

How to Join a Neighborhood Radio Watch and Get a GMRS Radio

1. Get a GMRS license. (See Attachment 1)
2. Identify your contact person (See Attachment 2)
3. Send information to your contact person. (See Attachment 3)

1: Getting a GMRS license

Click on the link and follow the steps below:

<https://www.fcc.gov/wireless/universal-licensing-system?job=home>

Step 1: Click on “New User Registration”

Step 2: Click on “Register”

Step 3: Click on “An Individual,” then click “Continue”

Step 4: Fill out the form. Remember your password for later. Then click “Submit”

Step 5: Now you can see your FRN number. Write it down and print the page.

Step 6: Click the link in blue above this list of steps that you clicked on before. Click “File Online”

Step 7: Type in your FRN Number and Password and click “Submit”

Step 8: Click on “Apply for a New License”

Step 9: Click on the “v” symbol to see the pull-down menu. Click on the last choice in the list “ZA - General Mobile Radio (GMRS)”

Step 10: Click on “Continue”

Step 11: Click on “No” for all answers. Then click on “Continue”

Step 12: Fill out the page. Then click “Continue”

Step 13: Use pull-down menu to answer questions. Then click “Continue”

Step 14: Check that all information is correct. Click on “Continue to Certify”

Step 15: Fill in your name. Be sure to spell it the same way you did in other parts of the application. Then click “SUBMIT APPLICATION”

Step 16: Print out the Confirmation page. Click on “Continue for Payment Options”

Step 17: Fill in “Payer FRN” and “Password.” Then click on “Log In”

Step 18: Fill in the information. Then click “Continue”

Step 19: Click on “Authorize,” and click “Continue”

Step 20: Print out your receipt. You are done.

You should receive notice of your GMRS license by email in about 2 days.

Attachment 2: Identify Your Contact Person

- 1st Column: shows the neighborhoods grouped under each NRW. For instance, if you live in Camino, the name of your NRW is the Pollock Pines Neighborhood Radio Watch.
- 2nd column: lists the names of persons who program and sell radios in your NRW. The name in a field of blue is your contact person.
- 3rd column: lists the email addresses of the programmers. Use the email address of your contact person to join your NRW and apply for a radio.

1st Column Communities Grouped as One NRW	2nd Column Programmers	3rd Column Email Addresses
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POLLOCK PINES: Camino, Rancho del Sol, Sierra	J. R. Star	jrstar@comcast.net
Springs, GoldRidge Forest, Forebay, Newtown	Gary Boal	garyboal@att.net
Rd Area, Sly Park Hills, *Parts of Pleasant Valley	Mike Summersille	sumersillem@gmail.com

OAK HILL: Nashville Trail, Logtown, West Side of Sand	Steve Gregorich	edcarcradios@icloud.com
Ridge, *Parts of Diamond Springs, *Parts of Pleasant		
Valley, *Parts of El Dorado, *Parts of Quarry Area		

PLACERVILLE: Texas Hill, Apple Hill, Cedar Ravine	Matthew Silveira	msilveira@objectivebusiness.us
	Jeremy Dean	w6tkd@w6tkd.com
	Alan Thompson	Alan.W6WN@Gmail.com

COSUMNES RIVER: Mt. Aukum, Fairplay, Grizzly Flats,	Colton Meyer	coltonwmeyer@gmail.com
Somerset, Omo Ranch, Tyler's Corner, Outingdale,		
East Side of Sand Ridge,		

COLOMA/LOTUS: Luneman, Gold Hill, Garden Valley,	Bob Hess	rphess@gmail.com
Aerobee		

<p><i>*In-house testing will determine which signal will work best when a community is covered partly by one repeater antenna and partly by another. Contact a programmer to set up a test.</i></p>	<p><i>Blue field indicates contact person for each NRW</i></p>
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Question? Email one of the programmers.

Attachment 3: Send Information to Your Contact Person

Your first and last name _____

Email address _____

Street address _____

City & Zip _____

Phone number _____

GMRS Call Sign (it came with your license) _____

Questions? Email your contact person named in Attachment 2.