West Contra Costa County EMCOMM Net Control Protocol
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QST, QST, QST. Attention all radio operators.

The West Contra Costa County Emcomm net welcomes you to test communication readiness for emergency and disaster response, serving west county and adjacent areas.

This is (your name) , (your call sign) , Net Control for this session.

This Net meets every Thursday evening at 1845 hours.

This is a directed net. You may break into this net anytime by voicing your call sign suffix.

Voice "emergency" followed by your suffix for emergency traffic. Net control will acknowledge and direct you.

Please do not leave the Net without informing Net Control.

Open check-ins proceed in groups, as designated. Please check-in by stating your full FCC call sign using the phonetic alphabet, adding "with traffic" if you have a message for the net to be handled after check-ins.

- **Mobile check-ins, please come now** . . . *(ask until no response, acknowledge all call signs heard)*
- **Callsign suffixes Alpha - Golf, come now** . . . *(ask until no response, acknowledge all call signs heard)*
- **Suffixes Hotel - November, come now** . . . *(ask until no response, acknowledge all call signs heard)*
- **Suffixes Oscar - Tango, come now** . . . *(ask until no response, acknowledge all call signs heard)*
- **Suffixes Alpha - Zulu, come now** . . . *(ask until no response, acknowledge all call signs heard)*

Hearing no further check-ins, net business begins.
(Call any stations that indicated traffic. When all have responded, give any traffic you may have.)

Is there any further traffic, bulletins, or additional check-ins before closing?

Stand by while I count the check-ins for this net . . . Tonight's count is _____
Can anyone confirm the count? . . . Is there a volunteer to take the count to the county net?

We thank one and all for checking in and those non-participating amateurs who have been standing by during this Net.

We also thank the Contra Costa Communication Club for allowing the use of their repeater.

This Net is now closed at _____ hours

This is (your name) , (your call sign) returning the repeater to normal operation.
Thank you and good night.

(Please note: Net Control, or a designee from the net, reports the count to the County Net at 1920 hours on the WA6HAM repeater at 145.490, neg. offset, PL 107.2) Thank you.