Lincoln County ARES / RACES Communications Plan Updated Oct 07

Emergency Alert ONLY:146.980 Will use Encode of 107.3 CTCSS ToneforEmergency Alerting ONLY(note if your radio supports CTCSS Decode, set it to 107.3to ONLYhear Emergency Alerts)Note actual normal and Emergency operation on thisrepeater will use only 100.0 Hz tone

The Emergency Alert tone will be used every hour of any Emergency Event to <u>Alert</u> any mobile ham station only monitoring the Emergency Alert Tone and out of Range that drives into range.

The Emergency Alert tone will be tested each week to announce the weekly Lincoln County ARES / RACES Radio net on the 146.980 Repeater each Sunday night.

Lincoln County VHF / UHF Frequencies used for ARES and RACES:

Primary VHF Repeater:	146.980 Tone 100.0 Repeater Primary ARES / RACES
Emergency Alerting	146.980 Tone 107.3 Emergency Alerting ONLY
Secondary VHF Repeaters:	 146.920 Tone 151.4 SBARC Alto repeater. 146.920 Tone 100.0 SBARC Camelot repeater. 146.610 Tone 100.0 Capitan Mtn. Repeater Future Buck Mtn. State of NM ARES / RACES Repeater
Simplex VHF FM: Primary:	146.980 Tone 100.0 Emergency Simplex if repeater fails.
	If an event is using another VHF Repeater as its Primary Network and the repeater fails, move to that repeaters output for Emergency Simplex operation.
Repeater Fail – If repeater returns to service, all users will know it is back on the air.	
Mega-Link:	146.660 Tone 67.0 Capitan Mega Link 444.375 Tone 67.0 Cow Mtn. Mega Link
Other 2M Simplex:	146.520 National Emergency Calling Simplex 146.420, 146.440, 146.460, 146.480, 146.500, 146.540, 146.560, 146.580
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220 Band	223.500 MHz FM National Emergency / Calling Simplex
UHF Repeaters:	443.926 Tone 162.2 Buck Mtn. Primary UHF ARES / RACES 444.375 Tone 67.0 Cow Mtn. Mega-Link
UHF Simplex Other Simplex:	446.000 FM National Calling / Emergency 445.025 to 444.975 in 25 KHz Stepts
High Frequency:	 3939.0 KHz Primary NM State ARES / RACES 60 Meters Chan 3 Primary (5366.5 KHz) If channel 3 is busy, then go to channel 1 and work up until a clear channel if found. 7236.5 KHz Secondary NM State ARES / RACES
Lincoln County	Use the above unless we need to operate on a separate HF network, then go anywhere from 3 to 12 KHz DOWN.
Simplex other Bands:	
10 Meters:	28.4 +- QRM (28.33 to 28.47) USB 29.600 FM (other FM Simplex between 29.05 to 29.480 MHz)
6 Meters:	50.25 USB 52.525 National Calling / Emergency 52.400 Simplex FM 52.300 Simplex FM 162.2
Digital VHF:	145.010 Buck Packet Node 144.390 Cow Mtn. APRS Node