

National Radio Astronomy Observatory

Charlottesville, Virginia

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To: VLBP Project Group

Meeting

From: H. Hvatum

Subject: Very Large Baseline Processor

We wish to formally establish a project called Very Large Baseline Processor (VLBP) in order to study, design and, hopefully, build a modern high speed VLB processor.

Here is a list of people I would like to participate in the VLBP project group:

Mike Balister	Rich Lacasse
John Benson	Bill Meredith
Bill Cotton	Art Shalloway
Ray Escoffier	✓ Craig Walker
Hein Hvatum	

We shall hold monthly review meetings, with the first meeting on 1981 June 23, 1500 EDT in the Ivy Road conference room. Green Bank (Rich Lacasse) and VLA (where Craig will be at that time) will be connected by telephone. The number to call is 203-797-9000.

I have set up a system of numbered memos in order to document the project properly. Cathy Burgess, Ivy Road, will issue numbers and distribute the memos to the project group. Please send a copy of everything you write to her for inclusion in the series. (I assume that all your writings regarding this project will be of lasting value.)

cc: M. Roberts
J. Thomas