



**South Polk County**  
Volunteer Fire Department

To: Polk County Sheriff's Office (PCSO)

From: South Polk County Volunteer Fire Department (SPCVFD)

RE: Memo of Understanding (MOU)

This MOU is between the PCSO and the SPCVFD for the joint use of existing two way radio equipment that the PCSO has currently installed at the SHECO radio tower site near RYE, TX and the new upgraded radio equipment the SPCVFD will install upon execution of this MOU. The SPCVFD has purchased a high end antenna combining system to allow for use of the current PCSO voting receiver system, and the SPCVFD's new VHF repeater system on the existing heliastix cable, tower mounted antenna, and mounting area used and/ or owned by PCSO.

This MOU is to ensure that the SPCVFD's new equipment will in no way degrade the performance of the current PCSO radio system and upon notification of any decreased performance the SPCVFD will remedy the issue at their expense or discontinue the use of the system. It is expected that the new combining system will greatly enhance the current PCSO radio system and perform very well for the SPCVFD. Maintenance and repairs of the system when required will be performed at times that are mutually agreed to by SHECO, PCSO and SPCVFD at the expense of SPCVFD.

This MOU is also an agreement that if the SPCVFD disbands and does not remove said equipment the PCSO will become the owner of all the equipment at this site.

Richard D. Dutton                      04/23/13  
SPCVFD    Date

Kenneth Hamner                      4/23/13  
PCSO    Date

John P. Steus  
Approved by the Polk County Commissioners Court  
April 23, 2013

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