

NRO update

Paul Wilson
Secretary
NRO Executive Council



NRO: What is it?

- Number Resource Organization
 - Vehicle for RIR cooperation and representation
 - Lightweight, unincorporated association
 - NRO MoU, 24 Oct 2003
- Why?
 - Protect the unallocated Number Resource pool
 - Promote and protect the bottom-up policy development process
 - Act as a focal point for Internet community input into the RIR system
 - Fulfill the role of the ICANN Address Supporting Organisation (ASO)



NRO structure

- Executive committee
 - 1 appointed representative from each RIR, plus RIR board and staff observers
 - 3 officeholder positions, rotating annually
 - Decisions by unanimous EC agreement
- Secretariat
 - Rotating with NRO Secretary position
- Coordination Groups
 - ECG, CCG, PACG, RSM
- Number council
 - Serves as ASO Address Council



NRO in 2012

- Executive committee
 - AfriNIC: Adiel Akplogan (Treasurer)
 - APNIC: Paul Wilson (Secretary)
 - ARIN: John Curran (Chair)
 - LACNIC: Raul Echeberria
 - RIPE NCC: Axel Pawlik
- Secretariat
 - Hosted by APNIC



NRO Number Council (2012)

AfriNIC	Fiona Asonga
	Alan Barrett* (Vice-chair)
	Douglas Onyango
APNIC	Naresh Ajwani
	Tomohiro Fujisaki
	Andy Linton*
ARIN	Louis Lee (Chair)
	Jason Schiller
	Ron da Silva*
LACNIC	Sebastián Bellagamba
	Hartmut Glaser*
	Alejandro Guzman
RIPE NCC	Hans Petter Holen
	Dave Wilson (Vice-chair)
	Wilfried Woeber*

*Appointed by RIR Board



NRO NRO Finances (2012)

- NRO expenses distribution
 - Weighted formula based on revenue and total number of resources held:
 - AFRINIC (4.14%)
 - APNIC (37.50%)
 - ARIN (18.17%)
 - LACNIC (6.86%)
 - RIPE (33.45%)
- NRO contribution to ICANN
 - The NRO remains committed to a yearly contribution of \$823,000



ASO Review

- Awarded to ITEMS
 - July-December 2011
- Report 14 March 2012
 - aso.icann.org/news/aso-review-report-published
 - Followed by public comment period
- Joint NRO / ASO AC response
 - nro.net/news/review-response-2012
 - Addressing recommendations and comments
- Next: report, comments, and response go to
 - Structural Review Committee
 - ICANN Board



NRO IPv4 returns to IANA

- GPP-IPv4-2011
 - Global Policy Proposal for Post Exhaustion IPv4 Allocation Mechanisms by IANA
 - Describes how IANA will re-allocate returned IPv4 resources
 - Ratified by ICANN Board: 15 May 2012
- Resources returned by 3 RIRs
 - RIPE
 - ARIN
 - APNIC



NRO Other developments

- PACG: Public Affairs Group formed
 - Coordination and information sharing
 - E.g. WCIT and related processes.
- "I*" group
 - Liaison/coordination with Internet orgs
 - ISOC, IETF, IAB, ICANN, W3C
- RPKI
 - Technical coordination through ECG
 - ICANN liaison
- Legacy IPv4 space
 - Further review of unused legacy space



Thank You

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