



# RADIO REPROGRAMMING

## INSTRUCTIONS FOR RADIO USERS:

### Fairfield Township Public Works Radio Users

#### UPGRADE TO RADIO SYSTEM

In early September, the BRICS 800MHz radio system will be upgraded and interconnected with the statewide MARCS-IP radio system. A July 16<sup>th</sup> letter to users explained this in further detail. If you haven't read it, visit:

<http://brics.butlersheriff.org/2014/07/16/letter-to-brics-radio-users/>

Your radios are being reprogrammed to prepare for this change. As far as your radio is concerned, on a September date (to be announced), the current radio system will turn off and a new system will be turned on. At that point, you'll be directed to switch to a different channel/talkgroup in your radio that will be new place to communicate on the upgraded system.

#### TEMPORARY TALKGROUPS

Temporarily, the talkgroups shown in orange are the only ones available to you on the current radio system.

**The FT PW talkgroups:** You will operate on one of these talkgroups as directed by your supervisors.

#### THE SWITCH IN SEPTEMBER

Future updates from us will communicate the details of our September transition to the upgraded radio system. If the appropriate person in your organization didn't receive our July 16<sup>th</sup> letter by email, let us know so they can be added to our distribution list.

**The 09-21 TWP talkgroups:** At the designated time, all radio users will begin using the talkgroups with a white background on the upgraded system. The 09-21 WIDE talkgroup replaces GOV 4.

	Zone A	Zone B	Zone C
1	09-9 CALL	09 EVNT 01	09 HELP
2	09-21 TWP2	09 EVNT 02	09 TALK
3	09-21 TWP3	09 EVNT 03	09-9 TRVL
4	09-21 WIDE	09 EVNT 04	09-21 WIDE
5	09-21 TWP5	09 MA 05	
6	09-21 TWP6	09 MA 06	
7	09-21 TWP7	09 MA 07	
8		09 MA 08	
9		09 MA 09	
10		09 MA 10	
11	SO PW MAIN	09 MA 11	
12	FT PW OPS5	09 MA 12	8 TAC 94D
13	FT PW OPS6	09 MA 13	8 TAC 93D
14		09 MA 14	8 TAC 92D
15	BC FD 210	09 MA 15	8 TAC 91D
16	BC PW 16	09 MA 16	8 CALL 90

After the upgrade, radios will be reprogrammed to remove the old, orange talkgroups.

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