



NG-911 and Statewide Interoperability

Vision

"Seamless, interoperable, and resilient emergency communications throughout Oregon"



Mission

The mission of the Statewide Interoperability Program is to serve the people of Oregon by supporting the SIEC, state agencies, tribal governments, public safety, and emergency managers throughout the state in achieving seamless, interoperable, and resilient emergency communications.



State Interoperability Executive Council (SIEC)

"Seamless interoperable emergency communications"

Interdisciplinary, whole community approach to interoperability.

Membership

- •22 Members defined by statue
- Public Safety and Communications Representatives
- •State, Local, County, Tribal Partners
- Public Safety Practitioners,
- Legislators

Committees

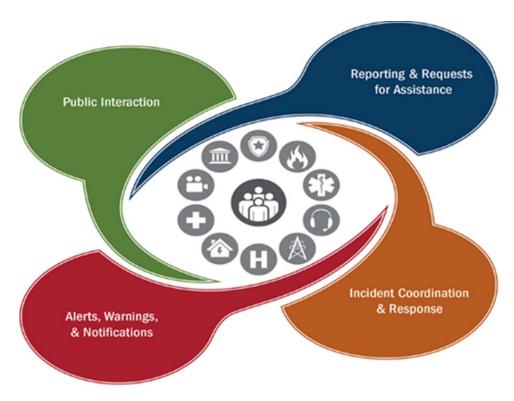
- Executive
- Strategic Planning
- Broadband
- Technical
- Partnership

Focus Areas

- Governance
- Funding & Sustainment
- Technology
- Training & Exercise

Communications Ecosystem

- •911 & Dispatch
- •Land Mobile Radio
- Public Safety Broadband
- Alerts, Warnings, & Notifications



SIEC Established in 2002 by Executive Order. Codified in 2005 under OR 403.450



What's a SWIC?

- Established under the State Chief Information Officer by ORS 403.460. (Previously OSP, OEM, and ODOT)
- Serves as the central coordination point for statewide interoperable emergency communications efforts.
- Supports the State Interoperability Executive Council (SIEC)
 and assists with the update and implementation of the
 State Communications Interoperability Plan (SCIP)
- May mediate disputes amongst public bodies.
- Serves as a member of the *National Council of SWICs* (NCSWIC)
 - Each state/territory has a designated SWIC.
- Administers the OR-Alert and COMU Programs

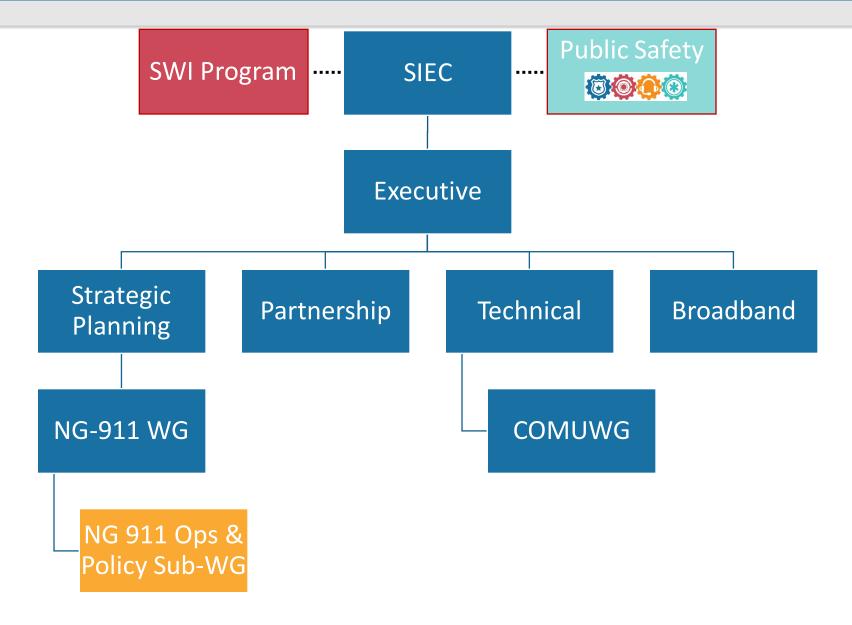






StateWide Interoperability Coordinator

What does a SWIC actually do? •Conducts outreach and education and provides or promotes training • Assists the SIEC with SCIP Revision and and exercise related to updating communications and • Works to Implement the SCIP and the interoperability. **NECP** Shares best practices and Outreach and recommendations with Education stakeholders **SCIP** • Supports development of **Implementation** standard operating policies, procedures, and •Leads ESF-2 for EIS guidelines Facilitates communications during emergencies and planned Policy events Development **Emergency** Response Program Management Governance • Identifies funding and grant opportunities related to • Supports governance structures across emergency communications and interoperability. all disciplines and levels of government, • Manages COMU & ITSU Programs including the SIEC. • Reviews emergency communications grant applications • Supports local and regional Interoperability efforts Supports OR-Alert





SIEC's NG-911 Working Group Membership

- Region 1 PSAP Rep
- Region 2 PSAP Rep
- Region 3 PSAP Rep
- Region 4 PSAP Rep
- Region 5 PSAP Rep
- Region 6 PSAP Rep
- Region 7: PSAP Rep
- Region 8: PSAP Rep
- Region 9: PSAP Rep
- Tribal PSAP Rep
- SIEC APCO/NENA Rep OGIC Rep
- SIEC Strategic Planning Committee Chair

- Statewide Interop. Coordinator
- OEM 911 Program Rep
- PDCC Rep
- OACP SIEC Member
- OSSA SIEC Member
- OFCA SIEC Member
- OEMA Rep
- APCO Legislative Liaison



SIEC Responsibilities

Ref: ORS 403.455

- Develop, annually update and monitor implementation of the Oregon Statewide Communication Interoperability Plan
- Recommend strategies to improve public safety communications interoperability
- Develop standards to promote consistent design and development of public safety communications infrastructures
- Identify immediate short-term technological and policy solutions to tie existing public safety communications infrastructures together
- Develop long-term technological and policy recommendations to establish a statewide public safety communications system
- Develop recommendations for legislation and for the development of state and local policies that promote public safety communications interoperability in this state.

Responsibilities (Cont)

Ref: ORS 403.455

- Recommend to the Governor, investments by the State of Oregon in public safety communications systems.
- Coordinate activities related to obtaining federal grants for support of interoperability and request technical assistance related to interoperability.
- Conduct and submit an annual update of the interoperability plan aligning the update with standards established in the National Emergency Communications
- Coordinate statewide interoperability activities among state, local and, as appropriate, tribal and federal agencies.
- Advise the State Chief Information Officer, the Governor and the Legislative Assembly on implementation of the interoperability plan.
- Serve as the Governor's Public Safety Broadband Advisory Group.
- Report to the Joint Committee on Ways and Means or to the Joint Interim Committee on Ways and Means, and to the Joint Legislative Committee on Information Management and Technology, on or before February 1 of each odd-numbered year, on the development of the interoperability plan and the executive council's other activities.
- Adopt rules necessary to carry out the executive council's duties and powers.

- The State Chief Information Officer (through EIS) directs, coordinates, and oversees, state information technology, and telecommunications technology
- Oversee information technology and telecommunications procurements
- Implements and maintains an information technology governance program for the executive department.
- Adopts rules, policies and standards for budgeting, planning, acquiring, installing, operating and overseeing telecommunications and information technology for the executive department.
- Oversee and coordinate the planning, budgeting, architecture and standardization, consolidation, acquisition and oversight of all information and telecommunications technology by state government and agencies of state government

State Chief Information Officer Responsibilities (Through EIS)

What is Interoperability?





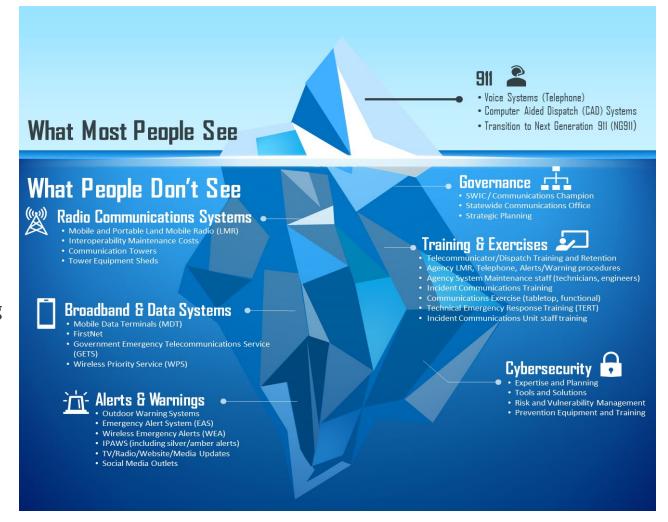
Operability vs. Interoperability

- Operability Ability to provide and maintain reliable communications functionality throughout the area of responsibility.
- Interoperability Ability of emergency response officials to share information via voice and data signals on demand, in real time, when needed, and as authorized, outside of day-to-day routine operations.



Emergency Comms Complexity

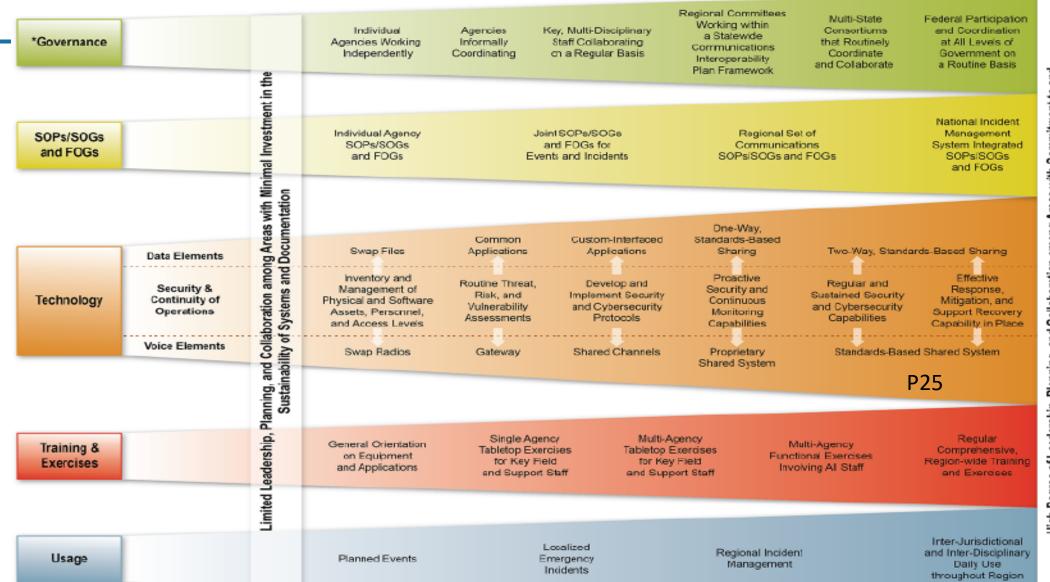
Although 911 is what most people think of when they hear emergency communications, there are various concepts that play critical roles in ensuring access to reliable, secure, and interoperable emergency communications every day in order to save lives, protect property and the environment, and stabilize communities.





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SAFECOM Interoperability Continuum



and Collaboration among Areas with Commitment to and High Degree of Leadership, Planning, and Collaboration among Areas with Com Investment in the Sustainability of Systems and Documentation

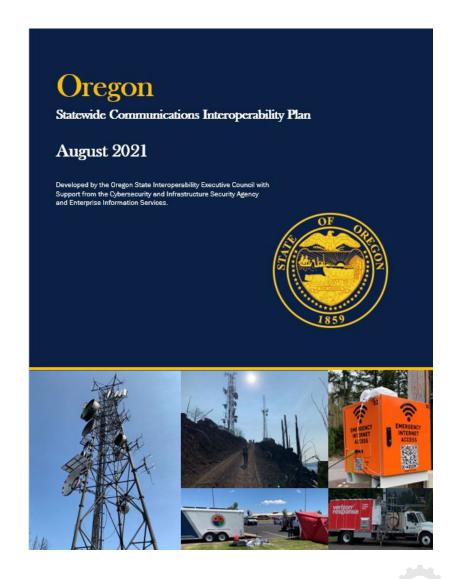
State Communications Interoperability Plans (SCIPs)





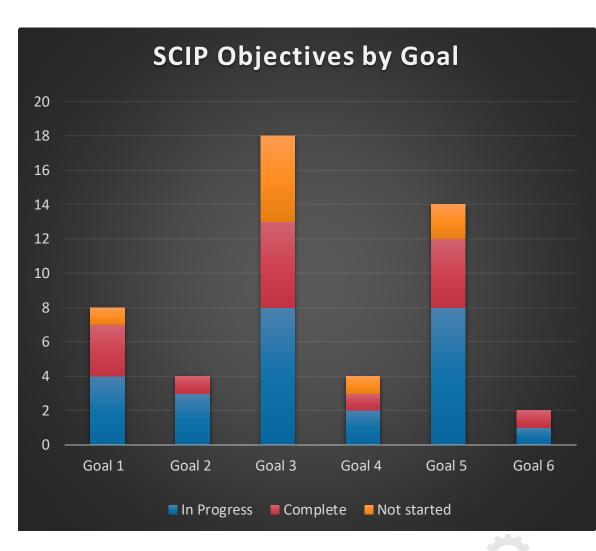
What's a SCIP?

- SCIPs are comprehensive plans which outline the:
 - Current and future interoperable and emergency communications environment;
 - Goals with specific steps for action (including owners and completion timeframes);
 - Defined mechanisms to measure achievements; and,
 - Process by which the state will record progress and challenges each year.
- SCIPs are:
 - Locally-driven
 - Multi-jurisdictional,
 - Multi-disciplinary
 - Applicable statewide
- The SCIP creates a single resource for all stakeholders and a unified approach for enhancing interoperable communications for public safety and officials at all levels of government. SCIPs define the current and future direction for interoperable and emergency communications within a state or territory.



Oregon's SCIP at a Glance

- Current and future desired state of Interoperability
- Includes Grant Guidance and Investment Priorities for communications projects
- Strategic Goals:
 - 1. Increase engagement and awareness of interoperable communications
 - 2. Modernize 911 in Oregon (Revised from "Adopt NG-911" in 11/2022)
 - 3. Develop and promote awareness of statewide guidance on interoperable communications.
 - 4. Document statewide LMR System of Systems
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Oregon 2021 SCIP

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Oregon 2021 SCIP Goal 2 Revisions

2021 SCIP

2. Adopt NG-		2.1 Complete roadmap of NG- 911 Strategic Plan	NG-911 Working Group	August-21	December-21	Complete.	
911	l in Oregon	2.2 Develop a Strategic NG- 911 Plan	NG-911 Working Group	August-21	June-22	In progress.	Delayed until November 2022.

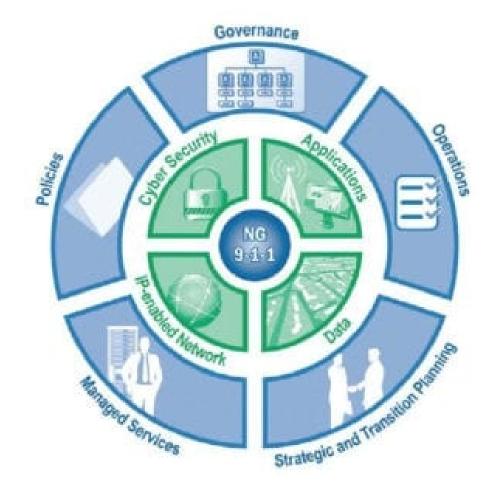
2022 Revision

	Modernize 911 -	2.1 Complete roadmap of NG-911 Strategic Plan	NG-911 Working Group	August-21	December-21	Complete.	
2		2.2 Complete OEM NG-911 Strategic Plan for standards based NG-911 Network and Core Services	OEM	August-21	December-22	In progress.	R
in (2.3 Based on stakeholder input, develop a definition and a vision of NG-911.	NG-911 Working Group/911 Community	November-22	January-23		N
		2.4 Recommend a framework for statewide 911 Governance during the SIEC's Report to the Legislature	NG-911 Working Group/911 Community	November-22	March-23		N



What is NG-911?

- Inner Circle Standards Based Technology
 - IP-enabled, broadband network
 - Data to store and manage location information
 - Applications that enable 911 services (Core Services)
 - Cybersecurity hardware/software
- Outer Circle Operational Components
 - Stakeholder Driven Governance
 - Policies on how/why/when network is to be used and what applications can access
 - Center Operations/Training
 - Managed Services
 - Strategic and Transitional Planning





Defining NG-911

""NG911" services mean a secure, Internet Protocol (IP)-based, open standards system comprised of hardware, software, data, and operational policies and procedures that:

- Provides standardized interfaces from emergency call and message services to support emergency communications.
- Processes all types of emergency calls, including voice, text, data, and multimedia information.
- Acquires and integrates additional emergency call data useful to call routing and handling.
- Delivers the emergency calls, messages, and data to the appropriate, public safety answering point [PSAP] and other appropriate emergency entities based on the location of the caller.
- Supports data, video, and other communications needs for coordinated incident response and management.
- Interoperates with services and networks used by first responders [and other 911 systems] to facilitate emergency response."
- The NG911 description provided represents a definition that was mutually agreed upon by the National 911 Program and members of the NG911 NOW Coalition, the National Emergency Number Association, the National Association of State 911 Administrators, and the Industry Council for Emergency Response Technologies on January 12, 2018.



What's the tie to GIS?

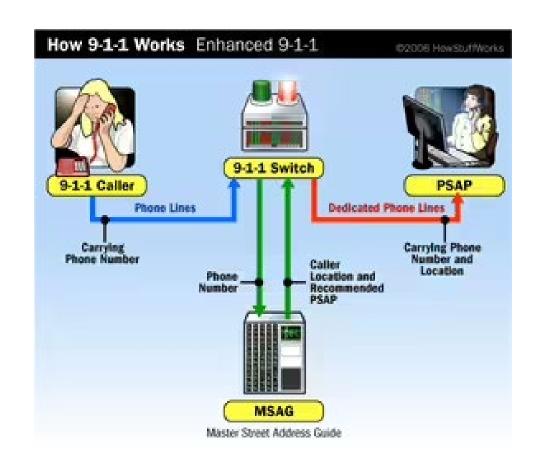
GIS is an essential component of NG911 and improving public safety communications. GIS capabilities enable:

- Call routing to the most appropriate ECC/PSAP based on the caller's actual location.
- The incorporation of evolving technologies including z-axis, 3D, and enhanced user interfaces.
- Mapping applications to use cell tower and network infrastructure data sources to improve location accuracy
- Improved situational awareness and response times for first responders

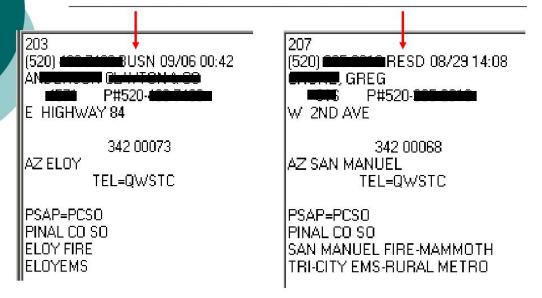
Bottom line: Location Matters.



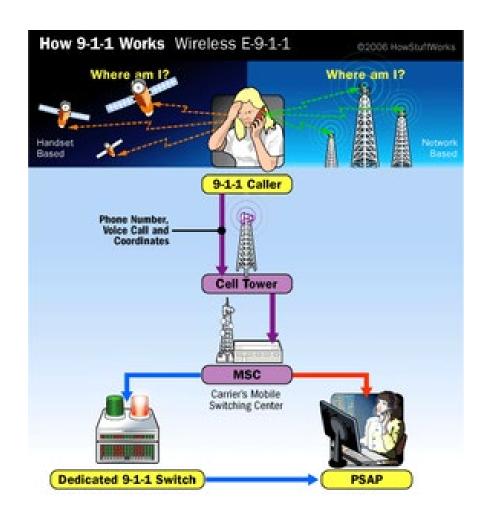
Source: NCSWIC/SAFECOM Geographic Information System Lifecycle Best Practices Guide for Next Generation 911



Landline ANI/ALI Display







Cell Phone ANI/ALI Display

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NG911 FOR TELECOMMUNICATORS

How PSAP/Emergency Communications Center Staff Benefit from Next Generation 911

The Next Generation 911 network and related technologies will provide telecommunicators with new opportunities to keep field responders and the public safer, while also giving you tools to make you more effective and efficient as your community's first first responders. "Next-gen can offer public safety telecommunicators an opportunity to get more information, ideally in a more user-friendly form than we've ever received it before," says Crystal Lawrence, APCO's Communication Center and 9-1-1 Services Manager.



Better Location Accuracy

NG911 tools allow you to get not just a caller's latitude and longitude, but an extremely accurate dispatchable location. PSAPs will be able to view, too, a three-dimensional map showing which floor in a building someone is calling from. Even better, all the data that comes in with a next-gen call can be immediately transferred to field responders, medical providers or others who may need the information.



Public Safety Communications Center

Information to 911
Information from 911



More Ways to Help All Types of Callers

KEY: VIDEO, IMAGES COLOCATION

NG911 will enable new services like language assistance/translation for non-native English speakers and help for the deaf and hard-of-hearing. These technologies will be embedded in Next-Gen platforms, making them seamless for telecomunicators to use.



Improved Field Responder Safety & Awareness

New and emerging technologies in the NG911 environment provide information in the form of photos, streaming video, texts and other data that helps your colleagues in law enforcement, fire services and EMS better understand what's happening even before they're on-scene. Telecommunicators can access building sensors and video feeds, too, helping to identify hazardous materials, environmental conditions or the location of potential victims.



Improved Crash Data

Telematics, already integrated into many vehicles, are capable of notifying 911 with precise location information and crucial details like speed at impact, airbag deployment, number of occupants, and how many seat belts were in use. This data, available at dispatch, helps fire services and EMS prepare appropriate equipment and provides medics with key information to plan for transport to the appropriate hospital or trauma center.



Safer Communities

Once ECCs are able to easily and quickly access media such as photos and video, citizens can readily report crimes, enabling telecommunicators to better understand a situation and dispatch law enforcement. For example, a witness might capture a video of a hit-and-run in progress and send it to 911 so dispatchers, and then officers, can see the situation and the suspect.



Greater Reliability & Coordination with Other Agencies

During a natural disaster, large-scale emergency, or an event that generates large call volume, the NG911 system can reroute calls when necessary. The system also allows for better coordination with first responders and between other emergency services and agencies in your area and beyond, ensuring that all 911 calls are answered, even if one ECC experiences an outage or call overload.





