should ensure that their respective agencies are represented by suitably conversant staff.

All interested parties wishing to participate in the planning for the use of public safety spectrum in the 700 MHz and 800 MHz bands within Region 54 are encouraged to attend. For further information and Teams invitation, please contact Ned W. Jacklin via email at [nedr54@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nedr54@sbcglobal.net).

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