

Public Safety Entity definition – MARRS

Police Departments – Federal, State, County, local, railroad police departments, or courts authorized by a political subdivision, that duties include investigating criminal activity and employing certified law enforcement officers with arrest powers or serving civil process. This includes civilian employees of law enforcement agencies.

Law Enforcement Officer – any public servant having both the power and duty to make arrests for violations of any ordinance or law of the state, and any federal law enforcement officer authorized to carry firearms and to make arrests for violations of the laws of the United States.

Fire Department – Federal, State, County, local entities, or Fire Districts, that are authorized by a political subdivision, who employ fire fighters with the main purpose of fire suppression, emergency rescue, or emergency medical response.

Emergency Medical Service - Federal, State, County, local entities, or Ambulance Districts, that are authorized by a political subdivision, who employ paramedics and/or emergency medical technicians, with the main purpose of emergency medical response, emergency rescue, or patient transport.

Local Government – Employees of political subdivisions that are authorized to use MARRS encrypted radios.