



# Monroe County ARES Monday Night Net Control Operator's Script

Calling all amateur radio operators, this is [callsign]. Stand by for the Monroe County ARES net, OUT."

*Place repeater in NET MODE: DTMF CODE 222  
(223 without tone...wait 10 seconds if no tone)*

Welcome to the Monroe County ARES net, heard every Monday evening at 7:30 pm local time. This is a formal, directed net for the purposes of practicing emergency communications procedures, passing information and announcements, and advancing participation in amateur radio. There is no comment section in this net.

Your net control station this evening is [callsign] and the name here is [name]. My backup net control is [back-up's callsign], [back-up's name].

When you check in, please include your name and if outside Monroe County, your hometown or county. Please also list your traffic, amateur radio-related announcements, or informals, if any. Otherwise, please indicate 'No Traffic'. Informals will take place at the conclusion of this net.

At this time, I'll stand by for any emergency or priority traffic, OVER.

*Break long enough for the repeater to drop + 5 seconds  
Pass emergency/priority traffic immediately if any exists! Otherwise...*

[Net Control recognizes [callsign], [name] or if [callsign] only, [May we have your name for the log? OVER]  
Go ahead with your traffic.]

*Repeat call for Emergency/Priority Traffic, if needed.*

Nothing heard. At this time I'll take check-ins from only mobile stations that may not be able to stay for the remainder of the net. Please call Net Control, OVER.

*\*\*Be aware of time. I.D. yourself at 10 minute intervals with  
"This is [call sign] for the Monroe County ARES net."\*\**

Do any operators wish to pass traffic to any of the mobile check-ins? OVER. [Respond with: [callsign], Go ahead with your traffic, OVER.]

Thank you to the mobile stations for participating in tonight's net. You are now released and invited to monitor the rest of tonight's net as long as you can.

At this time, Net Control will take check-ins from call sign suffixes that begin with Alpha through Foxtrot. OVER. (Then... Golf through Mike, November through Sierra, Tango through Zulu, and then, any station Alpha through Zulu)

*\*\*Return to stations with traffic (if any), followed by announcements (if any), in the order in which they were received after you've finished taking check-ins. Make brief notes of the announcements for review at end of net.\*\**

[After ALPHA-ZULU call]: I'll now go back to those stations having traffic or announcements for the net. [callsign], Go ahead, OVER.

At this time, I'll stand by for any late check-ins, traffic, or announcements for the Monroe County ARES net before we close. Please call Net Control, OVER.

*\*\*After the late check-ins, traffic, and announcements, summarize the announcements. Refer to the station who gave them and thank them\*\**

Thanks to everyone for participating in tonight's ARES net. Please join us again next Monday evening at 7:30 pm when your net control will be [back-up's name, back-up's callsign]. This is [callsign] for the Monroe County ARES net, now returning the repeater to normal operation, OUT.

*Place repeater in normal mode with DTMF code: 333  
Invite informals to take place, if any*

*Send net report to [k9tem@arrl.net](mailto:k9tem@arrl.net), that includes date, start & end times, elapsed time, number of mobile check-ins, number of regular check-ins, net control & backup, traffic count, and announcement count.*

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