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After consulting with users and Harris system engineers and their project manager...and, being mindful of upcoming events that will bring additional demand for public safety resources, the collaborative recommendation is to hold off a couple weeks to complete our full transition and final cutover to DaneCom.

As you may have seen in the news, our county will now be hosting a Vice Presidential candidate on November 1<sup>st</sup>, the originally planned cutover date.

We can use these couple of weeks to finish off the outstanding progress made to date on user programming, training, and complete further system testing to ensure a more seamless transition.

I will provide another update no later than November 11<sup>th</sup>.

Meanwhile, we'll continue with roll calls and Wednesday meetings to help ensure that seamless cutover.

I am grateful for the work Harris, General Communications, the Madison Radio Shop, the Dane County Fire Chiefs Association, the Dane County EMS Association, the Dane County Police Chiefs Association, and your elected officials...and I'm sure I'm missing the other partners/programmers...are doing to make this new and improved system a success. And, I thank my staff for helping shepherd this project. We all need to keep pressing ahead...thanks again.

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