

Alabama Repeater Council Meeting Minutes for Greenville Hamfest 2008

1. ARC President David Drummond called the meeting to order at 10:30 AM, January 26.
2. Officers of the ARC in attendance were acknowledged which were ARC President, W4MD and Frequency Coordinator, K4WWN.
3. Minutes from the Huntsville and Montgomery Hamfest Meetings were read, seconded, and approved as read.
4. Old Business: Howard, K4WWN, discussed completion of some of the frequency coordination's that had been pending as well as the odd split coordination's for D-Star that have been adopted by SARA.
5. New Business : Repeater Directory – Howard confirmed this had been updated and off to ARRL by the required date and the tax form was being prepared for ARRL. Howard also indicated our income from ARRL for the Repeater Directory information was expected to be around \$300.00.
Repeater Council Meetings – Confirmed the next meeting of the ARC to be in Birmingham in May to be followed by Huntsville in August and Montgomery in October. Also there will be no ARC meeting at the Mobile Hamfest.
6. Directors Reports:
 - a. Northern Region: No Directors were present. However Bill, KC0ONR provided information about actions in the region external to ARC responsibilities followed by a discussion.
 - b. North Central Region: No Directors were present. However Tommy Howell, KG4MPU, from Tuscaloosa reported no repeater issues in the region that he was aware of.
 - c. South Central Region:
Stuart May (WD4JRB) reported no issues but did inquire about the status of the inter-city link, which was followed by a discussion.
Wiley Boswell (KE4LTT) reported no issues in the Montgomery Area.
Bobby Chandler (N4AU) reported no issues.
 - d. Southern Region:
Bob Luman (K4MPQ) provided an update of the region with no real issues to report.
7. Attendees:
 - 1.) W4MD – David, President ARC
 - 2.) K4WWN – Howard, Frequency Coordinator ARC
 - 3.) KE4LTT – Wiely, Director South-Central Region
 - 4.) WD4JRB – Stewart May, Director South-Central Region
 - 5.) N4AU – Bobby Chandler, Director South-Central Region
 - 6.) W4MPQ – Bob Luman, Director Southern Region
 - 7.) KG4MPU – Tommy
 - 8.) KG4NAE – Stan
 - 9.) KC0ONR – Bill
 - 10.) KD4FM – Brian Kirby
 - 11.) KI4GGH – Chris Johns
 - 12.)

The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 AM.

Respectfully submitted: David Drummond – ARC President