

FOR PRESENTATION TO:
WINNIPEG ARES GENERAL MEETING
23 APR 2019

EMERGENCY COORDINATOR

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UPCOMING OPERATIONS:

PSE-172	Manitoba Marathon Sun 16 JUN ARES Briefing TUE 11 JUN Volunteer Registration thru WARC web-site. As of 22 APR 69 volunteers registered.
PSE-175	City of Wpg Emergency Program Community Engagement Event Sam Southern Arena SAT 11 MAY 1200-1600h Coordinated by Glen VE4GWN & Jim VE4SIG.
PSE-174	RCAF Run SUN 26 MAY Coordinated by John VE4WX.
PSE-176	Parkinson SuperWalk SAT 14 SEP CMU Coordinated by Dick VE4HK.
PSE-177	CANWARN Net Control On-Call MON 13 MAY to SUN 08 SEP.

RECENT OPERATIONS:

EX- 137	Spotter Training in Carman SAT 23 MAR. 24 total participants, 11 Wpg.
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PREPAREDNESS:

Two (2) Winnipeg ARES members Garry VE4VD and Dave VE4DJS volunteered for rural deployment if required.

Of the six (6) Winnipeg ARES volunteers living south of the Assiniboine River that I was seeking for a potential temporary station at a Wpg Reception Centre I only got three (3) volunteers and two of them were actually committed elsewhere.

VHF/UHF antenna on the roof of Manitoba EMO was checked and found to be operational. HF antenna is down. Interim Instructions for VE4EMO have been written and distributed to VE4EMO Team members, "stop-gap" replacing Appendix 9.10 in Wpg ARES Emergency Plan, hope to issue to all once HF antenna issue has been rectified.

Don VE4DWG has updated the programming of VE4EMO & EMCC VHF/UHF radios as well as the “spare” transceivers in the drawer (TM-V7A and TM-261). Some documentation at VE4EMO has been updated and I left an updated USB stick there.

In late summer/early fall we need to expand the VE4EMO Team, we are down to eight (8) people right now.

Jim VE4SIG and I attended City of Wpg EOC twice in the past while. First visit was to look at feedline in the ceiling, Dave VE4DJS’s modern Antenna Analyser was most handy. We visited the meeting room that could be used as temporary EOC while permanent EOC is being re-built. Our radio equipment for VE4EOC has been brought back from storage and is accessible in the temporary office for the Emergency Preparedness Program. I have left an updated USB stick in Box # 1.

On our 2nd visit to the Wpg EOC we met with two Radio Shop staff who focused on the feedline that Jim VE4SIG had previously identified as likely Amateur Radio, subsequently we received a communication that “our” feedlines had been identified, labelled and tested.

MISCELLANEOUS:

Nothing to report.

GENERAL MEETINGS

21 MAY	CANWARN Net Control
25 JUN	RCAF Run & MB Marathon Debriefs
JUL	No Meeting
20 AUG	Will cancel unless required