

# Internet Printing Protocol Meeting Minutes

## September 12, 2024

Meeting was called to order at 3:00pm ET.

### Attendees

Charles Armstrong (Canon)  
Benjamin Gordon (Google)  
Smith Kennedy (HP)  
Jeremy Leber (Lexmark)  
Ira McDonald (High North)  
Piotr Pawliczek (Google)  
Anthony Suarez (Kyocera)  
Mike Sweet (Lakeside Robotics)  
Uli Wehner (Ricoh)

### Agenda Items

1. PWG IP policy, minute taker, administrivia
2. Review IPP minutes from previous meetings:
  - <https://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/minutes/ippv2-concall-minutes-20240829.pdf>
  - Approved as posted
3. Pending IPP WG documents:
  - IPP/2.x Fourth Edition (BASE)
    - <https://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/wd/wd-ippbase23-20240829-rev.pdf>
    - Section 7, table 2: Close-Job is C. REQUIRED, Create-Job is RECOMMENDED
    - Section 8.2/8.3: Add note to tables about media-col being recommended for IPP/2.0 for historical reasons
    - Section 8.3.1: Add "Client software can use this value as the default printer display name" or something to that effect.
    - Consensus is for Mike to post a quick update and start IPP workgroup last call
    - Action: Mike to post IPP/2.x 4th Edition draft for IPP WG last call ending September 26
  - IPP Wi-Fi Configuration Extensions v1.0 (WIFI)
    - <https://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/wd/wd-ippwifi10-20240807-rev.pdf>
    - IPP WG last call ends today
    - Consensus is to approve and publish
    - Action: Mike to publish WIFI registration and submit to IANA
4. Brief discussion of IPP FaxOut
  - Ira noted there is another errata update we wanted to do to synchronize FaxOut and Scan handling of input and output formats.

- Mike and Ira will work offline to file an errata against FaxOut
- 5. Review IPP Firmware Update Extensions v1.0 (FWUPDATE)
  - <https://ftp.pwg.org/pub/pwg/ipp/wd/wd-ippfwupdate-20240911-rev.pdf>
  - Section 4:
    - Drop "defined by the manufacturer" from first sentence.
    - Split out the rest as the first method "4.1 Client Managed Firmware Updates"
    - Adopt the subsections for each scenario, show either how the scenario is handled or not handled by IPP (either in this registration or another spec)
    - Mike: For completely autonomous updates, it is useful for the Printer to report when it has updated the firmware even if the Client has no control over the process
    - Make section and figure titles consistent (without "scenario" since we start each section with 'in this scenario')
    - Mike: Also add a subsection for the Client to query the availability of a firmware update without triggering?
    - Mike: From a model standpoint, you have the push (from client to printer) and the pull (printer from site/manufacturer) with some sort of printer policy for updates (automatic or wait for client to authorize) and the ability for the client to query the update status
  - Section 6.2:
    - "The Printer responds immediately and the Client monitors using Get-Printer-Attributes [STD92] or IPP Notifications [RFC3995]"
    - Move access rights to end of description
    - Also return printer status attributes in the response
    - Mike: Might be useful to just have a single "printer-firmware-update-time (dateTime | no-value)" Printer Status attribute to tell the client when the update will be installed
  - Consensus is that for this registration we will have a single firmware update image
    - Should say something in the introduction to section 4 that more complex scenarios (with multiple firmware images) are out of scope, etc.
  - Also out of scope: check schedule, auto-update schedule
  - Ira: Do we have what we need for notifications?
    - Mike: Yes, printer-state-changed event with the "firmware-update-available" printer-state-reasons keyword
  - Will continue discussion for model changes/diagrams on the IPP list
    - Smith will post the updated diagrams to the IPP list

## Next Steps / Open Actions

- Next conference calls on September 26 and October 10, 2024 at 3pm
- Talk about more "Strong Device Identity" at future (soon) concall, determine

requirements/use cases

- Action: Mike to post IPP/2.x 4th Edition draft for IPP WG last call ending September 26
- Action: Mike to publish WIFI registration and submit to IANA
- Action: Mike to work with Smith to ensure PNG and .strings file tests are possible with new ipptool (DONE, mostly yes)
- Action: Mike to file errata for 5100.7 to make Close-Job CONDITIONALLY REQUIRED (DONE)
- Action: Mike to start IPP WG last call of WIFI, ending September 12th (DONE)
- Action: Smith to file enhancement request against the ippreistry project for ipptool test generator (DONE)
- Action: Mike to update the IPP How-To Guide and post to IPP list for discussion (PENDING)
- Action: Paul to review existing 3D use cases and identify any gaps (PENDING)
- Action: Mike to update IPP Everywhere 2.0 test files (PENDING - started work on it)