

Perfect Storm Exercise Information Sheet



Meeting Agenda

KPH



President's Corner

KPH Videos





Bolinas Transmitter Site KPH



Bob, Mark, Paul





THIS STATION WAS DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED
BY THE

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

THE 200 KW HIGHER FREQUENCY ALEXANDERSON GENERATING
EQUIPMENT WAS MANUFACTURED AND INSTALLED
BY THE GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY

THE GENERAL ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION WORK
WAS PERFORMED BY THE
J.G. WHITE ENGINEERING CORPORATION

1920

1920









Paul, Mark

MARITIME RADIO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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A Visit To Marine Station KPH

A group of our members trekked out to Point Reyes to visit the ship to shore marine radio station KPH, the staff at KPH spent a good deal of time with us explaining the history of the station and its purpose of passing and receiving messages from ships at sea. The photos below tell a small story of our visit at the receiving station. Two members went on to visit the transmitting site in Bolinas and later joined up with us, many of their pictures will also be posted soon. Another opportunity was to use a straight key to send a Morse code signal on the Amateur CW Bands to other Amateurs who would be listening.







RCA



1985

The Last Decade of Western
The formation of MCI was a result of a series of events that began in 1980 when Robert G. Allen, a former AT&T executive, left the company to start a new venture. Allen had been instrumental in the development of the Bell System's long-distance network and had a vision of a more competitive and customer-oriented telecommunications industry.
In 1981, Allen and a group of investors formed MCI Telecommunications Corporation. The company's initial focus was on providing long-distance services, but it quickly expanded into other areas of the telecommunications industry.
By 1985, MCI had established a strong presence in the market and was competing with established players like AT&T and Western Union. However, the company's growth was hampered by a combination of factors, including regulatory challenges and intense competition.
In 1986, MCI announced a strategic partnership with Western Union, which was a significant move for the company. This partnership allowed MCI to leverage Western Union's extensive network and resources, but it also raised questions about the company's independence and long-term prospects.
By 1987, MCI's financial situation had deteriorated significantly, and the company was facing a crisis of confidence. In 1988, MCI filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy protection, marking the end of its independent existence.
The formation of MCI was a bold and ambitious venture, but it ultimately failed due to a combination of factors, including regulatory challenges, intense competition, and a lack of sufficient capital. The company's story is a cautionary tale for entrepreneurs and investors alike, highlighting the importance of thorough planning and execution in the telecommunications industry.



1988



1996



1997







Pictured above from left to right Dee and her traveling pup, Mike, Berry, Walt, Mike G. Lin

Visit Cont



Steve and Kristen



Chuck and Donna say Hi!



Jack at work taking the minutes



Al and Nancy



Cheryl and Barry



Dave and Helen





Ken, ED. and his YL



Kristen's Presentation