

Monroe County ARES/RACES Net Call up Format – ABBREVIATED

Calling the Monroe County ARES/RACES Net. Calling the Monroe County ARES/RACES Net. This is *{Your Call}*, *{Your Call Phonetically}*, your Net Control for this session of the Monroe County ARES/RACES Net. Good evening, my name is *{Your Name}* and I am located in *{Your Location}*.

Is there any emergency or priority traffic on frequency? If so, please call *{Your Call}* now. *{Let up and listen. If you hear even a trip ask for station to call again. If you hear another trip ask for stations to monitor the input.}*

I am looking for an ARES/RACES member to participate as the backup net control operator. If you are willing to assist, please call *{Your Call}* now, over.

The Monroe County ARES/RACES Net is a directed net. Please do not transmit without the permission of net control unless you have emergency or priority traffic. If you must leave the net, please inform me before doing so. The Monroe County ARES/RACES Net meets every Thursday at 7:00 PM on the N2MPE 146.61 and 444.45 repeater for the purpose of testing equipment readiness and practicing directed net protocol. All amateur radio operators, regardless of membership in ARES and RACES, are welcome to participate. Comments concerning net operations may be directed to the Net Manager, Ralph, KD2BDZ.

When checking into the net, please give my call, *{Your Call}*, let up on your push-to-talk and listen to insure that you are not doubling. *{let up}* If you hear nobody transmitting, give your call, your name, your location by town or village and the word "traffic" if you have formal written traffic; please list your traffic at that time. If you have words for the net or for a particular station please state "words" and for whom your words are intended.

We are now ready to accept check-ins from Monroe County ARES/RACES team members. Please state your call sign phonetically, give your name and your location.

- ARES/RACES mobile and portable stations please call *{Your Call}* now, over.
- Liaison stations to and from other nets please call *{Your Call}* now, over.
- ARES/RACES team members wishing to check in, please call *{Your Call}* now, over.
- All other stations wishing to check in, please call *{Your Call}* now, over

- *Log stations and acknowledge.*
- *Pass traffic.*
- *Ask for words.*
- *Ask for any additional check-ins.*

With no further net business we will close this session of the Monroe County ARES/RACES Net. I would like to thank all stations who joined us and the operator of this repeater, N2MPE.

The Monroe County ARES/RACES Net meets again next Thursday at 7:00PM. Monroe County ARES/RACES meets on the 4th Thursday of the month, 6:00PM at Red Cross Headquarters. For more information about Monroe County ARES/RACES, please visit our website at

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