



STATE OF MICHIGAN
DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
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Chairman Joseph Turner
Michigan Public Safety Frequency Advisory Committee

Dear Mr. Turner,

Re: Applications for modifications of MPSCS site licenses.

The Communications Division of the Michigan Department of Information Technology (MDIT) represents the Michigan Public Safety Communications System (MPSCS), and the Michigan Department of State Police (MSP) in matters relating to FCC licenses.

The Communications Division is submitting seven applications for modification of existing MPSCS site licenses. These applications add additional channels to the statewide trunked radio system at specific sites.

In analyzing recent traffic data for these sites, we find that they are heavily used and require additional capacity to insure an appropriate grade of service for public safety agencies in their areas. The additional channels will provide that capacity.

We are also making some minor changes on these licenses where necessary to bring them up to date regarding control point location, associated call signs, and contact information.

Attached is a summary indicating the license modifications requested for each site.

We ask the committee to review these applications at the next scheduled committee meeting and provide letters of approval.

We would like to proceed as expeditiously as possible as we need to place these additional facilities in service before the summer tourist season is upon us.

Regards,

Al Nowakowski
Telecommunications Engineer
Michigan Department of Information Technology

Summary of License Modifications

Site - Site ID - Callsign	Add channel	Change control pt data	Other
Grayling - 7506 – WPQD346	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹
Manton – 7603 – WPQD342	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹
Rapid City – 7905 – WPQD378	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹
Cheboygan – 7202 – WPQD541	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹
Gaylord – 7302 – WPQD553	Yes	Yes	Yes ¹
Marquette – 8108 – WPUX249	Yes		
Escanaba – 8505 – WPUX220	Yes	Yes	Yes ²

1. Adding associated call sign(s) for mobiles and control stations.
2. Minor changes in contact information.