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Monthly Section Emergency Coordinator Report to ARRL Headquarters  
ARRL Section: South Texas Month: May Year: 2019  
AMATEUR RADIO EMERGENCY SERVICE

Total number of ARES members:1663 Change since last month:9  
# DECs/ECs reporting this month:34  
# of ARES nets active:169 # with NTS liaison:70

Calls of DECs/ECs reporting: **AD5CQ AE5VV AF5OS K5BV K5DDM K5GOL K5LGV  
K5RIK K5WEL K7MAL KD4HNX KD5BJ KE5FGA KE5HAM KE5MHJ KF5ACH  
KF5NIX KF5OYI KG5JRA KG5RXG KW5PA N5LVQ N5MDT N5MTX N5SBN N5TQ  
N5TW/XYL N5WKM NT5CC W0HIP W5DY WB5UZZ WD5H**

Number of drills, tests and training sessions this month	130	Person hours:	1621
Number of public service events this month	31	Person hours:	988
Number of emergency operations this month	9	Person hours:	490
Total number of ARES operations this month	339	Person hours:	3098

#### SEC

Work on STX webpage updates of ARES Content  
STX SEC Report generation  
Work on ARES Connect approvals  
Change DEC 3 to Rene Lopez KF5KYL May 6  
ARES HF Net Control Duty May 20

#### ASEC Web

New articles added to the home page.  
Menu items have been moved and new ones added.  
Obsolete articles have been deleted.  
STX Leadership page has been updated.  
Weekly backups have been made and stored.

#### ASEC Other

STX Depot web pages and database oversight. Monthly review & stats.  
Weekly Depot bounce report for pages sent during each week.  
Added FEMA courses to Depot Training page. Fixed reports that displayed this content.

## DISTRICT 01

### EC Fort Bend County

Two activations of Fort Bend weather net for heavy rain/flooding events. Hurricane prep training activation. Regular weekly training nets. Participation in Fort Bend LID TTX as simulated HAM reports.

### EC Galveston County

Hours for drills, tests and training include 43.5 volunteer hours by 3 ARES members supporting the development and maintenance of emergency communications equipment and operating instructions for the city of League City. One ARES member worked on programming laptop computers in support of the Galveston County Emergency Communications Go-Kits. Five ARES members provided amateur radio communications for the Aliens versus Astronauts 5K Family Fun Run at the Johnson Space Center.

## DISTRICT 02

## DISTRICT 03

## DISTRICT 04

## DISTRICT 05

### EC Brazos County

We met at the CEOC. We toured the area. We showed our new members and visitors the area. Reviewed video of tornado that hit a small area in May. Dick, N5DZ gave a program on ATV. We are to handle the message requirements at ARRL field day.

### EC Grimes

Its slow right now.

## DISTRICT 06

### EC Kerr County

Winmor/Winlink training

## DISTRICT 07

### EC Hays County

hours and other data included with Hays Co report

### EC Lee County

Offered training by W5MAE at our LCARES monthly meeting, worked on EAP of Touch a Truck on June 1, participated in multiple SKYWARN nets and events for both Lee and WC ARES, participated in Winlink training and training nets with TCARES and WCARES, Talked for first time to County Judge exploring possibility about training in Lee County with public

officials

#### EC Travis County

WinLink training peaked at 38 total check-ins. We have moved on to P2P and Winmor training. Good presentations in general meeting were given on jump kits and proper use of ICS forms. ECT was outfitted with new tires and overall state of readiness. ECT was configured to use as a gateway (W5KA-12).

#### EC Williamson County

One Emergency Activation deployed to Wilco EOC for severe weather this month. Plus, one informal weather net that did not escalate to SKYWARN. Less busy weather than April. Thankfully.

#### DISTRICT 08

##### DEC

Oklahoma Tornadoes/Floods: DR 015-19, Red Cross Planning Section Chief (AD Planning): 16 days, 12-hour shifts= 192 hours

#### DISTRICT 09

##### EC Jasper County

Club member and ARES member KE5NYS is now a silent key.

##### EC Jefferson County

2 Public Service Events in May.

ARC of Greater Houston Tour du Rouge

Don Allen Wildwood Sports Day Event for the Physically Challenged

##### EC Newton County

See Jasper report for all details.

##### EC Orange County

ARES group completed HF antenna maintenance at Orange Red Cross. Added additional HF radio and VHF/UHF radio at Orange Co. EOC.

##### EC Tyler County

Tyler County ARES conducted a "boots on the ground" exercise on May 16, 2019. The objective was to activate and test our emergency notification system, our communication capabilities (simplex and repeater) in the field from 5 locations (points of distribution - POD's) located across the county which were designated by the Tyler County Office of Emergency Management, deployment coordination and reporting capabilities. The drill was a success and provided valuable information to help improve operations and prepare our team for the upcoming hurricane season.

DISTRICT 10

EC Goliad County  
No Activity

DISTRICT 12

DISTRICT 13

DEC

Carrizo Springs held a mock accident drill and 4 of our members attended, three of which assisted the American Red Cross distributing water and introducing ourselves to former ARES members. One new member re-joined ARES and the District Red Cross director expressed interest in becoming a licensed ham.

DISTRICT 14

DEC

WebEOC monthly login training May 1  
District 14 meeting May 20

EC Harris-NE County

ARES NE DIST 14 WAS EMERGENCY OPERATIONS WAS ACTIVATED ON MAY 9 FOR POSSIBLY SEVERE STORMS AND STREET WARNING.

EC Harris-NW County

One weather activation this month. Several teams preparing for Field Day. Hurricane season starts on the first and in general we are ready

EC Harris-SE County

EC Harris-SW County

A few of us participated in the severe weather event on May 9-11 which fortunately was not severe after all. But it was good training for the months to come, both in planning and activation.

DISTRICT 15

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