



MISSION VIEJO RACES-ARES HANDBOOK



PUBLIC SERVICE ACTIVITY REPORT

(As submitted to the ARRL May 26, 2012)

- 1. Nature of Activity: Test or Drill
- 2. Activity Description: South Orange County Mutual Aid Field Exercise
- 3. Places or areas involved: City of Laguna Niguel, California
- 4. Number of amateurs participating: 7
- 5. Event start date/time: April 21, 2012 / 0500
- 6. Event end date/time: April 21, 2012 / 1200
- 7. Duration of event (hours): 7
- 8. Total person-hours: 41
- 9. Number of repeaters used: 3
- 10. Estimated person-power cost: \$ 779.00 (person-hours times \$19/hr)
- 11. Estimated cost of equipment used: \$ 28900.00 (hand-held, base stations, etc.)
- 12. Total estimated cost of service (10+11): \$ 29679.00
- 13. Nets and/or frequencies used: Travel Net – 447.180/R K6SOA, Mission Viejo Resource Net - 147.645/R K6SOA, Staging Net 146.520 Simplex, Operations Net 146.555 Simplex, Coordination Net 445.100/R KI6DB, Unit-1 Net 446.000 Simplex.
- 14. Number of messages handled: 85
- 15. Names of agencies receiving communications support: City of Mission Viejo, City of Laguna Niguel, City of San Juan Capistrano, City of San Clemente.
- 16. Call signs of major participants: AE6XE, K6DMT, K6IWA, KF6RQW, KJ6BGS, N6SNX, WA6RUZ.
- 17. Other comments: Objective of the exercise was to demonstrate ability to utilize the Incident Command System within a Unified Command and demonstrate the ability provide Mutual Aid to South Orange County Cities. There were 27 participants, 20 of which were from other south county cities, I am not able to provide their call signs or number of messages passed by the other units in the drill, this input is only from the Mission Viejo Unit.

Amateur Radio organization providing service: Mission Viejo RACES-ARES
 Location: Mission Viejo, California

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