

# Radio Communications with Butler County

during their MARCS IP Cutover and until your radios receive the new Butler County talkgroups

## When mutual aiding into Butler County, switch to MATAc 11 (Zone D Position 11)

If the incident grows, Incident Command will first assign MATAc 12, then MATAc 1 and 2.

Programming order for getting Warren County radios compatible with Butler County MARCS IP:

1. Warren Co. agencies that border Butler Co and regularly mutual aid for them
2. APX portables
3. XTS portables
4. Mobiles

BC Zone 1	BC Zone 2
09 CALL	09 EVNT 01
09 TALK	09 EVNT 02
09 FD INFO	09 EVNT 03
09 EVNT 04	09 EVNT 04
09 FIRE 05	09 MA 05
09 FIRE 06	09 MA 06
09 FIRE 07	09 MA 07
09 FIRE 08	09 MA 08
09 FIRE 09	09 MA 09
09 FIRE 10	09 MA 10
09 FIRE 11	09 MA 11
09 FIRE 12	09 MA 12
09 FIRE 13	09 MA 13
09 FIRE 14	09 MA 14
09 FIRE 15	09 MA 15
09 FIRE 16	09 MA 16



Once your agency has the new Butler County MARCS IP talkgroups, you can begin mutual aiding on their directed talkgroup. Notice former talkgroups 'BC FG' are now '09 FIRE' and 'BC MA' are now '09 MA'.

MATAcs are a regional set of talkgroups that all neighboring Counties will program into their radios as they join MARCS IP. It's an alternative to programming each other's systems into our radios, adding endless zones of talkgroups. As of October 2014, MATAcs are operational between Butler, Warren, and Greene Counties, with the remaining bordering Counties coming on board in the next 2 years.