Net Control

- Accept Duty
- Maintain ICS309 Communications Log Winlink/Standard Templates/ICS USA Forms/ICS309
 - If you need to close your log at any time, please be sure to scroll to the bottom to choose Save. This allows you to save all entered data to your local computer. When you reopen the log, you can choose to 'Load...Data' near the top of the form and choose the appropriate file that you saved earlier.
- Initial Announcement

This is < <u>my-callsign</u> > <u><my-callsign-phonetically></u> The time is <mark><current time></mark> on <mark><today's date></mark> I will be acting as net control for the annual ARES Spring 2020 Simulated Emergency Test.

As always, urgent and Emergency Traffic take priority and will be handled immediately.

ALL Amateur Operators are welcomed to this net and exercise. You do not need to be a member of ARES or any other formal group or club. We encourage **ALL Amateur Operators** to participate in this exercise in any capacity even if it is as simple as a check-in. We are also asking looking for operators to act as relay for anyone not acknowledged by Net Control.

In addition to standard operating procedures, the only requirement for participation is that when passing any **Simulated Traffic** you begin and end the traffic with the words "**Exercise Exercise Exercise**".

This does not apply when giving information such as your call sign for check in or inquiries, but instead only when passing **Simulated Traffic** which could be **misinterpreted as actual Emergency Traffic.** If your transmission lasts more than a minute we ask that you also end your transmission with "**This is an exercise**".

This is a directed net. For smooth operations, please address all transmissions to net control $< \frac{my}{callsign} >$. Again, we welcome all amateur operators to participate in this exercise even with just a simple check-in.

Call for check-ins:

Mobile or Battery Power - Initial Query:

<Municipalities> - Initial Query:

- Cove
- 🗆 Elgin
- Imbler
- □ Island City
- □ La Grande
- North Powder
- □ Summerville
- Union

Any other - Initial Query:

Call for Check-ins:

This is $\frac{\text{callsign}}{\text{callsign}}$, Net Control now opening it up for check-ins.

Any <desired station type> stations please come now with your call sign only.

Thank you, we had <read the callsigns> check in, did I miss any of the <desired station type> stations? <break> Any Relays? <break> <log and read any additional callsigns>

Initial Query :

<their call-sign> What is your name, location, & do you have any traffic for the net. <break>

You have been assigned the exercise facility ID of UNI(sequence). What are your current weather conditions, and will you be able to continue monitoring during this exercise? commonstorn.com (sequence). What are your current weather conditions, and will you be able to continue monitoring during this exercise? commonstorn.com (sequence). What are your current weather conditions, and will you be able to continue monitoring during this exercise? commonstorn.com (sequence). What are your current weather conditions, and will you be able to continue monitoring during this exercise?

(log any information)

Clear with <their call-sign> Move Next

• Every quarter hour(:00,:15,:30,:45) (If missed due to already active on frequency resume as allows)

This is < my-callsign >, Net Control for the 2020 ARES Spring Simulated Emergency Test.

This exercise runs today from 9 am to 1 pm. We want to know who is listening and able to pass potential emergency traffic, as well as capabilities. Is there any traffic from those already checked in? (log any information)

Call for Check-ins:

Again as a reminder, anyone participating in this exercise when passing any **Simulated Traffic** you begin and end the traffic with the words "**Exercise Exercise Exercise**".

(Cycle through specific call signs and ask for weather report for their facility ID)