

Northern Florida ARES Net Script for Experienced NCS'

<u>Net Script – Preamble</u>

IS THE FREQUENCY IN USE _____ (YOUR CALL SIGN)?

CALLING THE NORTHERN FLORIDA AMATEUR RADIO EMERGENCY SERVICE NET, CALLING THE NORTHERN FLORIDA ARES NET. THIS IS ______, LOCATED IN _____(CITY AND COUNTY), AND I AM YOUR NET CONTROL STATION FOR TODAY _____ (DATE).

ARE THERE ANY STATIONS WITH EMERGENCY OR PRIORITY TRAFFIC? EMERGENCY TRAFFIC MAY BREAK THE NET AT ANY TIME BY SAYING BREAK, BREAK, BREAK.

ARE THERE ANY BULLETINS OR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE NET? DO WE HAVE ANY STATIONS THAT NEED TO CHECK-IN EARLY DUE TO WEATHER OR STATIONS AT AN EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER WISHING TO CHECK-IN?

THE NORTHERN FLORIDA ARES NET FUNCTIONS PRIMARILY FOR EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS TRAINING AND PUBLIC SERVICE BY AMATEUR RADIO. DURING AN EMERGENCY ACTIVATION, WHEN ACTIVATED BY THE SECTION MANAGER, THE ROLL-CALL OF THIS NET WILL BE SUSPENDED TO FACILITATE EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS.

THIS IS A DIRECTED NET. PLEASE FOLLOW STANDARD NET PROCEDURES AND INSTRUCTIONS OF THE NET CONTROL STATION. RELAYS WILL BE CALLED FOR WHEN NECESSARY. WHEN CHECKING OR CALLING IN TO THIS NET, PLEASE SAY YOUR FULL CALL SIGN USING THE PHONETIC ALPHABET.

NEW STATIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AND SHOULD CHECK IN AT THE END OF THE ROLL CALL WHEN DIRECTED BY NET CONTROL. TO BECOME AND REMAIN A MEMBER OF THIS NET, PLEASE CHECK-IN AT LEAST 3 TIMES DURING THE MONTH. NEW MEMBERS SHOULD SEND A RADIOGRAM USING THE NATIONAL TRAFFIC SYSTEM TO OUR NET MANAGER, ARC-W4CPD TO BE ADDED TO THE REGULAR ROSTER. ARC'S EMAIL ADDRESS IS <u>W4CPD@SRCARES.ORG</u>. INFORMATION ON USING THE NTS CAN BE FOUND AT ARRL-NFL.ORG/NTS



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DO WE HAVE ANY MOBILE STATIONS? DO WE HAVE ANY QRP STATIONS? DO WE HAVE ANY PORTABLE STATIONS? ANY MOBILE, QRP, OR PORTABLE STATIONS THAT WE MISSED OR ANY RELAYS? DO WE HAVE A TRAFFIC REP? DO WE HAVE A TRAFFIC REP? DO WE HAVE ANY FORMAL TRAFFIC COMING INTO OR GOING OUT OF THE STATE? DOES ANYONE NEED AN INFORMAL CONTACT BEFORE I BEGIN THE ROLLCALL? THIS IS ______ (YOUR CALL SIGN) AND I WILL NOW BEGIN THE ROLL CALL STARTING WITH THE ______ (DAY OF THE WEEK) LISTING.

THIS CONCLUDES OUR REGULAR ROLLCALL. DO WE HAVE ANY STATIONS THAT I HAVE FAILED TO HEAR, FAILED TO ACKNOWLEDGE, OR RUNNING LATE? ANY RELAYS?

DO WE HAVE ANY NEW STATIONS OR VISITORS THAT WISH TO CHECK-IN?

ANY RELAYS?

IS THERE ANYTHING WE CAN DO FOR ANYONE BEFORE WE CONCLUDE TODAY'S NET?

NET SCRIPT - CLOSING

THE NORTHERN FLORIDA ARES NET MEETS MONDAY THROUGH SATURDAY AT 1300 ZULU, 9AM EASTERN, 8AM CENTRAL, ON 7265 KHZ PLUS OR MINUS FOR QRM. OUR ALTERNATE FREQUENCY IS 3950 KHZ ON 80 METERS.

THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR YOUR REGULAR PARTICIPATION AND PLEASE JOIN US AGAIN FOR ANOTHER NET SESSION. THIS IS ______ (YOUR CALL SIGN) NOW CLOSING THE NET AND RETURNING THE FREQUENCY TO GENERAL AMATEUR USE AT ______ (CURRENT TIME AND TIME ZONE)

(PLEASE <u>SUBMIT YOUR NET REPORT ONLINE</u> WITHIN 48 HOURS.)