

Commonwealth of Massachusetts County of Dukes County Office of the Sheriff L. O. Box 252 Edgartown, Massachusetts 02539



Attn: Chilmark Selectmen

On behalf of the Martha's Vineyard Public Safety Communications Committee (MVPSCC), we are requesting permission to install equipment at the United States Coast Guard (USCG) Peaked Hill tower site. The purpose of this system is to provide hand held radio coverage for Chilmark and Aquinnah. It will serve as a tactical operations channel for police, fire, and ems aiding communications for large scale or pre-planned events. This system will be interlinked with stations in Edgartown, Tisbury and the regional 911 center.

The equipment to be installed includes a VHF repeater, filters, lightning protection, and additional antenna on the lower platform of the tower. This will be installed by Industrial Communications and maintained thereafter by Dukes County Sheriff's Office (DCSO). Funding for this project is provided by a mutual agreement between Oak Bluffs, Edgartown and DCSO. No cost will be incurred by either Chilmark or Aquinnah.

With your permission and USCG approval, we would like to install the associated equipment on the county provided rack in the shelter on site. Below is my contact information if you have any additional questions. We appreciate your time and consideration in this endeavor and look forward to your response.

Sincerely,

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