

Lenawee County SKYWARN Net Procedure

PREAMBLE

Attention all stations, this is (**your callsign Phonetically**), your Net Control Station for the Lenawee County SKYWARN Net. My name is (Your name). The Lenawee County SKYWARN Net is now placed in (Status). When you check into the net for your first transmission, please give your call sign phonetically, your name, and your location.

STANDBY STATUS.

Severe weather is possible in the area. Amateurs should watch for signs of severe weather and monitor this repeater for further updates. Normal activity on the repeater is allowed, however, stations should keep transmissions short to allow break-ins for severe weather reports. This is (**your call sign**), Net Control.

ACTIVE STATUS.

Severe weather is (present, or imminent) in this area. Amateurs are asked to actively search for signs of severe weather and make required reports to Net control. All stations listening should check in now, giving your call phonetically, your name and your location.

This is a directed net and all communications should be carried out at the direction of the Net Control Station. Only Stations with severe weather reports, or emergency traffic should break into this net. The only reports to be made are reports of tornadoes on the ground, funnel clouds, wall clouds, about dime size hail, winds 50 mph or greater, flooding across roads and other storm damage. Reports not filling these criteria should not be passed unless specifically requested by Net Control. This is (**your call sign**), Net Control.

EMERGENCY STATUS.

This is a directed net. Net Control has **ABSOLUTE CONTROL** of the net. Transmissions on the repeater are **PROHIBITED**, unless made

in response to a call, or request by the Net Control, or having life or death urgency. All stations should monitor the repeater in case of requests for help by the Net Control.

CONTINUITY ANNOUNCEMENT

ATTENTION ALL STATIONS.

This is (**your call sign**), Net Control Station for the Lenawee County SKYWARN Net. A severe weather net is in (Status) at this time.

TO SECURE THE NET

ATTENTION ALL STATIONS

This is (**your call sign**), Net Control Station for the Lenawee County SKYWARN Net. I wish to thank all stations for their participation in this Severe Weather Net. Your help was greatly appreciated. This net is secure at (**time**) local time. This is (**your call sign**) clear.