

SLIGP 2.0 Grant Closeout Report				2. Award or Grant Number:	20-10-S18020
				4. EIN:	48-1124839
1. Recipient Name	Kansas Adjutant General's Department			6. Report Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	06/08/2021
3. Street Address	2800 SW Topeka Blvd			7. Reporting Period End Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)	03/31/2021
5. City, State, Zip Code	Topeka Kansas 66611-1220			8. Final Report	
				Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
				No <input type="checkbox"/>	
9. Project/Grant Period				10. Reserved for Reviewer	
9a. Start Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)	03/01/2018	9b. End Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)	03/31/2021		
11. Program Activities					
11a. Identify the activities you performed during SLIGP2.0 grant period of performance					
	Activity Type (Planning, Governance Meetings, etc.)	Was this Activity Performed during the grant period? (Yes/No)	Total Project Deliverable Quantity (Number)	Description of Activity Deliverable Quantity	
1	Governance Meetings	Yes	15	Cumulative number of governance, subcommittee, or working group meetings related to the NPSBN held during the grant period	
2	Individuals Sent to Broadband Conferences	No		Cumulative number of individuals sent to national or regional third-party conferences with a focus or training track related to the NPSBN using SLIGP 2.0 grant funds during the grant period	
3	Convened Stakeholder Events	Yes	1	Cumulative number of events coordinated or held using SLIGP 2.0 grant funds during the grant period, as requested by FirstNet.	
4	Staff Hired (Full-Time Equivalent)(FTE)	No		Cumulative number of state/territory personnel FTEs who began supporting SLIGP 2.0 activities during the grant period (may be a decimal).	
5	Contracts Executed	No		Cumulative number of contracts executed during the grant period.	
6	Subrecipient Agreements Executed	No		Cumulative number of agreements executed during the grant period.	
7	Data Sharing Policies/Agreements Developed	No		Yes or No if data sharing policies and/or agreements were developed during the grant period.	
8	Further Identification of Potential Public Safety Users	No		Yes or No if further identification of potential public safety users occurred during the grant period.	
9	Plans for Emergency Communications Technology Transitions	No		Yes or No if plans for future emergency communications technology transitions occurred during the grant period.	
10	Identified and Planned to Transition PS Apps & Databases	No		Yes or No if public safety applications or databases within the State or territory were identified and transition plans were developed during the grant period	
11	Identify Ongoing Coverage Gaps	No		Yes or No if participated in identifying ongoing coverage gaps using SLIGP 2.0 funds during the grant period.	
12	Data Collection Activities	No		Yes or No if participated in data collection activities as requested by FirstNet	

11b. Please provide a description of each activity reported in response to Question 11; any challenges or obstacles encountered and mitigation strategies you employed; and any additional project milestones or information.

Kansas held 15 governance meetings through the grant performance period. Each of these meeting were convened with AT&T FirstNet and the FirstNet Authority to receive updates on network development, operational planning, public safety user adoption, best practices, and operational governance consideration for the state. During each meeting both entities were allotted time for information sharing and discussion. During the meetings the SIAC and SPOC assisted, with feedback, both FirstNet entities in planning for improving adoption, coverage gaps as identified and potential thoughts on improvement of of disaster mitigation through broadband usage. These governance meeting helped the state of Kansas build on a strong relationship foundation with both AT&T and FirstNet through continued by weekly meeting with the SPOC which has developed into a long term plan of continuing beyond the grant a cadence of meeting with both AT&T and FirstNet for the foreseeable future. Only one stakeholder meeting was convened during the performance period and provided a large group of responders to receive a hands-on approach to what the network is and how it can and will benefit public safety for the future.

11c. Did you perform activities during the last quarter of the grant that haven't been reported previously (i.e., new programmatic activities, staffing changes)? If so, please describe.

None

11d. Please share any lessons learned or best practices that your organization implemented during your SLIGP 2.0 project.

During the performance period we were unable to fulfill a full time position to administer the grant effectively. Having a full time dedicated position to support FirstNet (ATT) and FirstNet authority would have better assisted in support and possibly adoption rates of FirstNet in Kansas.

Total Funds Allocated to Contracts							\$0.00	\$0.00
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14. Budget Worksheet

Columns 2, 3 and 4 must match your project budget for the entire award and your final SF 424A. Columns 5, 6, and 7 should list your final budget figures, cumulative through the last quarter

Project Budget Element (1)	Federal Funds Awarded (2)	Approved Matching Funds (3)	Total Budget (4)	Final Federal Funds Expended (5)	Final Approved Matching Funds Expended (6)	Final Total Funds Expended (7)
a. Personnel Salaries	\$147,019.50	\$114,580.90	\$261,600.40	\$21,721.22	\$18,066.01	\$39,787.23
b. Personnel Fringe Benefits	\$34,910.00	\$41,249.12	\$76,159.12	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
c. Travel	\$114,520.00	\$19,169.97	\$133,689.97	\$4,815.89	\$0.00	\$4,815.89
d. Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
e. Materials/Supplies	\$14,349.50	\$0.00	\$14,349.50	\$2,642.75	\$0.00	\$2,642.75
f. Contractual	\$355,575.00	\$0.00	\$355,575.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
g. Other	\$12,066.00	\$0.00	\$12,066.00	\$558.15	\$0.00	\$558.15
h. Indirect	\$21,560.00	\$0.00	\$21,560.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
i. Total Costs	\$700,000.00	\$174,999.99	\$874,999.99	\$29,738.01	\$18,066.01	\$47,804.02
j. Proportionality Percent	80%	20%	100%	62%	38%	100%

15. Additional Questions: Read each statement below. Rate your level of agreement or disagreement with each statement and answer follow-up questions to provide additional information.

Statement	Agree/Disagree	Additional Questions	Response
15a. SLIGP 2.0 funds were helpful in planning for the integration with the NPSBN.	3-Neutral	What was most helpful? What challenges did you encounter?	Most helpful was time for transition and building on the relationships with FirstNet. Challenges were finding the right project or process to best use the funding.

<p>15b. I plan to continue any SLIGP 2.0 program activities beyond the SLIGP 2.0 period of performance.</p>	<p>5-Strongly Agree</p>	<p>What do you plan to accomplish after the period of performance?</p>	<p>Continue relationship building with Both ATT and the Authority towards PS adoption of the PSBN for public safety and governance of usage for emergency deployments.</p>
<p>15c. SLIGP 2.0 funds were helpful in informing my stakeholders about FirstNet.</p>	<p>4-Agree</p>	<p>What was most helpful? What challenges did you encounter?</p>	<p>Yes both on the governance side and general public safety forum that were accomplished during the performance period helped establish the PSBN as a dedicated broadband option for public safety. Primary challenge through the performance period were changing the historical misinformation on coverage in the state.</p>
<p>Statement</p>	<p>Agree/Disagree</p>	<p>Additional Questions</p>	<p>Response</p>

<p>15d. SLIGP 2.0 funds were helpful in maintaining a governance structure for broadband in my state/territory.</p>	<p>4-Agree</p>	<p>What was most helpful? What challenges did you encounter?</p>	<p>SLIGP 2.0 offered a continuation of our governance body (SIAC) State Interoperability Advisory Committee) to work on a planned long term goal of working with our PSBN partnerships beyond the grant period and establish a permanent position within the SWIC role. No challenges to report.</p>
<p>15e. SLIGP 2.0 funds provided resources that were helpful in preparing for FirstNet planning activities in my state/territory (e.g. staffing, attending broadband conferences, participating in training, procuring contract support etc.).</p>	<p>4-Agree</p>	<p>What was most helpful? What challenges did you encounter?</p>	<p>The most helpful was with attendance to conferences and staffing. Challenges were for the state to maintain a short term position.</p>

<p>15f. Overall, SLIGP 2.0 funds were helpful in preparing for FirstNet.</p>	<p>4-Agree</p>	<p>What was most helpful? What challenges did you encounter?</p>	<p>Most helpful was solidifying the governance structure to support the PSBN beyond the grant period and help establish long term relationships with the authority and ATT. Additionally it gave the time needed to create a position requirement within an existing group in state government to continue to support the PSBN as needed.</p>
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16. Certification: I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that this report is correct and complete for performance of activities for the purpose(s) set forth in the award documents.

<p>16a. Typed or printed name and title of Authorized Certifying Official: Jonathan York, Response & Recovery Branch Director</p>	<p>16c. Telephone:</p>	<p>(785) 646-2501</p>
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	<p>16e. Date:</p>	<p>06/08/2021</p>

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