

# **Safety Committee's Study to Upgrade LWC Internal Communication System (ICS)**

In keeping with the Safety Committee's mission to help our residents and our community prepare for and manage emergency situations, we are developing a proposal to the Board asking it to approve the use of the "Crow's Nest" on the 3rd floor of the Rec Center as the LWC Communication Center, and to provide funds to upgrade the communication equipment of the LWC Internal Communication System (ICS). We have thoroughly researched two-way radio equipment suitable for our community, conducted a series of tests to determine what

system will be most effective in reaching residents in all areas of LWC, and consulted with the City of Depoe Bay's Emergency Operation Center (EOC) to determine compatibility with their communication system. **Our thanks to the members of the communication team: Bill Albright, Michael Tomlinson, Randy Kollars, John Bingham and Rod Scher.**