

# Charlestown Amateur Radio Club

October 10, 2023

Groups and Clubs Expo

September 15, 2023



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# HAM RADIO OFFICE

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# Ham Radio Office Update

- Coax fittings installed
- Meeting with Kevin Crawford and Chris Caldwell on September 28th to discuss coax pull and antenna installation
- Coax pull took place on October 9<sup>th</sup>
- VHF/UHF antenna installation tentatively scheduled for tomorrow AM
- Erickson agreed to cover:
  - cost of fasteners needed to install HF antenna box and antenna rope cleat
  - affix coax to wall in HRO, cut hole for coax in upper shelf
- Still working on access to the room – installation of combination lock has been proposed - can call Security for access in the meantime

























# Ham Radio Office Policies and Procedures Review – Issues Covered

- Access to HRO
- Status of antennas and power supplies when radios not in use
- Procedures for use of radio equipment (will likely need updating once equipment is installed)
- Orientation on radio use
- Call sign/control operator use
- Neighbors/housekeeping



# Maryland Command Unit Rally

- Friday, October 6
- Howard County Public Safety Training Center
- Communications and Command vehicles from the mid-Atlantic region
- Static displays and communications exercise
- Amateur radio included in at least one of the units









RADIO EQUIPMENT





HAM RADIOS











# November Meeting

- I'm out of town – Will we meet?