

## **ARES of Merced County Weekly Net Script**

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This is Net Control Station [ call sign ] located in [ location ] calling the Amateur Radio Emergency Service Net of Merced County Net.

This is a directed net, meeting every Monday at 7:00 PM local time, on the Turlock Amateur Radio Club Repeaters, W6BXN, Info on these repeaters on [W6BXN.org/repeaters](http://W6BXN.org/repeaters).

Be advised that.... STATIONS WITH EMERGENCY TRAFFIC MAY BREAK IN AT ANY TIME.

{ Pause momentarily }

The purpose of this net is to provide information and coordination to ARES of Merced County. This net is also intended to serve as a weekly net control training session.

As in all of our nets we encourage WinLink Check-Ins. Use the WinLink program to send a WinLink check-in as well as your voice check-in. Tutorials are on the [MercedARES.org](http://MercedARES.org) web site under the training area.

This is a directed net.... All transmissions should be directed through net control. Please check out with Net Control if leaving before the end of the net.

Stations with traffic or questions for the net should indicate to the net control when checking in. During roll call, we call for Merced ARES volunteers. Visitors will be called after regular roll call.

Stations interested in joining the Merced ARES organization will be provided contact information at the closing of the net.

{ Pause momentarily }

This is Net Control Station [ call sign ] now calling for ARES officials:

- Merced County ARES Coordinator : Los Banos: Dave KG6NUO
- Merced County Assistant Coordinator Richard W6ABJ

Now calling for ARRL San Joaquin Valley Section officials

Next is ARES Roll Call check-in. Check-in's will be called from the Merced ARES Roll Call When checking into the net, list any traffic, contacts, reports or bulletins.

Now calling for Merced ARES volunteers :

{ Use the Roll Call List OR call group suffixes. }

Now welcoming Visiting stations to the ARES net... Please respond with your Call sign, Name and Location.

{ Confirm each check-in very cordially }

This is Net Control Station [ call sign ] Stations with Bulletins, Announcements, Educational articles of interest. Stations with contacts :

{ help them arrange contacts off frequency or for after net }

This is net control station [ call sign ] now calling for late or missed check-ins : { Let repeater drop; pause and listen } Last call for traffic of any kind:

ARES of Merced County meetings are held on the 3<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month at 6:00 pm local time, Currently we meet at the Pizza Factory located at 3146 G Street in Merced).

Stations wishing more information about ARES of Merced County visit our web page at. [mercedares.org](http://mercedares.org) or [w6bxn.org](http://w6bxn.org) / [ares](http://ares.org). You also can contact the Merced ARES EC BY eMail at [KG6NUO@KG6NUO.NET](mailto:KG6NUO@KG6NUO.NET).

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Good evening and thank you for checking into the net.

This is Net Control Station [ call sign ]

As I close the Merced ARES Net I want to thank the Turlock Amateur Radio Club for the use of the repeaters and return the W6BXN repeaters back to normal use at [ time ].

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{ Congratulations ! You're finished ! }