

# Office of the Texas SWIC

- o Government Code 421.096
  - o Sec. 421.096. INTEROPERABILITY OF RADIO SYSTEMS. The office of the governor shall:
    - o (1) develop and administer a strategic plan to design and implement a statewide integrated public safety radio communications system that promotes interoperability within and between local, state, and federal agencies and first responders;
    - o (2) develop and administer a plan in accordance with Subdivision (1) to purchase infrastructure equipment for state and local agencies and first responders;
    - o (3) advise representatives of entities in this state that are involved in homeland security activities with respect to interoperability; and
    - o (4) use appropriated money, including money from relevant federal homeland security grants, for the purposes of designing, implementing, and maintaining a statewide integrated public safety radio communications system.

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## o Governance

- MOU/ILA Development, Tracking
- Grant Administration
- Process Control

## o LTE

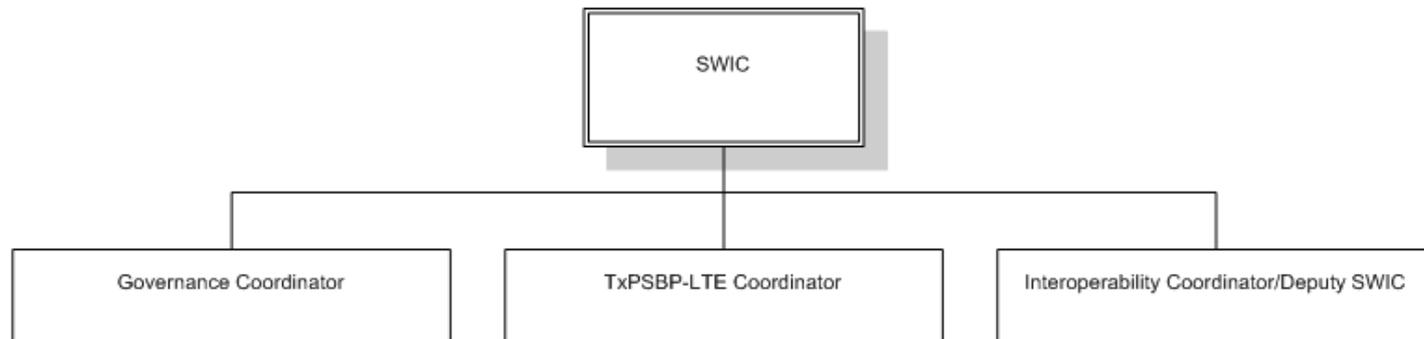
- FirstNet/NTIA/FCC Support
- SLIGP Management

## o Interoperability

- TxICC Support
- Federal/State Reporting

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## (Proposed Organization)



MOU/ILA Development	SLIGP Grant Management	State Mandated Reports
MOU/ILA Execution	FirstNet Support	Federal Mandated Reports
Process Controls	Education and Outreach	Meeting/Conference Planning
Project Management-External	Requirements Gathering	COG Stakeholder Development
Grant Administration	LTE Technical Support	TxICC Support
State Agency Meetings	FCC Support	SWIC Grant Approvals
	NTIA Support	TxMAP/GIS Support
	Vendor Outreach	DHS-OECTA Support
		SWIC Presentation Development
		Project Management-Internal

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- o Regional Focus Group Gap Analysis
  - April-May: Regional/Local development
  - June: reports sent to SWIC
  - July: reports consolidated, SCIP initiatives developed
  
- o Texas Report on Interoperable Communications to the Texas Legislature
  - August
  
- o Annual Progress Report (APR) [Replaces Implementation Report]
  - September/November\*
  - Shows accomplishments via charting performance measurements of implementation initiatives

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- o SCIP Update
  - September/November\* (after annual SCIP conference)
  - Gaps and solutions must be defined in SCIP to allocate grant funding to communications projects
  
- o State Preparedness Report (SPR)
  - September/November
  - Illustrates Operational Communications/Situation Awareness preparedness level based on Threat & Hazard Identification and Risk (THIRA)

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- o SCIP Implementation Workshop
  - January/March (routine)
  - 2013: September
  
- o DHS Funding Opportunity Announcement
  - March/July\*
  - Development of State Agency IJs
  - Consolidated IJ Report from 24 Regions & State Agencies
  - Development of Statewide Communications IJ
  
- o Development of other communications funding opportunities e.g. *SLIGP*