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(2 minutes prior to the net, confirm that your ANCS is on the air and then proceed with the following:)

This is <Your Call-sign>. The New York City District ARES Net will be held at 8:30 PM on this frequency. Stations listening are invited to check into the Net, and stations wishing to make a call are requested to do so now. This is <Your Call-sign> standing by.

(At 8:30PM)

Calling all radio amateurs entitled to use this frequency. This is <Your Call-sign> convening the New York City District ARES Net at this time. My name is <Your Name>, and I am your Net Control Operator for this evenings Net. Any station with an actual emergency may break this Net at any time by giving their call sign and informing Net Control they hold such traffic. Control of the frequency will then be turned over to you.

This is a directed Net, which means that all contacts should be made through Net Control, and stations should not secure from the Net without advising Net Control. This Net meets every Monday at 20:30 through the generous facilities of W2ABC and the Broadcast Employees Amateur Radio Society. In the event of a emergency, all operators will be asked to stand by for information and instructions on this frequency.

The purpose of this Net is to provide practice in net operations and handle announcements of interest to the ARES community.





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This Net is using a linked repeater system. Before transmitting, please allow time for the links to drop. When transmitting, please allow sufficient time for the links to connect before speaking.

We will now proceed with check-ins. We will be performing the check-ins by county. Each county will be called and stations in that county, and that county only, should check in at that time. When checking in, please call Net Control by stating my call sign first, **<Your Call-sign>**, release the push to talk button and allow the carrier to drop, and wait until you are certain that no one else is speaking; then check in using the following format: *your call sign, name, location. and if and only if you have an announcement for the net state the word "traffic".*

(Call users in each county separately. Repeat the following line for each county.)

This call up will be for stations in **<county>** only, please call Net Control now.

- Bronx County
- Kings County
- New York County
- Queens County
- Richmond County
- Outside of NYC

(After a pause in check-ins)

Net Control would like to acknowledge _____ *(acknowledge each station that checked in)*. Any additional stations wishing to check in to the net from **<county>** please call Net Control **<Your Call-sign>** now.





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(Once no more stations are heard)

We will now proceed with announcements for the net. We will take more check-ins after the announcements have been completed. Station with call xxxxxxxxx, please proceed with your announcements:

(After all announcements have been completed)

The Net will now take late check-ins. Any station who has not yet checked in please call Net Control, **<Your Call-sign>** now.

Net Control would like to acknowledge _____ *(acknowledge each station that checked in).*

(Once no more stations are heard)

This is **<Your Call-sign>** your Net Control Station for today's New York City District ARES Net, thanking all those on the Net for their participation and support. I'd also like to thank those stations that stood by while the Net was in session.

For more information about New York City District ARES, please visit the New York City District ARES website at www.NYCDistrictARES.org for information about our organization, upcoming events and contact information for the District and County leadership.

We would also like to thank W2ABC and the Broadcast Employees Amateur Radio Society for the generous use of their facilities.

This net is now closed at **<time, in 24-hour format>** and the frequency/repeater returned to casual amateur use.

73 to all. This is **<Your Call-sign>**, clear.