
The second meeting of the PNT advisory board was held in Washington DC in October 2007. The minutes of the public meeting may be found at www.PNT.gov and were previously circulated by email.

The recommendations from the PNT Advisory Board are currently as follows:

1. From the first meeting (March 07):
   • Remove all selective availability from future satellite designs (done).
   • Place GPS III quickly under contract with early delivery.

2. From the second meeting (October 07)
   • Formally commit to 30 + x satellites, geometrically optimised for users
   • Insure affordability i.e. avoid non-GPS requirements
   • Use a national technical committee to validate GPS signals and availability tied to approval authority
   • Add laser retro-reflectors to all GPS III.

The third meeting is 27-28 March 2008 in Washington DC. A hot debrief will be provided at the IAIN Officers meeting in Toulouse.

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