



NEXT GENERATION PROJECT

October 2023 Governing Board UPDATE:

1. Construction:

There is activity at all nine remaining sites and the majority of the construction work should be completed by the end of November.

2. Site Installations:

Motorola and Nokia conducted site visits last week. Nokia plans to begin Microwave installations the week of October 30th, 2023, beginning with the first nine sites and then rolling into the current nine sites as they reach construction completion milestones. Motorola is also gearing up to begin their installations at the remaining nine sites.

3. Connectivity:

The Governing Board received a presentation on the Connectivity Plan and Pilot Project. They have been asked to provide MERA staff with direction on a few items.

4. Subscriber Radios:

Motorola has submitted our final order for mobiles, portables, and other radio equipment to their factory for delivery in early 2024.

5. Fire Station Alerting:

The new Fire Station Alerting equipment is currently being installed at the fire stations and siren locations. This equipment will be activated closer to cutover, 2024.



Monopole base at Tomales site.



Fire Station Alerting control box after installation.



Trenching power at Muir Beach site with Muir Beach Fire.

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