

DRAFT Calvert AUXCOMM 2019 Hurricane Callup Staffing Plan

Location	Tactical Call	Initial Op #1	Initial Op #2	Relief Op #1	Relief Op #2
EOC (Courthouse)	EOC				
Huntingtown High Shelter	Shelter				
Home QTH; HF Relay & MEMA	Relay				
Health Department	Health				
Hospital	Hospital				
Rover	Rover				

Notes:

1. Intention is to have two people at each location at all times. May not be possible in every case, but mandatory for rover due to safety considerations.
2. EOC primary comm is via 2M voice via 146.985 repeater or simplex. Digital traffic via WebEOC to the Home QTH (must have WebEOC) for relay via best means. Winlink packet as backup using the MFJ TNC currently at the EOC. EOC packet capability needs to be set up and checked out. Personal laptop with RS-232 interface may be required. Further improvements of the EOC capability is possible using the Kenwood TM-V71 and Remote Rigs purchased by the county for beta testing. Work party needed to install.
- 2A. Must EOC operators have RACES badges for entry?
3. Huntingtown High shelter crew must bring complete 2m/70cm station, including antennas, mast, coax, transceivers, TNC, laptop with Winlink Express, headphones and battery power for all (deep cycle battery or small quiet generator & fuel with long extension cord).
4. Home QTH station MUST have emergency power (generator/battery) and both 2M/70cm antennas and HF antennas. Redundant antennas desired should one fail during the storm. Must be capable of voice and Winlink packet on 2M, 70cm and both SSB voice & WINMOR on the HF bands (40M and 80M especially). Must have WebEOC access (assuming internet is up).
5. Requirement to staff the hospital is not assured but making provisions in this planning. Since no permanent station is currently set up in the hospital and setting up an effective antenna may not be possible on short notice, assume communications will be relay via the health department or home QTH station using HT's in the hospital. Winlink packet capability using an HT still desired.
6. Requirement to staff the health department is not assured but making provisions in this planning. 2M and 70cm capability including packet Winlink is already installed at the health department.
7. Rover is tasked with damage assessment and situational reports but only if conditions are safe for vehicle travel. The rover team should use a high road clearance 4x4 and have a chain saw with associated safety accessories.
8. Locations that have internet access (Home QTH, EOC, Health Department, possibly Huntingtown High School) should take advantage of Winlink TELNET if available and functional.