



Chester County - Radio Committee Meeting

Date: 5/12/2021 - 3rd Meeting

Attended In Person: Britt Lineberger, Ben Grant, Barkley Ramsey, Doug McMurray, T. Melton

Not Available to attend: Anna Jagger and Willie Baxter

The following details are from the 3rd Radio Committee meeting held at EMA in preparation of switching to 800 MHZ Radio System/Palmetto Network.

Department Radio Totals

- Discussions held on various radios needed for each department in the county.
- The lists have been completed from each department. Some issues will need to be resolved on a few that are on EMS and Sheriff's Department that will need encryption.
- EMS will add 7 portable radio's for supervisors for a total of 28 mobiles and portables.
 - MUSC Chester will need to have a radio for communication with EMS units.
- Public Works is only asking for 3 mobiles.
- EMA Command center will need 6500 encrypted radios, one dual and 3 single
- All Radio lists have been uploaded into Teams.
- T will take all list and merge into a single spreadsheet
 - This will help ensure there are no duplicates due to cross agency staffing
 - Will add columns for models and Tier

Radio Types

- Tier 1 900/1000 -portable
- Tier 2 4000 – portable ; 4500 – mobile(only single)
- Tier 3 6000 – portable ; 6500 -single and dual mobile
- If engine doesn't currently have dual head, it will not get a dual head.
- DVR will have one in 640, 840, 1210, EMA vehicle and FC1/FC2.

Next Meeting

- Next meeting to be held on 6/16/2021 at the EMA building at 2:00 pm

Meeting ended at 3:30 PM