PALM BEACH COUNTY
SKYWARN SEVERE WEATHER NET

NET CRITERIA
THIS NET PROCEDURE WOULD BE USED WHEN WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE (WFO) MIAMI OR THE STORM PREDICTION CENTER (SPC) HAS ISSUED A SEVERE WEATHER WARNING FOR PALM BEACH COUNTY WHICH INDICATES A TORNADO, FUNNEL CLOUD OR POTENTIAL DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OR INJURIES ARE PROBABLE. IT COULD ALSO BE ACTIVATED BY SKYWARN COORDINATORS OR ARES EC'S BASED UPON BEST JUDGEMENT OF PRESENT CONDITIONS.

NET PREAMBLE

This is (**Your FCC Call Sign**) now activating Palm Beach County Skywarn Severe Weather Net.
I hereby request use of this repeater for the duration of this weather emergency.

 (BREAK)

This is **(Your FCC Call Sign)**, my name is **(Your Name),** located in _____. I will be your Net Control Station, for the **Palm Beach County Skywarn Severe Weather Net.**

 (BREAK)

This is a Directed Net for the purpose of passing weather related traffic only. Please direct all of your communications to Net Control and wait until you are recognized and directed by Net Control to pass traffic. Once your traffic has been passed you should indicate completion of transmission by saying "back to Net Control".   All stations are encouraged to stay checked in until the end of the activation. If you must leave your station, please advise Net Control.

Before we move to regular check-ins, are there any stations with emergency or priority traffic, please call Net Control?

(Call Sign) please pass your traffic.

 (BREAK)

If at any time you need to interrupt routine traffic with emergency traffic, please use a double (BREAK),(BREAK) to indicate you have emergency traffic.

Do we have any stations with routine traffic?   Please call Net Control now with your routine traffic.

(Call Sign) please pass your traffic.

I will now call for regular net check-ins to identify what areas of the county are being represented. Give your call sign, slowly using standard phonetics, your name, your Skywarn Spotter number and provide your specific location.   I will call stations by EOA area.

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 1

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 2

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 3

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 4

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 5

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

Do we have any Skywarn Spotters from EOA 6

Net wishes to recognize…(Call Sign), (Name) at (Specific Location)

(REPEAT EVERY 10 MINUTES)

This is **(Your FCC Call Sign)**, NET CONTROL for the **Palm Beach County Skywarn Severe Weather Net**

Are there any stations with emergency or priority traffic, please call Net Control?

(Call Sign) please pass your traffic.

 (BREAK)

Do we have any stations with routine traffic?   Please call Net Control now with your routine traffic.

(Call Sign) please pass your traffic.

At Termination of Net

This is **(Your FCC Call Sign)**, NET CONTROL for the **Palm Beach County Skywarn Severe Weather Net.** I want to thank all of the stations that participated. At this time our Severe Weather conditions have passed and I am terminating the Palm Beach County Skywarn Severe Weather Net.

All stations may now secure.
This net is now secured at **(time)** local time.
This is **(Your FCC Call Sign)** returning all repeaters to normal amateur use.

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