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# Texas Association of School Boards

Created in 1949, a voluntary, nonprofit, statewide educational association that serves and represents local Texas school districts. TASB promotes educational excellence for Texas schoolchildren through advocacy, visionary leadership, and high quality services to school districts. We have 100% dues paying membership of Texas school boards, a \$35 million budget and a staff of over 400.

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Very healthy investment pool  
Highly successful online purchasing system  
Paperless meeting system  
Executive search service  
Daycare management services

Electric co-op purchasing  
HR services  
Risk management services  
Online school policy services  
10,000 attendee annual meeting

***Our biggest business challenge?***

***Those and more services and products are all  
under one roof at an organization run by  
and for 1044 member school boards***



# HiPath 4000 v2

*v4 3Q2008*

# Xpressions v5.4

*v5.5 2Q2008*

# ProCenter Enterprise v7

*upgrading 3Q2009*

# Siemens Maintenance

*adding Software Subscription 08/09*

*Primary network is converged voice/data with 1 cable to desktop.*



**99% staff have optiPoint 420 IP telephones**

Downtown office has P2P T1's connected to our network and also uses optiPoint 420

Remote/Home offices have **optiClient** available

DLS server keep IP telephones upgraded

TDMA optiPoint500 for Operators and Conference Rooms



Results? Siemens is a trusted and valued business partner.



# FUTURE

## **OpenScape...**

possibly replace Xpressions for most users

## **HiPath 8000...**

especially as part of our Business Continuity planning

**Mobility Server**

**SIP phones**

