

# Meeting Minutes: IEEE P802.3dm Asymmetrical Electrical Automotive Ethernet Task Force

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See Appendix A for Attendance

IEEE P802.3dm Task Force meeting convened at **6:05 AM PDT, Tuesday, April 7, 2026**, by Natalie Wienckowski, IEEE P802.3dm Task Force Chair.

ALL TIMES ARE IN PDT.

Ms. Wienckowski turned to presentation [agenda\\_3dm\\_01\\_040726.pdf](#) and reviewed the agenda for the meeting.

**Presentation:** [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/agenda\\_3dm\\_01\\_040726.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/agenda_3dm_01_040726.pdf)

**Presenter:** Natalie Wienckowski, Chair

**Approval of Agenda:** The chair asked whether there were additions or corrections to the agenda, shown on slide 2 of the presentation [agenda\\_3dm\\_01\\_040726.pdf](#). She then asked if there were any objections to approving the agenda.

There were none.

**(6:06AM)**

(NOTE – the presentation “agenda\_3dm\_01\_040726.pdf” or updates will be referred to as “the agenda deck” in these minutes.)

She announced the agenda on slide 2 was considered approved.

The Chair then resumed the review of the agenda deck

Ms. Wienckowski noted that there should be no recording or photography without permission.

Ms. Wienckowski asked if anyone was attending from the press including those who would run a public blog on this meeting – there were no indications from the group. **(6:08 AM)**

The chair discussed decorum and processes for joining the queue using the conference tool.

The chair discussed the goals of the meeting, which were resolution of comments on the task force review draft.

Ms. Wienckowski then continued review of the presentation, reviewing information for the reflector, private area, and ground rules.

The Chair announced that under 802.3 rules, only working group voters may vote on motions, and that anyone in the meeting could vote in straw polls. In the agenda deck she provided a link to the IEEE 802.3 Ethernet Working Group Operations Manual for further information.

## **Attendance**

The chair reminded the group that attendance would be taken from Webex, and she then reminded attendees that they should show their employer & affiliation, and how to set these to make them correct.

### **IEEE Structure, Policies**

Ms. Wienckowski continued review of the IEEE SA structure, where to find the bylaws, policies & procedures documents, and operations manuals which hierarchically govern IEEE SA, IEEE 802 LMSC, and IEEE 802.3 activities.

She also asked whether anyone in the room or online had not seen the various policy slides. There were no responses. She then proceeded to show the slides and read through them.

**IEEE SA Patent Policy**, Ms. Wienckowski reviewed the IEEE SA Patent Policy (slides 13-17 in the agenda deck). During this, she read aloud the IEEE SA patent policy from the agenda deck and made the call for patents on the slide labeled "Ways to Inform IEEE" (slide 15) **(6:11AM)**.

There was no response to the call for patents at **6:12 AM**.

She then showed and read aloud slide 3 of the patent policy and showed slide 4 of the patent policy.

### **Other IEEE Policies**

Ms. Wienckowski showed and read aloud the slides on the IEEE SA copyright, Participant behavior (ethics), IEEE individual participation, the fair and equitable consideration policies, the decorum policy, and the IEEE ethics contact information in the agenda deck (slides 19-26). **(6:17 AM)**

There were no questions.

Ms. Wienckowski reviewed the standards development process for IEEE 802.3 and where this Task Force is in that process.

### **LIAISONS**

The chair noted that the Task Force had received no liaisons.

### **Task Force Documents**

The chair noted that the Task Force objectives had been updated by the Working Group at the March plenary.

There was no discussion.

### **COMMENT RESOLUTION**

The chair outlined the process for comment resolution.

The chair then presented the Editor's report: **(6:21)**

**Presentation:** [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Wienckowski\\_3dm\\_01a\\_040726.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Wienckowski_3dm_01a_040726.pdf)

**Presenter:** Natalie Wienckowski, Chair & Chief Editor

The Chair & Chief Editor noted that the displayed version (01a) was updated to the previously posted version, noting changes including exclusions from the EZ bucket.

### **EZ comments:**

During the presentation, the Chief Editor notified the group that the comment responses to comments marked with the topic "EZ" were posted at

[https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE\\_P8023dm\\_D0pc\\_comment\\_proposed\\_responses\\_EZ.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE_P8023dm_D0pc_comment_proposed_responses_EZ.pdf) . The Chair had previously (by reflector message

<https://www.ieee802.org/3/ISAAC/email/msg00677.html> ) requested that participants review the proposed responses and notify her of any comments they wish to be discussed so that they may be pulled out of the "EZ bucket" and excepted from the motion. She announced she had received requests to exclude a number of comments via the reflector, and asked whether there were any additional exclusions. Based on the responses, she considered the following motion:

**Motion #1:**

Move to accept all proposed “EZ” bucket comment resolutions including “EZ-late” excluding the comments: 1, 28, 39, 62, 98, 112, 124, 154, 178, 191, 192, 210

M: Ragnar Jonsson

S: Scott Muma

**MOTION PASSES BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.**

**Comment Resolution:**

The chair began a discussion of comment resolution at **6:27 AM**.

Comment resolution began with pulled EZ bucket comments.

Responses to comments are recorded in the comment resolution database.

Comment response status as of the end of the April 7 meeting session were posted at:

All comments:

[https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE\\_P8023dm\\_D0pc\\_comments\\_040726.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE_P8023dm_D0pc_comments_040726.pdf)

All comments as a spreadsheet:

[https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE\\_P8023dm\\_D0pc\\_comments\\_040726.xlsx](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE_P8023dm_D0pc_comments_040726.xlsx)

Open comments only:

[https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE\\_P8023dm\\_D0pc\\_comments\\_040726\\_open.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/comments/D0pc/IEEE_P8023dm_D0pc_comments_040726_open.pdf)

At **8:01 AM PDT** the meeting recessed, resuming at **8:11 AM PDT**.

At **10:00AM** comment resolution stopped, and the meeting was recessed, to be resumed at the announced meeting **April 9 at 6:00AM PDT**.

At **6:03 AM April 9**, Ms. Wienckowski called the meeting to order.

She reviewed the agenda, previously approved, and the IEEE SA process slides in the agenda deck.

At 6:04AM she made the call for patents – there were no responses.

She reviewed the IEEE SA copyright policy, the participant behavior slide, individual participation, meeting decorum, and asked whether there were any members of the press in attendance – there were no responses.

She had previously announced on the reflector that discussion on each comment would be limited to 6 minutes, after which, if there was not consensus, the comment would be closed with lack of consensus if there was not time.

Comment resolution resumed at **6:07AM**.

Responses to comments are recorded in the comment resolution database.

At **8:01 AM**, the Chair recessed the meeting and resumed comment resolution at **8:18 AM**.

Following resolution of the submitted comments, a late comment was heard, along with the following presentation:

**Presentation:** Comment on delay constraints Clause 202.12

**URL:** [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Chini-3dm\\_02\\_0326.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Chini-3dm_02_0326.pdf)

**Presenter:** Ahmad Chini, Broadcom

**Discussion:** The presenter discussed the relationship of delays in clause 202 to pause quanta, and proposed updates to Table 202-20.

**Motion #2:**

To update Table 202-20 with the values on slide 3 of [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Chini-3dm\\_02\\_0326.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Chini-3dm_02_0326.pdf).

M: Ahmad Chini

S: Max Turner

**MOTION PASSES BY UNANIMOUS CONSENT.**

The editor then showed a revised figure for 202-5 & 202-6, (Clause202DraftBitOrderFigureAdditions.pdf) and discussed applying it to comment 57. See comment database for more detail.

The editor also discussed a number of changes to be made under editorial license.

**CLOSING BUSINESS**

Having completed comment resolution, the Chair proceeded with a closing editor's report

See: [https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Wienckowski\\_3dm\\_02\\_040726.pdf](https://www.ieee802.org/3/dm/public/040726/Wienckowski_3dm_02_040726.pdf)

She then entertained the following motion:

**Motion #3**

Move to instruct the Editors to create D0.d for Task Force recirculation and WG preview from D0.c and closed comments received on D0.c with editorial license.

M: George Zimmerman

S: Valerie Maguire

Motion taken by DVL – see appendix for roll call information

Technical (>= 75%)

**Y: 13      N: 0      A: 1 – MOTION PASSES.**

The Chair then discussed proposed timing for the draft 0.d recirculation, recirculating from 23 April 2026 to 4 May 2026, with presubmission to the WG on 1 May 2026. (all times AoE).  
Proposed responses to comments are expected to be available 7 May 2026 (AoE).

She announced meetings at the May interim the mornings of May 13 and May 14, and the process to initial WG ballot.

There was discussion and a contingent interim was announced for 30 April 2026 to preview early comments on d0.d and have an opportunity to call off presubmission if necessary.

Comments to be previewed at the meeting are requested prior to 5PM EST 29 April 2026. If there are no substantive comments received by that time, the meeting will be called off.

Having reached the end of the agenda, the Chair adjourned the meeting at **9:30AM PDT**.

*Appendix A: Attendees at the IEEE P802.3dm Asymmetrical Electrical Automotive Ethernet Task Force Meeting, April 7, 2026 & April 9, 2026 (taken from Webex)*

First Name	Last Name	Affiliation	7-Apr	9-Apr
Ramanjit	Ahuja	Onsemi	X	X
Sami	Akin	VW AG	X	
Ahmad	Chini	Broadcom	X	X
Shaoan	Dai	Infineon	X	
Ann	Do	Infineon	X	
Daniel	Estrakh	Valens	X	
Aravind	Ganesan	TI	X	
Steve	Gorshe	Microchip	X	X
Sam	Johnson	Infineon		X
Ragnar	Jonsson	Infineon	X	X
DoKyun	Kim	LGE	X	X
William	Lo	Axonne	X	X
Rich	Long	TE Connectivity	X	X
Valerie	Maguire	Copperopolis, aff'l w/ CME Consulting, Microchip, and NXP	X	X
Brett	McClellan	Marvell	X	X
Scott	Muma	Microchip	X	X
Yoshihiro	Niihara	Fujikura Ltd.	X	X
Jonsson	Ragnar	Infineon		
Alireza	Razavi	Infineon	X	X
Hossein	Sedarat	Ethernovia	X	X
Johannes	Specht	Independent	X	
Korhan	Tanc	NXP		X
Max	Turner	Ethernovia	X	X
Gumersindo	Veloso	BMW	X	X
Frank, S.-S.	Wang	Realtek	X	X
Natalie	Wienckowski	IVN Solutions; Ethernovia	X	X
George	Zimmerman	CME Consulting/ADI, APL Gp, Cisco, Infineon, OnSemi, Sony	X	X

*Appendix B: Roll Call results Motion #3*

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M: George Zimmerman

S: Valerie Maguire

Technical ( $\geq 75\%$ )

**Y: 13      N: 0      A: 1 (MOTION PASSES)**

First Name	Last Name	Vote
Ahmad	Chini	Abstain
Steven Scott	Gorshe	Yes
Ragnar	Jonsson	Yes
William	Lo	Yes
Richard	Long	Yes
Valerie	Maguire	Yes
Brett	Mcclellan	Yes
Scott	Muma	Yes
Yoshihiro	Niihara	Yes
Alireza	Razavi	Yes
Hossein	Sedarat	Yes
Max	Turner	Yes
Shun-Sheng	Wang	Yes
George	Zimmerman	Yes