

# **NE II Volleyball Officials Association**

**Radio Headset Program**

# Why is the association doing this?

- To harness technology to improve officiating

# How did this all start?

- A situation in a match where R2 was struggling to address a rotation/service order problem
- R1 had to leave their position to go the scorer's table to resolve the teams' concerns

# Midland LXT600BB Radio set

**\$79.99**



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# How might they help?

1. On court communication in real time

1. Continue the training program with less experienced officials

# Headsets

- 87 members requested a headset
- Using the headsets will take some getting used to.
- With regular use it will probably take 4-6 matches to start to feel comfortable.

# Headsets (cont'd.)

- Headset does not replace signals or mechanics
- Executive council, training committee, and mechanics committee will be working to develop standards for communication
- No one is required to use or purchase the radios

# Headsets (cont'd.)

- Questions?
- Concerns?