District 2 and 12 Radio Zones

- The 800 mHz radio system has the capability to have 400+/talkgroups organized into 26 zones.
- Thankfully, we only have to worry about the following zones:
 - Alpha
 - Bravo
 - Charlie
 - Mike
- The following pages provide a brief description of these zones and information about the talkgroups within each zone.
- The most important talkgroups are highlighted in yellow.
- Keep in mind, the procedures for using these talkgroups is still being developed, so the following info may change.

Alpha Zone

- Most of our communications will use talkgroups from this zone.
- Dispatch will, to the best of their ability, keep incident communications on the Alpha Zone.

Talk Group	Purpose
1. Status	General purpose talk group appropriate for non-emergency or non- incident related traffic.
2. Dispatch	 Receive-only talkgroup for voice dispatch of units announces incidents for all districts
3. S Prim	District 2 & 12 default incident talkgroup, will be used for: Single Fire Response (brush or structure) Medical Calls (including MVAs) Residential Fire Alarms Hazmat Investigations (small/minor hazmat)
4. FD2 Adm OR FD12 Adm	 District specific administrative talkgroup Not monitored by dispatch Not accessible to other districts
5. LERN 8	Statewide law enforcement mutual aid
6. HEAR	VHF Ambulance to Hospital
7. Wrly Fir	Worley Fire, 700mHz
8. FNETTEKO	Tekoa, VHF
9. SRMA 3-8 10.SRMA 4-8	Full response brush fire talkgroups
11.F OPS11 12.F OPS12 13.F OPS13 14.F OPS14 15.F OPS15 16.F OPS16	Will be used for: • Full response structure fire • Extrication • Full response Hazmat

Bravo Zone

May be assigned as onscene tac channels if additional tac channels requested by command AND no channels available in Alpha Zone.

Charlie Zone

• VHF Talkgroups

Talk Group	Purpose
1. SRMA 1-V 2. SRMA 2-V 3. SRMA 3-V 4. SRMA 4-V	 Full response brush fire tac channels For use when responding with agencies that do not have digital radios Patched to SRMA 800 talkgroups in Alpha Zone
5. DNR AIR 6. DNR Common 7. DNR Cheney 8. DNR Deer Park	DNR Channels
9. LERN V	VHF statewide law enforcement mutual aid
10. V CALL 10	
11. V TAC11 12. V TAC12 13. V TAC13 14. V TAC14	 VHF Tactical Channels Available for simplex onscene communications Will work if no 800 mHz system coverage Not monitored by dispatch
15. V FIR24 16. V FIR25	
11.F OPS11 12.F OPS12 13.F OPS13 14.F OPS14 15.F OPS15 16.F OPS16	Will be used for: • Full response structure fire • Extrication • Full response Hazmat

Mike Zone

- Regional ops and tac talk groups appropriate for training and special events.
- Mike Zone talk group assignment:
 - First come, first served
 - Select a talk group from the Mike Zone
 - Advise dispatch that you would like to use that talk group
 - Dispatch will either approve use of that talk group or advise you to select a different talk group
 - Dispatch will keep track of the assigned Mike Zone talk groups to prevent districts doubling up
 - Mike Zone talk groups are not monitored