Ham Radio use of DMR

DMR is nothing like Analog or HF

It is closer to D-Star/Fusion and moving to a new Reflector on the same Frequency

- 1. You require a <u>DMR ID number</u>
- 2. You need a Windows PC to run the Software (CPS)
- 3. You need a Windows PC to update Firmware
- 4. You need a Codeplug and you will have to edit it
- 5. You will need to know what Talk Groups or Reflectors you wish to Talk On
- 6. Talk Groups can be added as channels in the codeplug
- 7. Channels need to be added to a zone
- 8. You will need to know what Time Slot is to be used. Slot 1 or Slot 2
- 9. You will need to know what Network you will be on. <u>Brandmeister</u> or <u>Phoenix</u>
- 10. Brandmeister and Phoenix have different Talk Groups and Reflectors
- 11. Will you be using a Repeater or Hotspot
- 12. Repeaters and Hotspots can be 100% different in how you use
- 13. Hotspot you will have to learn how they work and set up
- 14. You will have to do your homework on all of the above

DO NOT buy a DMR Radio unless you know what your doing. No such thing as a plug and play DMR Radio or Hotspot