

Amateur radio support consists of locating the lead and last entrants, providing backup comms for the water table volunteer teams, and reporting any incidents along the course.

Most positions can hit the W1AW two-meter repeater with a decent handheld and an aftermarket antenna. (Baofeng with an OEM antenna won't cut it).

The Net Control at the Library parking lot usually also monitors a simplex frequency as backup.

The race course is a loop and the max distance from net control is just a few miles.