

Policy Implementation Report

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Purpose

- Update the community on recently implemented policies
- Provide relevant operational details





Recently Implemented Policies (since last ARIN meeting)





ARIN-2009-6: "IANA Policy for Allocation of ASNs to RIRs"

- Until 31 December 2010, RIRs can get one 16-bit and one 32 bit block of ASNs from IANA
- After this date, IANA and the RIRs make no distinction between the two and will operate from an undifferentiated 32-bit pool of ASNs

ARIN-2010-8: "Rework of IPv6 assignment criteria"

- Need determined by total site count (sites get /48 or larger blocks)
- Provides formula for initial assignment that allows for aggregation and growth (ARIN to assign on nibble boundaries, /48, /44, /40, etc.)
- Subsequent assignments based on 75% site count (not individual site utilization)





ARIN-2010-1: "Waiting List for Unmet IPv4 Requests"

- Provides rules for an expected queue of IPv4 requests when address space becomes limited
 - Requests would either be filled with ARIN's available space, or requestor has the option of being placed on a waiting list
 - Allocations/assignments are limited to one every three months
- ARIN-2010-12: "IPv6 Subsequent Allocation"
 - Allows additional IPv6 allocation for transitional technologies (v4 to v6)
 - To date, 2 have been approved



Operational Feedback on Other Policies





- NRPM 4.2.3.3 Multi-homed Connection (for Endusers)
 - Reduces the multi-homed End-user IPv4 minimum assignment from /22 to /24
 - End-users receiving less than a /22 from ARIN must renumber if they come back for additional address space
 - Since implementation in Sept. 2010, 163 approvals under this policy
 - Total /24s issued: 103
 - Total /23s issued: 48



NRPM 4.10 Dedicated IPv4 block to facilitate IPv6 Deployment

- Implemented in April 2009, went into effect in Feb. 3, 2011
- At IANA run-out, a contiguous /10 IPv4 block will be reserved to facilitate IPv6 deployment
 - Staff has set aside 23.64.0.0 /10 for this purpose



- NRPM 3.6 Annual Whois POC Validation
- Annual validation for all registered POCs
 - If no response within 60 days, marked as invalid in db
 - As a result of community feedback, ARIN is no longer processing any requests from invalid POCs (via template or arin-online)









