

Nelson County, Kentucky, Weather Net Preamble

“Attention all stations. Attention all stations. This is station _____, activating the Nelson County, Kentucky, Weather Net. This net was formed to support the public safety of Nelson County and its residents, with activation at the request of the American Red Cross, the Nelson County Emergency Management Agency, or other county agencies, to address severe weather, or other civil disaster situations.”

“This is a directed net. All operators shall minimize transmissions and coordinate traffic through Net Control during this EMERGENCY event. Those operators not participating in this activity are respectfully requested to discontinue normal repeater operations for the duration of this EMERGENCY event. In the event of a failure of this repeater, net operations will transfer to 145.470, simplex, the output frequency of this repeater, or 146.580, simplex, the Nelson County ARES frequency.”

“The situation is: _____”

“The Net is currently at Level _____ Alert status.”

“Are there any stations with EMERGENCY traffic at this time?”

(break)

“This is station _____, acting net control.”

“I will now take check-ins from participating stations. Please allow breaks between transmissions to check for EMERGENCY traffic. Are there any check-ins from any stations with call sign suffixes beginning with the letters **A-Alpha** through **E-Echo**? Please call now.”

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

"This is station (_____), acting Net control. Moving along, do we have any check-ins from stations with call sign suffixes beginning with the letter **F - Foxtrot** through **J - Juliet**? Please call now."

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

"This is station (_____), acting Net control. Are there any check ins from stations with call sign suffixes beginning with the letters **K - Kilo** through **O - Oscar**.? Please call now."

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

"This is station (_____), acting Net control. Do we have any check-ins from stations with call sign suffixes beginning with the letters **P - Papa** through **T - Tango**? Please call now."

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

"This is station (_____), acting Net control. Are there any check ins from any stations with call sign suffixes beginning with the letters **U - Uniform** through **Z - Zulu**? Please call now."

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

"This is station (_____), acting Net control. This completes the roll call. At this time, we will take late check-ins to the net. Do we have any late check-ins, any call sign? Please call now."

(Net Control confirms call signs, names, locations and any traffic.)

“As a reminder, this is currently a Directed Net. We are operating at Level _____ Alert due to _____(restate situation) until otherwise notified. Stations report Emergency Traffic, Damage or severe weather conditions only.“

(Net operations follow.)

>Net Shut Down<

"This concludes this session of the Nelson County Storm SpotterNet. We wish to thank the Kentucky Amateur Radio Society (KARS) for the use of the 145.470 repeater, and to all non-participating stations for their patience during this activation of the Nelson County Weather Net. The repeater will now be returned to normal service. This is station (_____) saying “73” and good night. (_____) clear."

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