

**Minutes of Combined Meeting between
Time Warner Business Class and MetroNet Technology Committee
on 11/27/07
at Empower Federal Credit Union small conference room.**

Present: Stan Smith - Time Warner Business Class, sales
Marc Orlando - Time Warner Business Class, technical assistance
Ron Walter - Syracuse MetroNet
Larry Page - Syracuse MetroNet
Joe DiRienzo - St. Joseph's Hospital
John Vormwald - LACNY
Mike Klapheke - Cedarpath Solutions
Ray Borg - Syracuse Airport

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the peering of the MetroNet Community VLAN with Time Warner Business Class (TWBC) network. This would mean that TWBC customers who wished to go to a MetroNet member could be routed directly to the MetroNet Community VLAN, without going through the Internet.

The major reason for wishing to do this is because the Health Advancement Collaborative of Central New York, whose Executive Director, Nancy Smith, made a presentation to the MetroNet Board of Directors in August, has applied for a HEAL grant. The grant will fund the formation of a Regional Health Information Organization (RHIO) in Central New York and would be combined with an existing RHIO in the Binghamton area. HEAL grant is described briefly below. * There is strong reason to believe that this grant may be funded. It would involve the four Hospitals in Syracuse and some of the major medical practices in Central New York, to start.

Those who would be most likely to use the peering relationship between TWBC and the MetroNet Community VLAN would be those communicating in the following ways:

1. Medical Practice to Hospital, or Hospital to Medical Practice
2. Medical Practitioner at home to Hospital, or Hospital to Medical Practitioner at home

All of this background was discussed and the means of achieving the peering relationship was also discussed. The following will be necessary on the part of MetroNet.

1. MetroNet must obtain an ASN number from ARIN - accomplished via a BGP peering relationship with LeMoyne College
2. MetroNet must be dual homed - in process with the pending award of a contract with FiberTech for backup Internet service.
3. MetroNet must obtain a set of class C addresses from ARIN - application will be made when #2 is complete.

Marc Orlando, representing TWBC, and Mike Klapheke, representing MetroNet, concluded that the peering between the two networks would be technically possible after steps 1-3 have all been completed. All present were in agreement. Future contact will be maintained between TWBC and MetroNet regarding this process, and progress on the HEAL grant application by the Health Advancement Collaborative of Central New York.

* The Health Care Efficiency and Affordability Law for New Yorkers Capital Grant Program (the HEAL NY Program) was established in 2004 to invest up to an anticipated \$1 billion over a four year period to effectively reform and reconfigure New York's health care delivery system to achieve improvements in patient care and increased efficiency of operation.