

Pendleton **NOAA Weather Radio**

NOAA Weather Radio station WXL–95 provides continuous weather information and forecasts for Northeast Oregon and Extreme Southeast Washington. Counties in the broadcast area include Morrow, Umatilla,-Union, Baker, Wallowa, and Walla Walla.

The broadcast originates from NOAA's National Weather Service (NWS) in Pendleton and transmits from Spout Springs, Oregon on a frequency of 162.400 MHz. Continuous updates are provided.

Any radio with the weather frequency can receive the broadcast, though reception quality will depend upon terrain and distance from the transmitter. Specially built weather radios have the ability to alert you when the NWS issues a weather warning. Weather radios are sold_ at electronic stores and many discount and department stores. A list of weather radio manufacturers can befound at http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr

WXL-95 is part of a nationwide network of NOAA Weather Radio transmitters. A portable or vehicle installed weather radio will allow you to receive weather updates on one of these seven frequencies while traveling.

162.400 MHz 162.425 MHz 162.450 MHz 162.475 MHz 162.500 MHz 162.525 MHz 162.550 MHz



Programming on NOAA Weather Radio Station WXL – 95 includes

Severe weather watches, warnings, and special weather statements when needed.

Hydrologic statements such as flash flood warnings and watches when needed.

Forecasts for the Blue Mountains and Foothills, Grande Ronde Valley, Baker County and Wallowa County.

Extended forecast up to 7 days for Eastern Oregon.

Outlook up to 14 days.

Hourly regional weather reports.

Climate and statistical data.

Non-weather emergency information when needed.

During potentially dangerous weather events, NOAA Weather Radio programing may be interrupted to issue warnings. If your weather radio alert receiver is in a standby position it should automatically alarm to inform you of warnings. NOAA Weather Radio is an important part of the Emergency Alert System (EAS).

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