

## VP600 Portable End of Life Announcement

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With the introduction of the VP6000 portable radio and its continuous new product introductions and enhancements, EFJohnson is announcing the end-of-life of its VP600 **portable** radios **with the exception** of the **VP600 Federal UHF model**. The VP6000 is a fully backward compatible replacement for the VP600 portable radio with several new features and enhancements.

The following models are discontinued effective on the dates indicated in Table 1:

Part Number	Description
242-571x-xxx-xxx	VP600 VHF 136-174MHz Portable (Model 1,2 and 3, FM and NON-FM)
242-572x-xxx-xxx	VP600 UHF 380-470MHz Portable (Model 1,2 and 3, FM and NON-FM)
242-577x-xxx-xxx	VP600 7/800 762-860 MHz Portable (Model 1,2 and 3, FM and NON-FM)
242-591x-xxx-xxx	VP600 Federal VHF 136-174MHz Portable (Model 1,2 and 3, FM and NON-FM)
242-597x-xxx-xxx	VP600 Federal 7/800 762-860 MHz Portable (Model 1,2 and 3, FM and NON-FM)

The following table captures the replacement model for VP600 end of life radios with corresponding VP6000 models:

P/N	Description	Replacement P/N	Description
242-571x-xxx-xxx	VP600 VHF	VP6230xxxx	VP6000 VHF
242-591x-xxx-xxx	VP600 Federal VHF		
242-572x-xxx-xxx	VP600 UHF	VP6330xxxx	VP6000 UHF
242-577x-xxx-xxx	VP600 7/800	VP6430xxxx	VP6000 7/800
242-597x-xxx-xxx	VP600 Federal 7/800		

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Table 1

Milestone	Definition	Date
End-of-Life Announcement Date	The date the announcement for the end-of-life of a product is distributed to the general public.	November 15, 2018
End-of-Sale Date	The last date which EFJohnson will accept a purchase order for the specific product. The product is no longer for sale after this date.	N/A. We are not accepting any new orders on these models.
End of SW Maintenance Releases Date	The last date that EFJohnson may release any final software maintenance releases or bug fixes. After this date, EFJohnson will no longer develop, repair, maintain, or test the product software.	November 15, 2019
Last Date of General Support	The last date to receive applicable service and support for the product not under service contracts or by warranty terms and conditions.	November 15, 2023
Last Date of Contractual Support	The last date to receive applicable service and support for the product as entitled by active service contracts or by warranty terms and conditions. After	Later date of “Last Date of General Support” or per contractual terms.

EFJohnson will continue to meet all current contractual commitments regarding these products and will support these products, whether or not currently under contract, for a period of up to five (5) years, so long as the parts are economically available and as long as cost effective fully compatible alternatives exist.

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