# **Next Generation 100 Gigabit Optical Ethernet**

# Call For Interest Closing Plenary Report & Motion

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# **CFI Consensus Building Meeting Summary**

- Meeting Attendance included 156 people
- A single integrated presentation was given
  - Defined potential project opportunities
  - Explained "Why IEEE Project Now?"
  - Presented by Dan Dove, HP Networking
- A panel Q&A was offered
  - Pete Anslow, Ciena
  - Jonathan King, Finisar
  - Ryan Latchman, Mindspeed
  - Kapil Shrikhande, Force 10 Networks
- A number of straw polls were performed.

### **Contributors & Supporters**

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Michael Bennett - Lawrence Berkeley Lab

Vipul Bhatt - Lightwire

Sudeep Bhoja - Broadcom

Matt Brown - APM

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## Why an IEEE Project Now

- Bandwidth demands are going up exponentially
- The only way to meet this demand is to increase density
- Density is being increased in the backplane and passive Cu already
- Density needs to be increased on the front panel
  - New electrical interfaces: CAUI-4, CPPI-4
  - New MMF interface: -SR4
  - Determine if there is sufficient market demand and technical maturity of feasible optics alternatives to justify a new duplex SMF interface in addition to existing -LR4
- Allow coordination with Backplane & Copper Cables while there is an opportunity to influence their direction

#### Straw Polls – CFI Results

- Number of CFI Attendees: 156
- Should a study group be formed for "Next Generation 100GbE Optical Interfaces"?

Y: **146** N: **0** A: **1** 

802.3 Voters Y: **87** N: **0** A: **0** 

- "I would participate in the Next Generation 100GbE Optical Interfaces Study Group in IEEE 802.3": **109**
- "My company would support participation in the Next Generation 100GbE Optical Interfaces Study Group in IEEE 802.3": 65
- "If a study group is formed, I plan to attend and participate in the September meeting": 90
- "If a study group is formed, I would like to attend both this SG and the 100G Backplane & Copper Cables meetings": 78

## Motion

Move the IEEE 802.3 Working Group authorizes the formation of a study group for

"Next Generation 100 Gigabit Optical Ethernet"

Moved: Dove

Seconded: Shrikhande

Y: N: A:

802.3 Voters

Y: N: A:

# **THANK YOU!**