

# 11. FLEET MAP TALK GROUP DEFINITIONS, TALK AROUND USE FLEET MAP Version 4.2 10/13/2011

## TALK GROUP DEFINITIONS

<b>SYSTEM 1</b>	<b>EMS</b>	This system is for EMS Agency operations.
1-1	<b>EMS Dispatch</b>	Communications between dispatcher and EMS Units in the field Unit to unit communications are not permitted.
1-2	<b>EMS AMB to AMB</b>	Primary group for EMS field unit emergency operations.
1-3	<b>EMS OPS</b>	Secondary group for EMS field unit emergency operations
1-4	<b>EMS OPS</b>	Secondary group for EMS field unit emergency operations
1-5	<b>EMS OPS</b>	Secondary group for EMS field unit emergency operations
<b>SYSTEM 2, 3, 4 FIRE</b>	These 3 system are set up geographically for fire operations.	
<b>NORTH (2)</b>	<b>CENTRAL (3)</b>	<b>SOUTH (4)</b>
2-1, 3-1, 4-1	<b>FIRE DISPATCH</b>	Regional Talk Groups for communications between dispatcher and Fire units in the field. Unit to unit communications are not permitted.
2-2, 2-3, 2-4, 2-5	<b>NORTH OPS</b>	Operational groups for the North Region. Individual departments using North OPS may choose group for primary use based on mutual agreement.
3-2, 3-3, 3-4, 3-5	<b>CENTRAL OPS</b>	Operational groups for the Central Region. Individual departments using Central OPS may choose group for primary use based on mutual agreement.
4-2, 4-3, 4-4, 4-5	<b>SOUTH OPS</b>	Operational groups for the South Region. Individual departments using South OPS may choose group for primary use based on mutual agreement.
<b>SYSTEM 5 TALK AROUND (Not Trunked)</b>		
5-1	<b>ON SCENE</b>	For on-scene/fire ground communications.
5-2	<b>ON SCENE</b>	For on-scene/fire ground communications.
5-3	<b>ON SCENE</b>	For on-scene/fire ground communications.
5-4	<b>TRAFFIC CONTROL</b>	For Traffic Control operations
5-6	Conventional 800 Repeated	For Back up operations only(Future)
5-7	Conventional 800 Repeated	For Back up operations only (Future)
5-8	Fairbanks Repeater	For communications to ECC ONLY (Limited Installations)

Talk Around or On Scene Channels are radio to radio communications that are not dependant on the multi-net trunked network. The effective range, depending on local environment, is generally ¼ to ½ mile, line of sight. On Scene 1, 2 and 3 are designated for interior and/or fire ground communications, especially when operating in a hazardous environment. Traffic Control (5-4) is restricted to traffic control. For safety reasons, trunked talk groups are not to be used in hazardous interior situations. The Conventional 800 Repeated channels (5-6 and 5-7) are for back up use in the event of system trouble. These channels are planned for future use. Fairbanks Repeater (5-8) is

for back up use in the North Region only and installation is limited.. This channel does not permit field/field communications. It can only be used for Base/Mobile transmissions.

## **MULTI-SYSTEM TALK GROUPS**

**Systems 1, 2, 3, 4, 12**

- 6      **COUNTY OPS (NORTH)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 7      **COUNTY OPS (CENTRAL)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 8      **COUNTY OPS (SOUTH)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 9      **SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT** Countywide Operations when assigned. May have a dispatcher assigned.
- 10     **ADMINISTRATIVE/TRAFFIC CONTROL** For Non-Emergency official radio communications or Traffic Control requiring trunked system
- 11     **ON SCENE 5-1**
- 12     **ON SCENE 5-2**
- 13     **ON SCENE 5-3**
- 14     **TRAFFIC CONTROL 5-4**
- 15     **ALERT** Simulcast of 46.10 Home Alert
- 16     **COUNTYWIDE INTEROPERABILITY** Available in all user radios, when assigned by the dispatcher

**SYSTEM 6, 7, 8,9      RESERVED** for future use

**SYSTEM 10 EMERGENCY** Used by system to communicate emergency signal to Communications Center

**SYSTEM 11 COUNTY GOVERNMENT**

**SYSTEM 12**

**Town of East Greenbush (Secondary PSAP)**

- 12-1 East Greenbush Dispatch**  
Communications between East Greenbush Dispatch Center and East Greenbush units in the field
- 12-2 Best Luther FD OPS
- 12-3 Clinton Heights FD OPS
- 12-4 East Greenbush FD OPS
- 12-5 Bruen Rescue Squad EMS
- 12- 6 **COUNTY OPS (NORTH)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 12-7 **COUNTY OPS (CENTRAL)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 12-8 **COUNTY OPS (SOUTH)** For Mutual Aid operations when units from multiple zones are deployed
- 12-9 **SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT** Countywide Operations when assigned. May have a dispatcher assigned.
- 12-10 **ADMINISTRATIVE/TRAFFIC CONTROL**  
For Non-Emergency official radio communications or Traffic Control requiring trunked system
- 12-11 **ON SCENE 5-1** For on-scene/fire ground communications.
- 12-12 **ON SCENE 5-2** For on-scene/fire ground communications.
- 12-13 **ON SCENE 5-3** For on-scene/fire ground communications.
- 12-14 **TRAFFIC CONTROL 5-4** For Traffic Control operations
- 12- 15 **FIRE DISPATCH SOUTH 4-1**
- 12-16 **COUNTYWIDE**

**SYSTEM 13****LAW ENFORCEMENT** Reserved for future use by Law Enforcement**SYSTEM 14 POLICE DISPATCH**

Communications between police dispatch centers and Fire or EMS Units in the field.

14-1	East Greenbush Dispatch
14-2	Nassau PD
14-3	North Greenbush PD
14-4	Schodack PD
14-5	Rensselaer PD
14-6	County OPS
14-7	County OPS
14-8	County OPS
14-9	Special Assignment
14-10	Administrative/Traffic Control
14-11	5-1 On Scene
14-12	5-2 On Scene
14-13	5-3 One Scene
14-14	5-4 Traffic Control
14-15	
14-16	Countywide Interoperability

**SYSTEM 15 Bureau of Public Safety**

15-1	Fire Investigation
15-2	Haz-Mat/Decon
15-3	Bureau-Dispatch
15-4	Bureau Management
15-5	Bureau Staff
15-6	Bureau Coordinators
15-7	Emergency Management
15-8	Rensselaer County Search and Rescue
15-9	Battalion Coordinators
15-10	EMS Coordinators
15-11	5-1 On Scene
15-12	5-2 On Scene
15-13	5-3 On Scene
15-14	5-4 Traffic Control
15-15	
15-16	Countywide Interoperability

**SYSTEM 16**

**INTEROPERABILITY (NOT REPEATED)** These channels are restricted to operations where out-of-county units are operating in the county that have interoperability capability or when County Units respond out of the county. 8 Call 90 is used for communications to dispatch. This channel is for future use. 8 Call 91 to 8 Call 93 are for field interoperability with out of county units utilizing 800 MHz equipment.

16-1	8 Call 90
16-2	8 Tac 91
16-3	8 Tac 92
16-4	8 Tac 93