

INCIDENT BRIEFING (ICS 201) (FOR ARES (R))

1. Incident Name: METEOR / POTA	2. Incident Number: 2024-7	3. Date/Time Initiated: Date: DEC 14 Time: 0800 LOC
<p>4. Map/Sketch (include sketch, showing the total area of operations, the incident site/area, impacted and threatened areas, overflight results, trajectories, impacted shorelines, or other graphics depicting situational status and resource assignment):</p> <p>North (Alachua) entrance to San Felasco State Park (admission required) Easiest way is to go north on either CR241 or HWY441 toward Alachua, then turn on the new wide Progress Blvd and find the entrance about half-way between 241 and 441. Pay the honor entrance and look for the pavillion immediately on the left.</p> <p>Try to arrive at 0800. There is electricity at the pavillion. The Geminids Meteor Shower should be near its peak</p> <p>We will set up all the following, which doesn't take long at all!</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Tower Trailer with rotator and 6 meter beam 6 meter Meteor Scatter station, with 600 watt amplifier. End-Fed Resonant Half-Wave antenna with high quality balun allowing multiple band operation Sextuple Antenna Multiplexer -- allowing stations to operate simultaneously on multiple HF Bands 80/40/20/15/10 If you wish to operate 17m or 12m -- bring a suitable antenna for those bands and try to set up a bit away from the tower to minimize receiver overloading. 		
<p>5. Situation Summary and Health and Safety Briefing (for briefings or transfer of command): Recognize potential incident Health and Safety Hazards and develop necessary measures (remove hazard, provide personal protective equipment, warn people of the hazard) to protect responders from those hazards.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fun time operating Meteor Scatter and/or HF POTA - US 3651 • ACTIVATION SAVED ON POTA WEBSITE 50.260 MSK144 Meteor Scatter + multiple HF frequencies to be announced • Park Restrooms available on site • RESTRICTIONS: Not allowed to put lines in trees, damage vegetation (hence, we bring tower); you can certainly use "spike" or tripod verticals!! • Bring water, hat, sunscreen etc. Possibly a chair 		
<p>6. Prepared by: Name: G. Gibby_____ Position/Title: Vol_____ Signature: _____</p>		
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7. Current and Planned Objectives: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Safety of volunteers and community 2. Property safety 3. Learn how to do METEOR SCATTER with mentorship from Mike Hasselbeck 4. Operate any other type POTA that you wish! 5. Join us for a LUNCHEON, beginning sometime around 12Noon or 1 PM depending on how much fun we are having -- listen for announcement on the 146.820 repeater LUNCHEON possibly either Alachua Sonny's or Zaxby's. 																												
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9. Current Organization (fill in additional organization as appropriate)

Distributed organization

Location / Effort	Personnel	Comment
Meteor Scatter Mentor	Mike Hasselbeck WB2FKO	
Tower Truck	Gordon Gibby	Emplace tower
?? additional tow?		we could bring a generator trailer if we think we will need more electricity??
POTA Mentor	Probably Ron Lewis or Wendell Wright	

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10. Resource Summary:					
Resource	Resource Identifier	Date/Time Ordered	ETA	Arrived	Notes (location/assignment/status)
Tower Trailer w/ 6 meter beam			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gordon KX4Z
EFHW antenna w/ balun / coax			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gordon KX4Z
Sextuple antenna multiplexer			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gordon or one of the EOC crew
Extension cord			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	Gordon
New EOC HF go box			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	David Huckstep
New EOC HF amplifier			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	David Huckstep
Computer - EOC volunteer			0800	<input type="checkbox"/>	One of the available loaners - Gordon
Any other radio or antenna that you desire			whenever		Bring whatever you like!

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INCIDENT RADIO COMMUNICATIONS PLAN ICS-205

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1. Incident Name: BASIC TEMPLATE	2. Date/Time Prepared: Date: 11/14/2024 Time:	3. Operational Period Date From: NONE Date To: Time From: Time To:
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4. Basic Radio Channel Use:

Zone Grp.	Ch #	Function	Channel Name / Trunked Radio System Talkgroup	Assignment	RX Freq. N or W	RX TONE /NAC	TX FREQ N or W	TX TONE /NAC	MODE (A, D, or M)	Remarks
		Announcements	Local Net	Ham	146.820	123	146.220	123	A	Updates for those who wish to attend luncheon

5. Special Instructions

BASIC CONNECTIONS

6. Prepared By (Communications Unit Leader) Name **G. Gibby** Signature

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