

MPSCS Bulletin # 2020 - 09

The MPSCS in conjunction with Motorola Solutions Inc (MSI) will be integrating the Kent County Simulcast. This work will require approximately 4 hours of total downtime at each of the below RF sites. Surrounding sites will provide coverage for mobile subscribers while portable subscribers will experience limited coverage.

To allow for issues such as system usage, dispatch emergencies, and weather events (fading), the window for completing this work is scheduled as follows:

6104 (Cannonsburg) 7AM (0700) to 3PM (1500) on 12/1/2020

6106 (Belknap) 7AM (0700) to 3PM (1500) on 12/2/2020

6102 (Cedar Springs) 7AM (0700) to 3PM (1500) on 12/3/2020

Dispatch centers are encouraged to review their backup plans and have them in place prior to the outage event.

Please share this information with your staff and users of the system to minimize disruptions to your organizations.

If you have an active emergency prior to the scheduled outage time at a tower site, please contact the NCC and request they temporarily delay until the emergency has stabilized. If the site outage has started, the site will not return to wide trunking until the work has completed.

The MPSCS NCC may be contacted at (888) 554-4622 or (517) 333-5050 if you have a question regarding the operation of the MPSCS or need assistance preparing for this event.