



Los Angeles County Operational Area Disaster Communications Service

After Action Report (AAR)

District: 17 – Lomita

Date: 09-22-2011

Activity: Rehearsal Drill for the Great California Shakeout

Date of Event: 09/19/2011

Time: 1930

To Date: 09/19/2011

Time: 2000

Number of DCS Members: 16

Hours: 24

Please Attach A Copy of the Sign-In Sheet

DCS Incident Commander: Deane Bouvier, T-02

Net Control Operator(s): Deane Bouvier, T-02, Denzel Dyer, T-118, Matthew Cruse, T-87

DCS Safety Officer(s): Deane Bouvier, T-02,

Command Post Location / Address: Lomita Sheriff's Station

Purpose of Activity: Practice net control and message handling skills

Who Requested DCS? Name: Robert Sussin Staff 12

Agency: DCS

Overview of the Event / How Was DCS Used: LMT net took checkins on primary frequency. Traffic from city EOCs handled on EOC simplex link. Traffic from members handled on 2m Alternate #1 simplex. Simulated replies from the Lomita LASD EOC.

Suggestions / Issues: There were a total of 4 messages handled counting replies. We did not stress the system. More message traffic consistent with exercise scenario would be beneficial. We expect interference on 2m simplex when other DCS stations are up. None was heard that night because of the DCO meeting. For clarity, incoming message numbers need to be augmented with the source, i.e. RHE 1. Reply to the incoming message should be identified by appending an R, i.e. RHE 1R. Legibility of hand written forms is an issue.

Equipment / Modes of Communications Used: Station radio used for 2m simplex (145.585, PL 156.7). Personal equipment used for the primary frequency (145.320 repeater linked to 445.300 repeater) and the simplex EOC link (223.440, PL 156.7). Station 1.2 GHz radio used to establish the repeater linkage (1282.175, PL 127.2). All FM voice. Three operators and one scribe at the station. DCS forms 133, 213, and 309 are attached.

Other Agencies Involved: None

Prepared By: Deane Bouvier, T-02

Date: 09/22/2011

Approvals:

DCO: Diana Feinberg, T-01

Date: 09/23/2011

Executive Staff Officer Approvals:

Staff 10, 11 or 12:

Date:

Staff 1 or 2:

Date:

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

9/19/2011	Tac	Call	Available	Traffic	Hours	Notes
City EOCs	17A					Lomita
	17C	N6RPV				Rancho Palos Verdes
	17F					Rolling Hills Estates
	17G	W6TPD				Torrance
Members	T-02	N5DQ	Y			NCS primary
	T-87	N6MDC	Y			NCS EOC Link
	T-118	KG6QWJ	Y			NCS Alternate 1
	T-651	KD6JBW	Y			Scribe
	T-152	AF6KE	N	N		0 Available after work
	T-57	N6NNW	Y	N		At RPV ECC
	T-095	N6GBX	Y	N		
	T-165	KI6EAI	Y	N		Hawthorne and Vallen RPV
	T-14	WA6OZJ	Y	Y		4 RHE City Hall
	T-59	WA6GIX	Y	N		0 Available as simplex relay
	T-818	NG6R	Y	N		At residence
	T-92	WA6SXE	N	N		2 Available in 8 hours Hermosa
	S-66	KA6WNK	Y	Y		
	T-23	K6QEC	Y	N		1 Hickory and 226th
	T-214	KF6LIX	Y	N		
	T-139	KG6RPN	Y	N		residence then Torrance EOC
members available now				13		
members available in 8 hours				2		
Liasons	PV81	KO6UA		N		PVAN @ Pennisula Center
	PV62	KE6JPM		N		PVAN
		KG6UGA		N		TARA
		AE6JR		N		former DCS

PRIMARY LOG

RADIO LOG		1. INCIDENT NAME	2. DATE	3. PAGE NUMBER
		Rehearsal / Shakeout	19 SEPT '01	1
4. OPERATOR LOCATION			5. FREQUENCY	
T-651 LMT			12.20 / 445.300	
TIME	UNIT ID	MESSAGE		
1927	T-152	✓ AFGE		
1931	17C	NO TRAFFIC - N6RPV - N6NNW - T57		
1932	17F	NO TRAFFIC - WAG03J T-14		
1933	17G	NO TRAFFIC - KGGRUN - T137		
1934	T-14	WAG03J (4) AVAILABLE		
1935	T-165	KIZEAI	"	KWR / VALLON
	T-59	WAGGIX	"	(RPV)
	T-818	NGBR	"	KHS
	T-92	WAGSXE (2) NOT AVAILABLE HERMOSEA B. <small>IN-8 HR</small>		
	STAFF-66	KAGNWK 1 MSG FOR LMT.		
	T-23	K6EC	AVAILABLE - KICK ASS	
	17F	TRAFFIC ↓		
		KGGJWA ↓		
	T-095	N6GBX 1/2 AVAILABLE FIVE (TRAFFIC)		
	T-59	PVAN62 REPLY ↓		
	ST-66	MSG.		
	PVAN81	K06VA NO TRAFFIC - PENN. CTR		
	PVAN62	KE6JPM " - "		
	17G	TRAFFIC / UNABLE TO LOCATE PV-W		
	W6TRW	TIMS ✓		
	T-214	K6GLIX	AVAILABLE - HOME BATTERY	
		A66JR		
1950	LMT01	MSG TO RHE CITY MGR IN RESPONSE TO THEIR MSG 1		
1955	LMT02	MSG TO 17G IN RESPONSE TO THEIR MSG 1		
DCS 133 rev. 06/10		6. LOG PREPARED BY GEORGE OTEGA		7. RADIO OPERATOR K6JEW T-651

GENERAL MESSAGE			
TO: Dep. Robert Smith		POSITION: LAFD Comita Resources	
FROM: Kathy Galbasin		POSITION: Cert IC	
SUBJECT: Resource Availability		DATE: 18 Sep 19 Sep	TIME: 1920 MESSAGE #: 566-1
MESSAGE:			
<p>City of Torrance CERT has 20 members available for light search + rescue. Do you need manpower assistance? Advise if needed and when.</p>			
SIGNATURE: Kathy Galbasin		POSITION: CERT IC	
REPLY: JB			
<p>TO: Kathy Galbasin CERT IC FROM: Dep. Robert Smith LAFD Comita Resources</p> <p>NO EXTRA MANPOWER NEEDED NOW</p>			
DATE: 19 Sep	TIME: 1953	SIGNATURE/POSITION: Deputy Robert Smith	

GENERAL MESSAGE			
TO: unlabeled Fire Station 109 -		POSITION: FS 109 Command Post	
FROM: RHE-1 City MGR 14		POSITION: City MGR	
SUBJECT: EQ Disaster		DATE: 9/18/11	TIME: 1943 - 1
MESSAGE #:			
MESSAGE: Need Bulldozer @ RHE City Hall, To Clean Road (EQ)			
SIGNATURE:		POSITION:	
REPLY: Bulldozer is Enroute via Truck Trailer. (457) ETA - 10 MINS.			
DATE:	TIME:	SIGNATURE/POSITION:	

- NOT SENT -

GENERAL MESSAGE			
TO: SGT JONES	POSITION: TORRANCE EOC OPERATIONS		
FROM: SGT ROZAS	POSITION: LASD LOMITA EOC OPERATIONS		
SUBJECT: HOSPITAL OPERATIONAL STATUS	DATE: 9-20-2011	TIME:	MESSAGE #: LMT
MESSAGE			
PROVIDE OPERATIONAL STATUS OF THE EMERGENCY DEPARTMENTS OF THE HOSPITALS IN YOUR CITY			
SIGNATURE: D. ROZAS	POSITION: LASD LOMITA EOC OPERATIONS		
REPLY:			
DATE:	TIME:	SIGNATURE/POSITION:	