

**MADISON COUNTY FISCAL COURT  
MADISON COUNTY, KY  
RESOLUTION 2025-132**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MADISON COUNTY FISCAL COURT RATIFYING THE  
RECOMMENDED P25 RADIO USAGE GUIDELINES FOR ALL PARTICIPATING  
AGENCIES AS SUBMITTED BY THE PUBLIC SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD**

**WHEREAS**, Madison County is committed to ensuring the highest standards of public safety communication, interoperability, and operational readiness across all departments and partner agencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the Madison County Public Safety Advisory Board has conducted a thorough review of current radio operations and has recommended standardized countywide joint P25 radio usage guidelines to enhance communication efficiency, reliability, and interagency coordination; and

**WHEREAS**, these guidelines are intended to support consistent radio procedures, promote effective incident response, and ensure that all agencies operating on the Madison County public safety radio system maintain compliance with established best practices and Federal guidelines as the system was purchased through the Federal CSEP Program; and

**WHEREAS**, each participating agency is responsible for the maintenance, upkeep, and proper functioning of its own radio equipment, and for ensuring that its personnel follow all local, state, and federal laws, rules, and operational standards as outlined in the Madison County radio system agreement and acknowledgement forms; and

**WHEREAS**, the Madison County Fiscal Court recognizes that adopting uniform P25 radio usage guidelines is essential to maintaining an integrated and dependable communications network for first responders and public safety partners; and

**WHEREAS**, the Madison County Fiscal Court finds that the recommended guidelines reflect the needs of Madison County's emergency services community and support the County's ongoing commitment to public safety excellence.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE FISCAL COURT OF MADISON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, AS FOLLOWS:**

1. The Madison County Fiscal Court hereby ratifies and adopts the P25 Radio Usage Guidelines as recommended by the Public Safety Advisory Board.
2. All Madison County departments, partner agencies, and authorized users of the Madison County public safety radio system shall follow the adopted guidelines to ensure consistent, safe, and effective communication.
3. Each participating agency shall remain responsible for the maintenance, service, and operational readiness of its individual radio equipment and for ensuring compliance with all applicable local, state, and federal laws, regulations, and system standards, including those acknowledged in the Madison County radio system agreement and acknowledgement forms.
4. The Madison County Judge/Executive, or their designee, is authorized to implement, distribute, and enforce these guidelines in coordination with the Public Safety Advisory

Board, the Madison County Emergency Management Agency, and the Madison County Emergency Communications Center.

5. This Resolution shall become effective upon passage and adoption by the Madison County Fiscal Court.

Motion made by Hughes, seconded by Carroll.

| Vote:                          | YES      | NO            | ABSTAIN       |
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| Magistrate James Brian Combs   | <u>✓</u> | <u>      </u> | <u>      </u> |
| Magistrate Stephen Lochmueller | <u>✓</u> | <u>      </u> | <u>      </u> |
| Magistrate Billy Ray Hughes    | <u>✓</u> | <u>      </u> | <u>      </u> |
| Magistrate Tom Botkin          | <u>✓</u> | <u>      </u> | <u>      </u> |
| Judge/Executive Reagan Taylor  | <u>✓</u> | <u>      </u> | <u>      </u> |

**Signed:**

Reagan Taylor  
Madison County Judge/Executive

12-16-2025  
Date

**Attested:**

Kenny Barger  
Madison County Clerk

12-16-2025  
Date