

# Device Discovery & Registration (AMWA IS-04)

How AMWA IS-04 Simplifies Scalable Media Networks

# WHAT PROBLEM DOES IS-04 SOLVE?

- IP Routing Systems require the controller to have a management API relationship with each of the endpoint devices
- Finding the devices and establishing these API connections should be automated – particularly in a dynamic network where devices might be moved or reconfigured

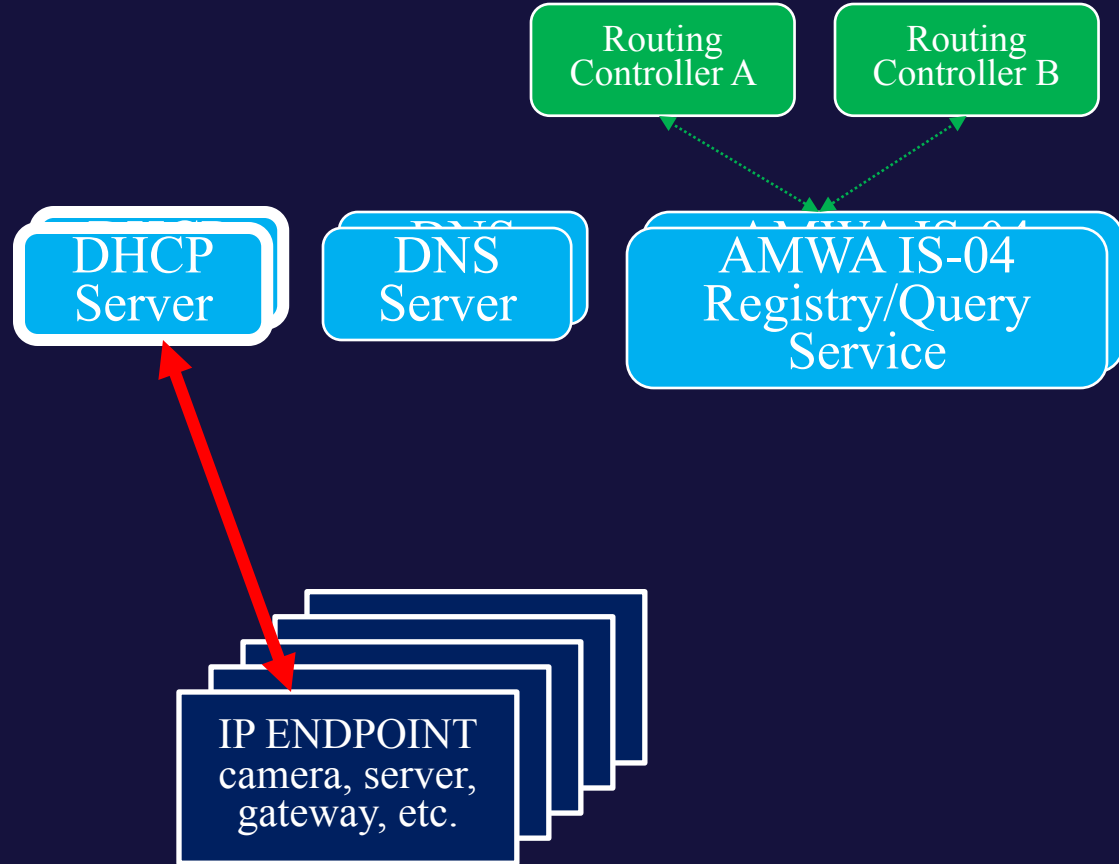


**How much of this configuration am I going to have to do by hand?**

**IS-04 → Endpoints Register Themselves**

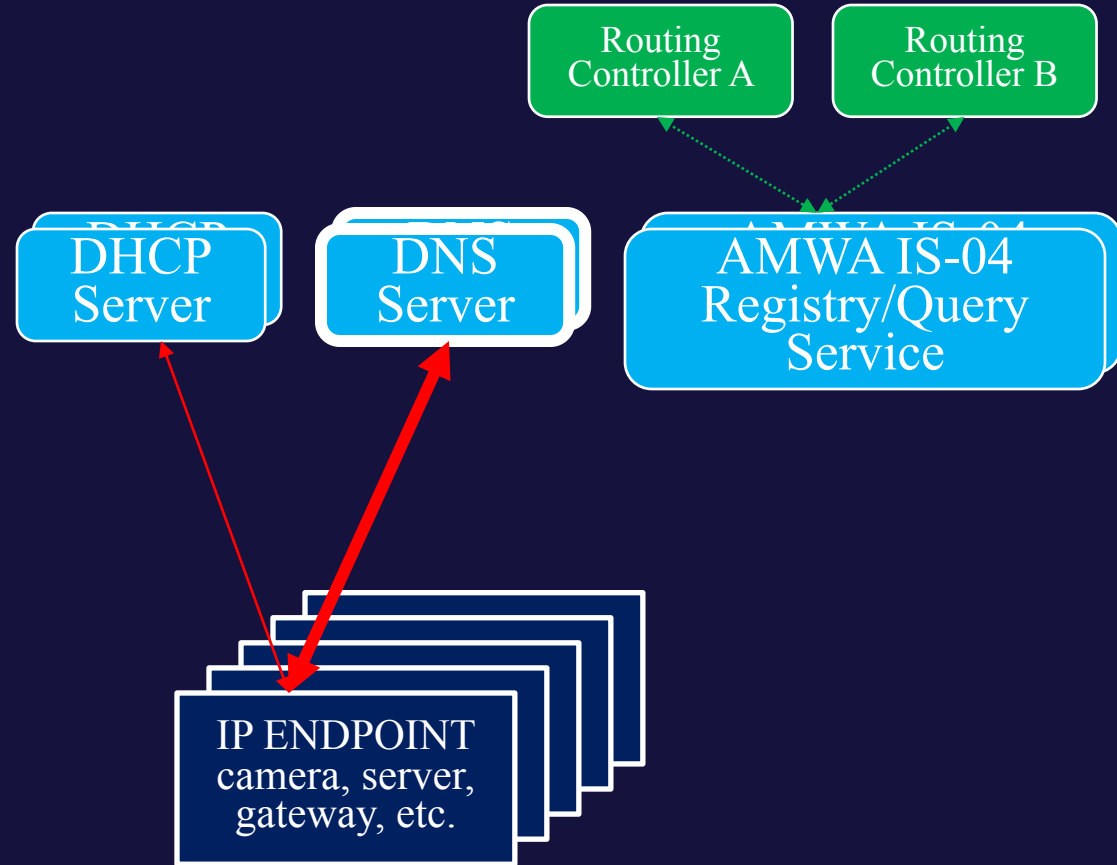
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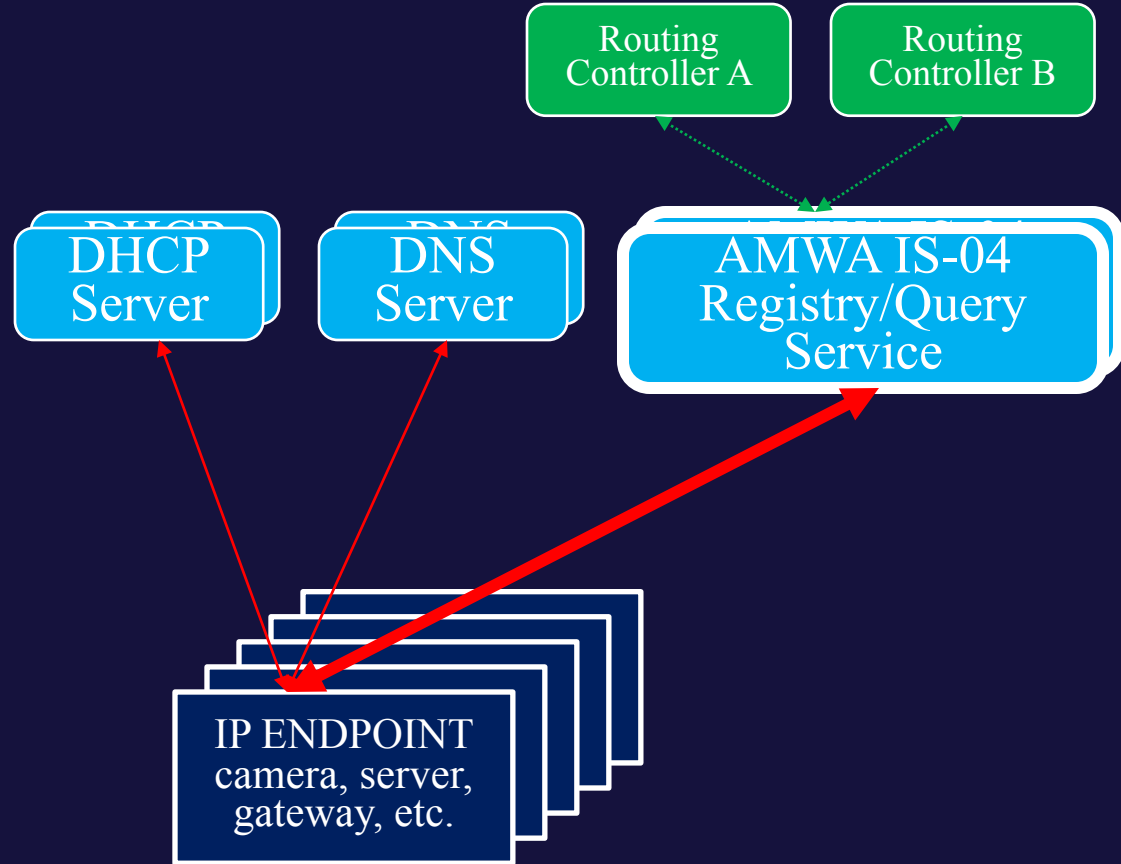
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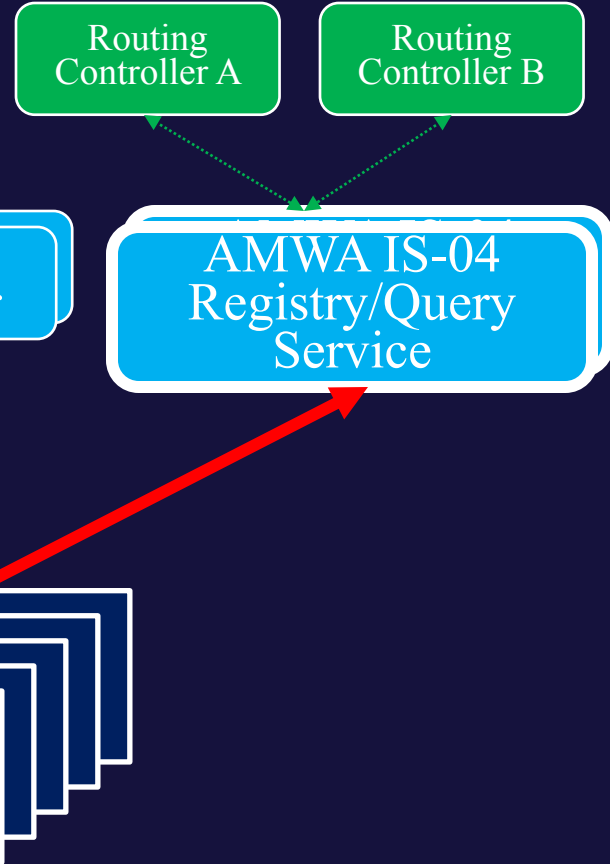
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**Controllers can query the registry to find devices and track changes**



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