

# Hiawatha Fire & Rescue

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## **Radio Usage Policy**

Purpose – to establish a guideline for the use of radios at an emergency scene.

### I. Radios -

- A. Portable Radios – All Fireground Sector Leaders shall obtain a portable radio and have the radios turned to the appropriate frequency. As many Firefighters as possible are to carry radios.
- B. Apparatus Radios- all pump Operators, Tankers, and Command Post Radios are to be turned to the appropriate frequency as directed by the Incident Commander.

II. Communications – all radio communications shall be brief, concise, and thorough.