

What Are the Hybrid Channels For? PS1LAW1, PS2FIRE1

The hybrid channels match up with a respective talkgroup and are designed to provide coverage in the far northern and far southern areas of the county. (i.e. IOLAW1 & PS1LAW1 interface with each other). In other words you will hear what is going on in the corresponding talkgroup and you will talk into that talkgroup.

These channels will be especially important when using portable radios to speak with dispatch or other incoming units.

Why did we do this? MONEY! We simply did not have the funds to make all sites digital trunking. However, we now have a system that is using current technology and can justify spending dollars on enhancements in the future.

As it stands the system has met its coverage goal. Users of the system need to take the time to learn how to use it. We continue to work out some bugs as well. If you suspect a problem with the system please notify dispatch so it can be addressed immediately.