

Topic IV: Work Group Consensus Making

PROBLEM DEFINITION

- Overly positional
- Not building consensus
- Inefficient and time consuming
- Inconsistent across groups
- Standing Committees don't know who supports what option
- Support changes as issues go up levels
- Issue not really resolved: they can loop & reiterate
- Unclear and inconsistent procedures for elevating non-consensus items
- Inconsistent/unclear PJM facilitation role
- OTHER??????

GOALS/OBJECTIVES

- *GAST TO FILL IN*

GAST END PRODUCTS

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APPROACH: MAPPING THE CURRENT PROCESS

- How are options/differences integrated
- How are options prioritized
- How is agreement sought
- What are voting procedures (including any variability across groups)
- How are non-consensus items elevated
- PJMs role in consensus making
 - How and when straw proposals offered
 - How are Roberts Rules or other decision procedures applied at WG/TF
- OTHER??????

WORK PLAN FOR THIS TOPIC

WHO	WHAT	BY WHEN