



Los Angeles County Operational Area Disaster Communications Service

After Action Report (AAR)

District: 17-Lomita

Date: 2/15/2024

Activity: Redondo Beach Super Bowl Sunday 10K/5K

Date of Event: 2/11/2024

Time: 0500

To Date: 2/11/2024

Time: 1100

Number of DCS Members: 5

Hours: 30

Please Attach A Copy of the Sign-In Sheet

DCS Incident Commander: Deane Bouvier S-50

Net Control Operator(s): Deane Bouvier S-50,

DCS Safety Officer(s): Deane Bouvier S-50.,

Command Post Location / Address: Sonesta Hotel parking structure roof, 300 N. Harbor Drive, Redondo Beach, CA 90277

Purpose of Activity: Augment the Redondo Beach PD volunteers to provide radio communication for race safety and situational awareness of 7,000+ runners. This has been done for the last several years.

Who Requested DCS? Name: Sgt. Tina McCoy, after a request from **Agency:** LASD LMT
Sgt Mike Dyberg, Redondo Beach Police Dept.

Overview of the Event / How Was DCS Used: Organized and operated race communications network. Net control worked alongside Redondo Beach PD volunteer with RBPD radio who called in a few events. Other operators were at each mile and at the start/finish event area. Redondo Beach does not have an official city amateur radio organization yet but intends to pursue one.

Suggestions / Issues: Net Control had a power supply failure and reverted to a battery with no further issues. That reinforced the value of carrying backup power. Had stuck mic events so next year's instruction needs to emphasize preventing that issue.

The W6PVE repeater provided excellent coverage over the course and was used with permission of the Palos Verdes Estates PD ham volunteer organization. The Redondo Beach PD volunteer lead expressed his appreciation for our support supplementing their group. Those two events emphasize the value of having a good working relationship with the city groups in our area.

Equipment / Modes of Communications Used: Personal mobile and HT radios for 70cm band using W6PVE repeater @ Punta Point

Other Agencies Involved: Redondo Beach Police & Fire Departments

Prepared By: Deane Bouvier S-50.

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After Action Reports are to be submitted to the Administrative Staff no later than 10 working days after the Event / Incident