Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise

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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Pinellas County Scenario



On May 2, 2022, a cold front moves over the southern Gulf of Mexico. A tropical depression forms, later becoming Tropical Storm Amaranth. The storm strengthens modestly over the next few days, and on May 6, 2022, Hurricane Amaranth makes landfall in Pinellas County as a Category 2 hurricane with winds of 100 mph and surge of 6 – 8 ft.

Pinellas ACS is a component of the larger Pinellas County Exercise



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Detailed Pinellas ACS Scenario



- On Sunday May 1st, 2022
 - The National Weather Service issues a bulletin stating that a tropical depression is likely to form in the Southern Gulf of Mexico and that the projected storm track includes Pinellas County.
 - ACS RO notifies ACS membership of Level 3 Activation via Pinellas Alert System and ACS Tactical Resource Net is established at level 3
- On Monday May 2nd, 2022
 - A tropical depression forms, later becoming Tropical Storm Amaranth. There is a high probability that a hurricane
 will make landfall within Pinellas County.
 - As the simulated storm intensifies and land fall probability at Pinellas County increases, ACS RO notifies ACS membership of Level 2 Activation via Pinellas Alert System and ACS Tactical-Resource net is established at level 2.
 - Late on the evening, the ACS RO notifies the membership via Pinellas Alert that ACS will be transitioning to Level 1 activation at 0700 on the morning of May 3^{rd.}
- On the morning of Wednesday May 3rd , 2022
 - Pinellas County orders the mandatory evacuation of zones A, B, and C; Emergency evacuation shelters are opened; and Incident Communication Center (ICC) equipment is prepositioned.
 - At 0700, the ACS Tactical-Resource net is established at Level 1.
 - ACS Radio Operators scheduled for deployment report to the EOC.



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Scope



- Exercise Dates
 - Pinellas County May 2nd through May 6th
 - Pinellas ACS May 1st, May 2nd, and May 3rd
- Pinellas ACS Scope (Big Picture)
 - Evaluate communication objectives and critical tasks performed by Pinellas ACS during the activation of the Pinellas County Emergency Operations Center (EOC) during the approach, landfall, and aftermath of a tropical cyclone.



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Objectives



- *Objectives* What we want to accomplish during the exercise
- Minimum exercise requirements for ACS defined by Pinellas County
 - ACS formalized into written objectives
- Objectives divided between three venues
 - Pinellas County EOC Radio Room
 - Pinellas County Emergency Evacuation Shelters
 - Pinellas County Incident Communication Centers (ICC)
- When possible, objectives and tasking has been aligned to Task Books
 - Position Task Book (PTB) for the Position of Auxiliary Communicator (AUXC)
 - Florida ARRL® Tri-Section ARES® Standardized Training Plan Emergency Communicator Individual PTB



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Objectives – EOC Radio Room



- Establish and maintain voice VHF radio networks that support the exchange of information between the EOC and simulated emergency evacuation shelters.
- Exchange tactical and formal message traffic with Pinellas ACS Radio Operators located at
 - Simulated emergency evacuation shelters using voice VHF radio networks.
 - Simulated ICCs using VHF and 800-MHz voice and VHF Winlink data networks.
- Establish and maintain VHF/UHF radio and telephonic voice landline networks that support resource management and tactical message exchanges between
 - Pinellas County municipalities
 - Deployed ACS resources
 - Pinellas County EOC.
- Exchange tactical and formal message traffic with the state of Florida EOC
 - Amateur voice and Winlink digital radio networks
 - SHARES voice and SHARES Winlink digital radio networks
 - EMnet, MSAT, and TracStar voice satellite networks.



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Objectives – Emergency Evacuation Shelters



- Establish and maintain voice VHF radio networks that support the exchange of information between the EOC and simulated emergency evacuation shelters.
- Exchange tactical and formal message traffic with Pinellas ACS Radio Operators located at the Pinellas County EOC using voice VHF radio networks.
 - Status Reports
 - ICS 213 messages



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Objectives – Incident Communication Centers (ICC)



- Emplace, configure, operate, and maintain deployable satellite ground stations that provide services to collocated emergency management personnel
 - High speed internet
 - Cellular phone
 - Voice over Internet Protocol (VoIP) phone services
- Emplace, configure, and maintain deployable Communications Command Centers (CommandRunnerTM) that provide the following services
 - VHF/UHF amateur radio voice and data networks
 - 700 and 800 MHz public safety networks
- Emplace, configure, and maintain deployable Communications Command Centers that provide the following services to collocated emergency management personnel
 - High speed ethernet and Wi-Fi internet service
 - VoIP telephone service to co-located emergency management personnel by using a commercially available cellular service Wide Area Network (WAN) backhaul capability.
- Establish and maintain VHF/UHF amateur radio and 800 MHz Public Safety voice and data networks that support resource management and tactical message exchanges between
 - Deployed ACS resources
 - Pinellas County municipalities
 - Pinellas County EOC.



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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Work Assignments – EOC Radio Room



ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 204), Adapted for PACS

1. Incident Name:		2. Operational Period:			3.	
Hurricane Amaranth	Exercise	Date From: 5/3/202 Time From: 0900		Date To: 5/3/2022 Time To: 1630	Branch	: Logistics- Service
4. Operations Personnel: Name				Contact Number(s)	Group:	Pinellas ACS
Communications Unit Lead: Clayton Parrott				(727) 647-2388	Unit:	EOC Radio Room
Pinellas ACS Group Supervisor: Clayton Parrott			ott	(727) 647-2388	Staging Area:	
Pinellas ACS Unit Leader: TBD				TBD		as County EOC
5. Resources Assign	ed:		of ersons		Special	ng Location, Equipment and
Resource Identifier	Leader		# of Pers	Contact (e.g., phone, pager, radio frequency, etc.)	Supplies	s, Remarks, Notes, ion
EOC Radio Room	TBD		2	ACS Tactical-Resource Net		

6. Work Assignments

- . Establish the ACS Tactical-Resource net and perform the role of net control.
- Establish the ACS Shelter net and perform the role of net control.
- Exchange tactical / formal voice and digital message traffic with Evacuation Shelters and Incident Communication Centers (ICC) as required to meet mission requirements.
- Perform communication tests with each ICC using the 800-MHZ P25 public safety network.
- Install the TracStar satellite antenna system onto the roof of the Pinellas County EOC.
- Perform communication tests with the state of Florida EOC. Verify that the Pinellas County EOC can communicate with the state of Florida EOC using the following protocols and networks.
 - Amateur Radio HF voice and Winlink digital networks; SHARES voice and Winlink Digital networks
 - The EMnet (Alert and Notification System), MSAT (Satellite Radio Dispatch and Telephone system), and TracStar satellite systems.
- Maintain site ICS 214, ICS 309, and net control logs throughout deployment period.

7. Special Instructions:

- Track the status of deployed ACS resources that are transiting between locations. If an ACS resource does not
 report their arrival at a specified destination within 30-minutes of departure, the EOC will call the resource to find
 out where they are located or, if necessary, send someone to look for them.
- Monitor NOAA weather radio and immediately notify shelter and ICC teams of approaching inclement weather Notification will need to take place on both the ACS Tactical-Resource and ACS Shelter nets.
- Upon Demobilization
 - Deinstall, pack, transport, and store the TracStar satellite antenna system.
 - o Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.

8. Communications (radio and/or phone contact numbers needed for this assignment):

- Deployed ACS resources will notify the EOC via the ACS Tactical-Resource net when transiting between locations. Each resource will notify the EOC upon departure and arrival.
- Local Winlink Digital net will use the W4ACS-10 VHF RMS gateway. This gateway is a member of the Winlink EMCOMM group and is configured to support 1200 baud Packet and VARA FM.
- HF Winlink Digital net (Amateur and SHARES) frequencies will be selected by using the <u>HF Channel Selector</u> function of the Winlink Express computer program. Channel selection based on Path Quality and Reliability estimates. All HF Winlink session will take place using the <u>Pactor</u> protocol.
- ICC Team A will use 800-MHz channel EOC A to perform comm checks with the EOC.
- ICC Team B will use 800-MHz channel EOC B to perform comm checks with the EOC.

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- Monitor NOAA weather radio and immediately notify shelter and ICC teams of approaching inclement weather.
 Notification will need to take place on both the ACS Tactical-Resource and ACS Shelter nets.
- Upon Demobilization:
 - o Deinstall, pack, transport, and store the TracStar satellite antenna system.
 - Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Work Assignments – Shelter Teams



ASSIGNMENT LIST (ICS 204), Adapted for PACS

1. Incident Name:	·	2. Operat	ional Pe	eriod:	3.	·
Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Date From		n: 5/3/20	22 Date To: 5/3/2022	Branch	Logistics-	
		Time From	n: 0900	Time To: 1200		Service
4. Operations Perso	nnel: <u>N</u>	Name_		Contact Number(s)	Group:	Pinellas ACS
Communications Unit Lead: Clayton Pari			rott	(727) 647-2388	Unit:	Evac Shelter Comms
Pinellas ACS Group	Supervisor: C	Clayton Par	rott	(727) 647-2388	Staging	Aron
Pinellas ACS Unit Leader: TBD					"	as County EOC
5. Resources Assign	ned:		S			ng Location,
Resource Identifier	Leader		# of Persons	Contact (e.g., phone, pager, radio frequency, etc.)		Equipment and s, Remarks, Notes, ion
Evac Shelter A	Robert Bu	rke	2	ACS Shelter Net	Lealmai	n Exchange
Evac Shelter B TBD			2	ACS Shelter Net	Bauder	Elementary School
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6. Work Assignments:

- · Report to simulated emergency evacuation shelter
- Install and configure VHF radio equipment within the assigned radio room.
- . Establish and maintain VHF communications with the Pinellas County EOC
- Exchange tactical and formal message traffic with the EOC as required to meet mission requirements.
- . Maintain site ICS 214 and ICS 309 throughout deployment period.

7. Special Instructions:

- · Obtain Shelter Radio Go-Kit from ACS Logistics Officer before departure to assigned shelter
- Upon Demobilization:
 - o Return Shelter Radio Go-Kit to ACS Logistics Officer. Inventory and document all discrepancies.
 - Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.
- . Because the simulated shelter is located outside, be sure to hydrate properly and wear appropriate clothing.

8. Communications (radio and/or phone contact numbers needed for this assignment)

- Contact EOC via ACS Tactical-Resource net when transiting between locations. Notify EOC upon departure and arrival.
- · ACS Shelter net will be used to report shelter status and exchange both tactical and formal message traffic.

9. Prepared by: Nan	ne: Michael H Dra	ke Position/Title: PACS Training Signature: Michael 4 Drake_
ACS Tactical-Resour	ce Net /Tactical	Shelter Radio Channel 01 – (PACS PLAN A – 146.4300MHz Simplex)
ACS Shelter Net	/ Tactical	Shelter Radio Channel 10 – (WD4SCD Repeater – West County)
Name/Function		Primary Contact: indicate cell, pager, or radio (frequency/system/channel)

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6. Work Assignments:

- Report to simulated emergency evacuation shelter.
- Install and configure VHF radio equipment within the assigned radio room.
- Establish and maintain VHF communications with the Pinellas County EOC.
- Exchange tactical and formal message traffic with the EOC as required to meet mission requirements.
- Maintain site ICS 214 and ICS 309 throughout deployment period.

7. Special Instructions:

- Obtain Shelter Radio Go-Kit from ACS Logistics Officer before departure to assigned shelter.
- Upon Demobilization:
 - Return Shelter Radio Go-Kit to ACS Logistics Officer. Inventory and document all discrepancies.
 - Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.
- Because the simulated shelter is located outside, be sure to hydrate properly and wear appropriate clothing.



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Work Assignments – ICC Teams



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1. Incident Name:		2. Operat	2. Operational Period:			
Hurricane Amaranth	Exercise	Date Fron	n: 5/3/20	22 Date To: 5/3/2022	Branch: Logistics-	
		Time From	n: 0900	Time To: 1300		Service
4. Operations Personnel: Name Contact Number(s)			Group:	Pinellas ACS		
Communications Unit Lead: Clayton Parrott			(727) 647-2388	Unit:	Incident Comm Center (ICC)	
Pinellas ACS Group Supervisor: Clayton Parrott			rott	(727) 647-2388	Staging	. ,
Pinellas ACS Unit Leader: Dave Rockw			/ell	(727) 804-5821		as County EOC
5. Resources Assign	ned:		SI			g Location,
Resource Identifier Leader		# of Persons	Contact (e.g., phone, pager, radio frequency, etc.)		Equipment and s, Remarks, Notes, ion	
ICC Team A	Bruce Kre	eutzer 2		ACS Tactical-Resource Net	Tropicar	na Field
ICC Team B Will Scott		2	ACS Tactical-Resource Net	Tyrone I	Mall	

6. Work Assignments

- Report to simulated ICC deployment location. Emplace and configure a SatRunner™ and CommandRunner™ CRD™. Configured ICC should provide the following capabilities to collocated emergency management personnel.
 - Cellular phone, high-speed internet, Wi-Fi, and VoIP phone service via a SATCOM backhaul circuit.
 - VHF/UHF amateur voice and digital networks; and 700-800 MHz public safety networks.
- Exchange tactical / formal voice and digital message traffic with the EOC as required to meet mission requirements.
- Perform communication tests with Pinellas County Municipalities. Verify that the ICC can communicate with
 each municipality using VolP telephone, VHF amateur radio, and the 800-MHz County P25 radio system. Each
 ICC will perform communication tests with alternate halves (60%) of the county municipalities.
- Maintain site ICS 214 and ICS 309 throughout deployment period

7. Special Instructions:

- A list of municipality phone numbers is attached.
- Upon Demobilization:
 - Powers down; inventory and stow all ancillary equipment; and configure the SatRunner™ and CommandRunner™ CRDs™ for transport.
 - o Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.
- . Because the simulated ICC is located outside, be sure to hydrate properly and wear appropriate clothing.

8. Communications (radio and/or phone contact numbers needed for this assignment):

- Contact EOC via ACS Tactical-Resource net when transiting between locations. Notify EOC upon departure and arrival.
- Winlink Digital net will use the W4ACS-10 VHF RMS gateway. This gateway is a member of the Winlink EMCOMM group and is configured to support 1200 baud Packet and VARA FM.
- ICC Team A will use 800-MHz channel EOC A to perform comm checks with local municipalities
- ICC Team B will use 800-MHz channel EOC B to perform comm checks with local municipalities

Name/Function		Primary Contact: indicate cell, pager, or radio (frequency/system/channel)
Coordination A	/ Tactical	800-MHz EOC A
Coordination B	/ Tactical	800-MHz EOC B
ACS Tactical-Resource Net	/ Tactical	PACS PLAN A – 146.4300MHz Simplex
Winlink Data Net	/ Tactical	W4ACS-10

6. Work Assignments:

- Report to simulated ICC deployment location. Emplace and configure a SatRunner[™] and CommandRunner[™] CRD[™]. Configured ICC should provide the following capabilities to collocated emergency management personnel.
 - o Cellular phone, high-speed internet, Wi-Fi, and VoIP phone service via a SATCOM backhaul circuit.
 - VHF/UHF amateur voice and digital networks; and 700-800 MHz public safety networks.
- Exchange tactical / formal voice and digital message traffic with the EOC as required to meet mission requirements.
- Perform communication tests with Pinellas County Municipalities. Verify that the ICC can communicate with each municipality using VoIP telephone, VHF amateur radio, and the 800-MHz County P25 radio system. Each ICC will perform communication tests with alternate halves (50%) of the county municipalities.
- Maintain site ICS 214 and ICS 309 throughout deployment period.

7. Special Instructions:

- A list of municipality phone numbers is attached.
- Upon Demobilization:
 - o Powers down; inventory and stow all ancillary equipment; and configure the SatRunner™ and CommandRunner™ CRDs™ for transport.
 - o Deliver station records to Pinellas ACS Admin Officer.
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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Schedule – Day one, Sunday May 1st, 2022



Day 1:			
May ^{1st} 2022	Personnel	Activity	Location
0900	All Players	StartEx – Begin Operational Period One	
1120	Pinellas EOC	Transcal Disturbance Situation Banart #1	Public Safety
1130	1130 Staff	Tropical Disturbance Situation Report #1	Complex
1700	All Players	ACS RO notifies ACS of Level 3 Activation	Home
1715	All Players	NCS activates Tactical Resource Net at	Home
1/13 All Players		Level 3	Home
1730	All Players	NCS shuts Down Tactical Resource Net	Home



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Schedule – Day Two, Monday May 2nd, 2022



Day 2: May 2 nd 2022	Personnel	Activity	Location
1000	Planners, Controllers, & Evaluators	Equipment and venue checks.	EOC
1130	Pinellas EOC Staff	Tropical Depression #1 Situation Report #2	Public Safety Complex
1200	All Players	ACS RO notifies ACS of Level 2 Activation	Home
1210-1245	All Players	NCS activate Tactical Resource Net at Level 2. Net is shut down for the night after all players check-in.	Home
2000	All Players	ACS RO notifies membership that ACS Level 1 will be activated at 0700 on May 3 rd .	Home



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Schedule – Day Three, Tuesday May 3rd, 2022



Day 2			
Day 3: May 3 rd 2022	Personnel	Activity	Location
0700-0730	Controllers, & Evaluators	Controller and Evaluator Briefing. Check-in for final instructions and communications check.	EOC
0700	All Players	NCS activates Tactical Resource Net at level 1 and directs all player to depart for EOC.	Home
0730	All Players	End Operational Period 1	
0800-0900	All Participants	Operational Period 2 Briefing	EOC
0900	All Players	Conclude Operational Period Briefing, Release players for deployment – Begin Operational Period 2.	EOC
0900-0915	Shelter Teams	Distribute shelter radios and depart for Simulated shelters.	EOC, Sim shelters
0900	ICC Teams	Depart EOC for Incident Communications Center	EOC, ICC
0920-1000	ICC Teams	Arrive at ICC, emplace and configure SatRunner $^{\mathrm{TM}}$ CRD $^{\mathrm{TM}}$	ICC
0930-1000	Shelter Teams	Arrive at Sim shelter location, Set-up equipment, and check-into Shelter net.	Sim Shelters
1000-1030	ICC Teams	Emplace and configure CommandRunner TM CRD $^{TM}.$	ICC

Day 3: May 3 rd 2022	Personnel	Activity	Location
1000-1130	Shelter Teams	Exchange both informal and formal voice message traffic with EOC.	Sim Shelters
1030-1100	ICC Teams	Exchange both informal and formal message traffic with EOC using voice and data nets.	ICC
1100-1130	ICC Teams	Perform communication tests with Pinellas County municipalities.	ICC
1130-1200	Shelter Teams	Demobilize shelter site, pack equipment, return to EOC, and return equipment to Logistics officer.	Sim Shelter, EOC
1130-1200	ICC Teams	Shutdown, pack and ready for transport SatRunner CRD^{TM} and $CommandRunner$ CRD^{TM} .	ICC
1200-1215	ICC Teams	Depart ICC location and return to EOC	ICC, EOC
1230-1330	All Participants	Hotwash for Operational Periods one and two	EOC
1330	Operational Period 1 and 2 Players	End Operational Period 2.	
1330-1430	EOC Team B	Break for Lunch	



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Schedule – Day Three, Tuesday May 3rd, 2022



Day 3: May 3 rd 2022	Personnel	Activity	Location
1430-1500	EOC Team B	Operational Period 3 Briefing	EOC
1500	EOC Team B	Conclude Operational Period Briefing – Begin Operational Period 3.	EOC
1500-1530	EOC Team B	Install the TracStar antenna onto the roof of the Public Safety Complex.	Public Safety Complex Roof
1500-1530	EOC Team B	Exchange formal digital message traffic with the State of Florida EOC using amateur and SHARES radio frequencies.	EOC Radio Rm
1530-1600	EOC Team B	Perform satellite communication tests with the state of Florida EOC.	EOC Radio Rm
1530-1600	EOC Team B	Test operational status of all EOC TracStar Red Phones.	EOC
1600-1630	EOC Team B	Deinstall and pack the TracStar Antenna.	Public Safety Complex Roof
1630-1730	EOC Team B	Hotwash	EOC
1730	All Participants	End Operational Period 3 - EndEx	



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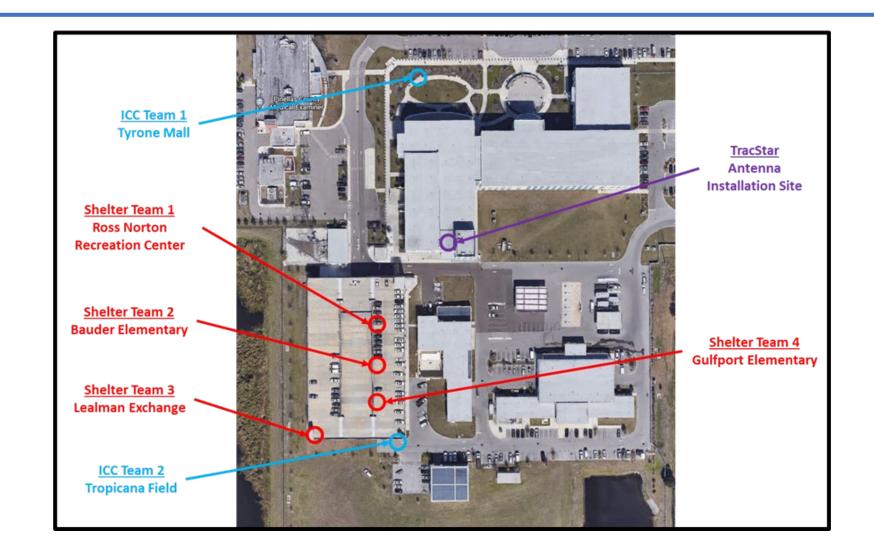


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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Deployment Locations







Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Shelter Deployment Locations



AC Power Outlet



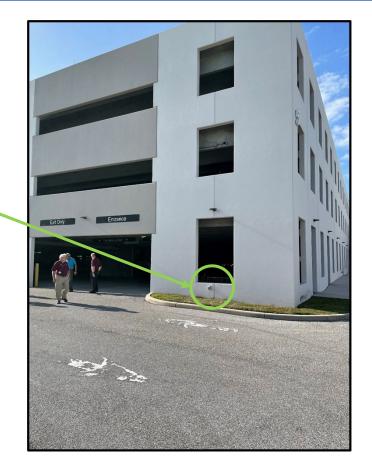
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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise ICC Deployment Locations







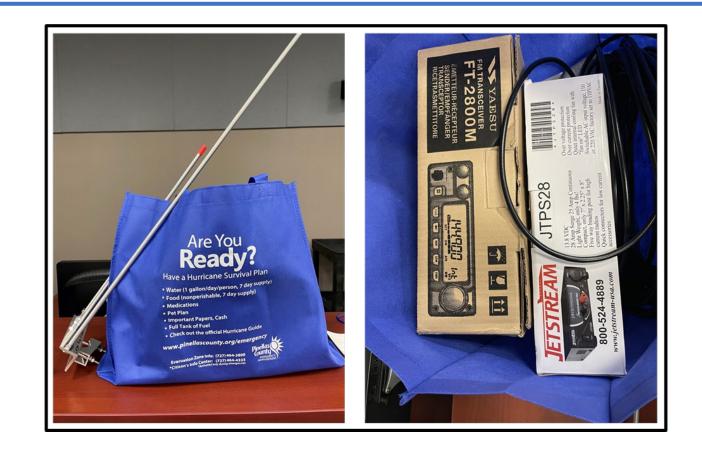


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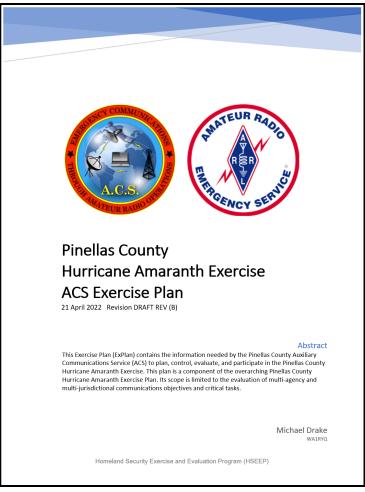


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Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise ACS Exercise Plan





Section 1. Exercise Overview

Section 2. General Information

Section 3. Exercise Logistics

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Section 5. Participant Information and Guidance

Appendix A. Communications Plan

Appendix B. Exercise Participants

Appendix C. Exercise Schedule

Appendix D. Exercise Site Maps

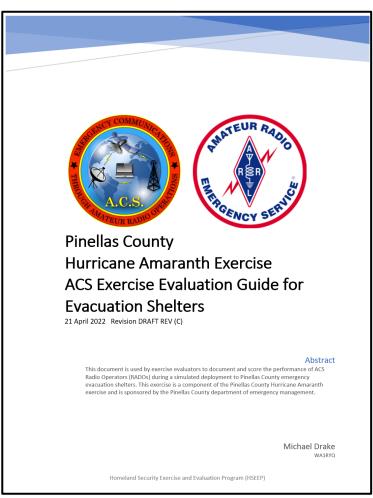
Appendix E. Exercise Scenario

Appendix F. Acronyms, Abbreviations, and Definitions



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Exercise Evaluation Guides (EEG)





- One EEG created for each Venue
 - Evacuation Shelters
 - EOC Radio Room
 - Incident Communication Centers
- List of tasks required to complete each exercise objective
- Used by exercise evaluators
 - Document issued uncovered during exercise
 - Determine where additional training may be required
 - Identify shortfalls in plans, SOPs and Job aids



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise ACS Exercise Evaluation Guide - Sample



Organizational Capability Target 2.

Within 3 hours of ACS Activation, establish a VHF radio Winlink data network that supports the exchange of information between *TBD* Pinellas County special needs emergency evacuation shelters and the Pinellas County EOC. Network communications is maintained for the duration of a 72-hour incident.

Table II. Capability Target 2 - EEG Score Sheet

		AUXC PTB	Observation Notes and Explanation of	Target
Task ID	Critical Task	Item	Rating	Rating
	ACS RADO obtains, assembles, and prepares the	2a.1, 2a.2,	This task will not be evaluated during the	
SCT2T1	material for a personal and Winlink digital Go-Kit	2a.1, 2a.2, 2a.3, 2a.4	May 2022 Pinellas County Hurricane	
	that will support a 72-hour activation period.	28.3, 28.4	Amaranth Exercise.	
	When notified of ACS activation (Pinellas Alert,			
SCT2T2	Email, text, or phone), the ACS RADO notifies the			
301212	ACS RO that he or she is available for activation			
	and accepts evacuation shelter assignment.			
SCT2T3	On an as needed basis, ACS RADO obtains shelter			
301213	radio kit from EOC.			
	ACS RADO obtains incident specific information			
SCT2T4	regarding the deployment from ACS RO/	2b.1, 2b.2		
301214	Deputy RO (deployment location, duration, time	20.1, 20.2		
	of arrival, ICS 204, ICS 205, etc.)			
SCT2T5	ACS RADO installs and configures shelter radio			
301213	equipment at emergency evacuation shelter.			



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise ACS Exercise Evaluation Guide - Ratings



Performed without Challenges (P)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were completed in a manner that achieved the objective(s) and did not negatively impact the performance of other activities. Performance of this activity did not contribute to additional health and/or safety risks for the public or for emergency workers, and it was conducted in accordance with applicable plans, policies, procedures, regulations, and laws.
Performed with Some Challenges (S)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were completed in a manner that achieved the objective(s) and did not negatively impact the performance of other activities. Performance of this activity did not contribute to additional health and/or safety risks for the public or for emergency workers, and it was conducted in accordance with applicable plans, policies, procedures, regulations, and laws. However, opportunities to enhance effectiveness and/or efficiency were identified.
Performed with Major Challenges (M)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were completed in a manner that achieved the objective(s), but some or all of the following were observed: demonstrated performance had a negative impact on the performance of other activities; contributed to additional health and/or safety risks for the public or for emergency workers; and/or was not conducted in accordance with applicable plans, policies, procedures, regulations, and laws.
Unable to be Performed (U)	The targets and critical tasks associated with the core capability were not performed in a manner that achieved the objective(s).



Pinellas ACS Hurricane Amaranth Exercise Conclusion



• Looking for Volunteers!