

Part 5
Bureau of Communications

53-10-501 Bureau of Communications -- Creation -- Bureau Chief appointment, qualifications, and compensation.

- (1) There is created within the division the Bureau of Communications.
- (2) The bureau shall be managed by a bureau chief selected by the division director, with the approval of the commissioner.
- (3) The bureau chief should be experienced in communications and administration, and possess additional qualifications as determined by the commissioner or division director and as provided by law.
- (4) The bureau chief acts under the supervision and control of the division director.

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53-10-502 Bureau duties.

The bureau:

- (1) maintains dispatch and communications services for regional public safety consolidated communications centers;
- (2) provides facilities and acts as a public safety answering point to answer and respond to 911 calls from a region;
- (3) provides professional emergency dispatch and communications support for law enforcement, emergency medical, fire suppression, highway maintenance, public works, and public safety agencies representing municipal, county, state, and federal governments; and
- (4) coordinates incident response.

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