

CARES Monthly Meeting



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CARES 501(c)(3) Update

December meeting – elections CARES 501(c)(3)

Current officers:

- **Mitch Bayersdorfer (W7MDB) - President (re-elected). Office term expires 31-Dec-2026**
- **Joe Marek (N7KPL) - Treasurer (re-elected), term expires 31-Dec-2026**
- **Steve Jensen (KE7GXC) - Secretary (re-elected), term expires 31-Dec-2026 -- Jeremy KI7BDP - shared (election count was a tie)**
- **Joe Mohr (KC7ZZX) - Director Position #1, term expires 31-Dec-2026**
- **Ryan Poteet, KC7TAK - Director Position #2, term expires 31-Dec-2026**
- **Eric Thatcher, KF7IKI - Director position #3, two year term expires 31-Dec-2027**

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Technology:

- Join the "ClackamasARES" group in groups.io
 - ClackamasARES@groups.io
 - CAREStech@groups.io
- CARES tech zoom call Tuesdays @ 4pm

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November Total hours: 751

- **SET's / Exercises hours: 0**

- **Training hours: 340**

- **Other hours: 411**

- **2025 Year Total will be reported in February**

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Joe N7KPL will speak for a few minutes regarding hex beam on Dec-2025 Australia, Brazil, Chile etc.

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CARES Weather Net Activation

- **Thursday 18th of December**
- **Friday 19th December**

- **Supported Clackamas County Disaster Management (CCDM)**

- **Watch for updates in CARES documentation**

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Recruit Recruit Recruit For CARES

We need more members !

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Please support ARRG arrg.org

**ARRG owns and operates the Mt Hood repeater
which we use (CLAC 1) and many other repeaters in
the area**

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ANNUAL REMINDER:

No religious or political discussions, including signature gathering, during CARES or sub-unit meetings -- This is critical to maintain our IRS 501(c)(3) taxation status

One exception – CARES may make recommendations to support frequency allocations, HOA laws, etc. which benefit ham radio

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Malia Kupillas KK7PIL ---- Silent Key

Malia was a CARES SOCO member
and she presented to CARES
regarding preparedness -
June 2024 and Jan 2025

Malia passed in mid-December

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Questions?

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Tonight's – presentations:

Presentation – Jeremy (KI7BDP):

- **Our MOU with Clackamas county – review**
- **Task book update**
- **Standing Order – review**

These topics are fundamental to our service organization's operations

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Questions?

Other announcements?

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