



Resource Net Instructions and Script

Thursdays at 1930 local time on the WA6GG repeater or AS NEEDED
(442.050+ tone 127.3)

General Information

The purpose of the ACS Resource Net is to solicit information about the deployment status of ACS resources for the purposes of an ACS activation. All licensed amateur radio operators are invited to participate in ACS's weekly Resource Net, and all ACS members should do so regularly. Please get in the habit of keeping your radio with you at all times, particularly at work, as emergencies can happen at any time. The script provided here is designed to make it easy for any operator to try their hand at being Net Control. In addition to the log at the end of this document, we also provide a computer-fillable Excel spreadsheet that you can use to collect reports, downloadable at www.sfdem.org/acs.

It may seem awkward at first, but practice makes it easy. The script is specifically written for Net Control Operators to read aloud, verbatim. Please read the script in advance of the net. Preparation is your key to feeling comfortable "on the air". Sentences are grouped in paragraphs meant to provide for proper breathing. Instructions not intended for reading aloud are provided in *<ITALICS>*. Everywhere it says *<PAUSE>*, you should release the PTT and listen carefully for any traffic.

Reporting Instructions

Following the net, please complete the log form, and email it within 48 hours to the following email addresses:

kj6ldj@gmail.com
catherine.peterson@astound.net

To serve as net control, or if you have any questions, email demacs@sfgov.org.

<Net Begins Here>

Is this frequency in use?

<PAUSE>

Attention all stations. Attention all stations. Attention all stations. This is a resource net for the San Francisco Auxiliary Communications Service and this is *<NAME AND CALLSIGN>*, your Net Control. This is a Directed Net, and all traffic should be directed to Net Control. At this time, is there any emergency or priority traffic for the Net?

<PAUSE>

During this Net, ACS members and all other licensed amateur radio operators are invited to check in. When called upon to check-in, operators should initially give only their call sign phonetically and wait to be recognized by Net Control. When recognized, stations should report as follows:

- Your name and callsign phonetically
- Your cross-streets or location
- If you have access to a vehicle
- The agency with which you would deploy
- The time when you would be able to deploy in 24-hour format

<PAUSE>

This is *<CALLSIGN>*, net control. Again, please wait to be acknowledged before giving your report. I'll take check-ins in groups of three.

<TAKE REPORTS>

Are there any late check-ins, announcements, or further traffic for the Net?

<PAUSE>

At this time, we thank all stations for checking in. To find out more about the Auxiliary Communication Service, please visit our website at www.sfdem.org/acs to email demacs@sfgov.org. Also, stay connected by signing up for AlertSF- San Francisco's emergency text message system. Register by texting the phrase AlertSF to 888-777 or by visiting alerts.org.

<PAUSE>

We now return this repeater back to normal service, and thank the Northern California Amateur Radio Group for the use of the WA6GG repeater. This is *<NAME AND CALLSIGN>*, clear.

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Net Control Operator: _____