



Goldendale NOAA Weather Radio

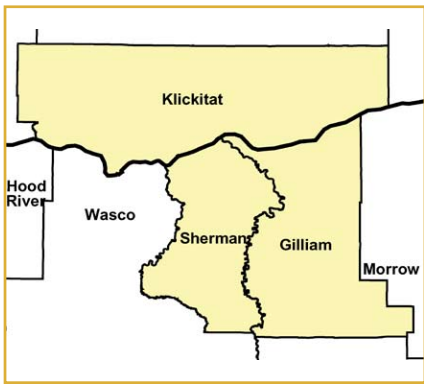
NOAA Weather Radio (NWR) station WNG-566 provides weather information and forecasts for the Eastern Columbia Gorge and North Central Oregon. Counties in the broadcast area include Klickitat in Washington and Sherman and Gilliam in Oregon.

Goldendale NWR is a cooperative effort between NOAA's National Weather Service (NWS), Rural Oregon Wireless TV, the State of Washington and Gilliam and Sherman Counties in Oregon. The broadcast originates from the National Weather Service (NWS) in Pendleton and transmits on a frequency of 162.525 MHz from Goodnoe Hills, Washington.

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 be found at <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr>

WNG-566 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 WNG – 566 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 Columbia Gorge, the Northern Oregon Cascades, North Central Oregon and the East Slopes of the Southern Washington Cascades.
- Extended forecast up to 7 days.
- Outlook up to 14 days.
- Hourly regional weather reports.
- Climate and statistical data.
- Non-weather emergency information when needed.

Updates are provided whenever they are available. During potentially dangerous weather events, NOAA Weather Radio programming 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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