

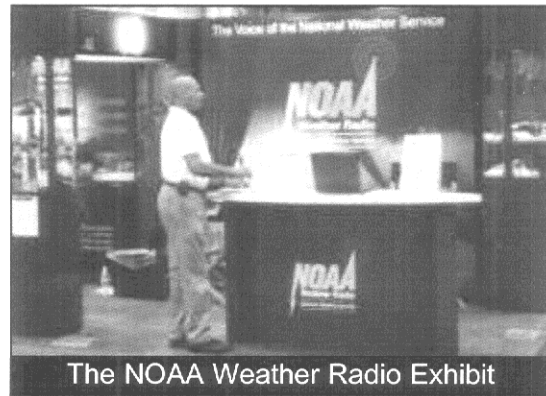
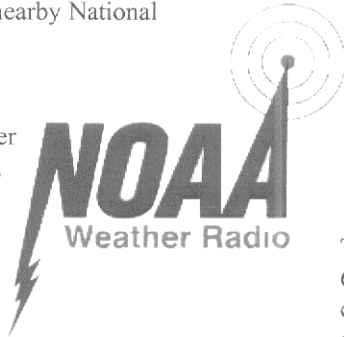
Use NOAA Weather Radio!

NOAA Weather Radio is the best way to receive warnings from the National Weather Service. NOAA Weather Radio is a nationwide network of radio stations broadcasting continuous weather information direct from a nearby National Weather Service office.

NOAA Weather Radio broadcasts National Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts, and other hazard information 24-hours a day. The average reception range is a 40-mile radius from the transmitter, depending on topography. Be aware of the potential for flooding before the heavy rainfall begins by listening to NOAA Weather Radio.

Purchase a NOAA Weather Radio that has a battery back-up, a Specific Area Message Encoder (SAME) feature, which automatically alerts you when a Watch or Warning is issued for your county or parish, and one that can receive all seven NOAA Weather Radio frequencies.

NOAA Weather Radio can also broadcast post-event information for all types of hazards - both natural (earthquakes, hurricanes and volcanos) and environmental (chemical or oil spills). Known as the "Voice of the National Weather Service," NOAA Weather Radio is provided as a public service by the Department of Commerce's NOAA.



The NOAA Weather Radio Exhibit

The NOAA Weather Radio network has more than 650 transmitters, covering the 50 states, adjacent coastal waters, Puerto Rico, the U.S. Virgin Islands, and the U.S. Pacific Territories. NOAA Weather Radio requires a special radio receiver or scanner capable of receiving the signal. Broadcasts are found in the public service band at these seven frequencies (MHz): 162.400, 162.425, 162.450, 162.475, 162.500, 162.525, 162.550 (also known as channels 1 through 7).

NOAA Weather Radio requires a special radio receiver or scanner capable of picking up the signal. These receivers can be purchased at retail electronic and sporting good stores.

NOAA Weather Radio Bands:

| Channel | Frequencies (MHz) |
|---------|-------------------|
| 1 | 162.400 |
| 2 | 162.425 |
| 3 | 162.450 |
| 4 | 162.475 |
| 5 | 162.500 |
| 6 | 162.525 |
| 7 | 162.550 |

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