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Marshall County Amateur Radio Club

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PURPOSE:

The purpose of the formation of this club is to benefit and support Radio Amateurs and their role in the community.

MEETINGS:

Meetings will be held on the third Tuesday of every month. Starting times of meetings will be as close as possible to 8:00 p.m. Closing times of meetings will be as close as possible to 9:00 p.m. Roberts Rules of Order shall govern all proceedings. Meeting places are to be decided upon by the membership.

MEMBERSHIP:

Membership shall be open to all FCC licensed Radio Amateurs. Upon reaching the age of 55, free lifetime membership can be obtained by having 10 previous years of paid membership or by a majority vote of the current club members.

DUES:

Dues are to be set at 5 dollars a year. Payment of dues will be yearly as you are added to the roll. There will be a 30 day grace period. After 30 days of non-payment that member will be automatically dropped from the roll. Any lifetime member or full dues paying member may submit any licensed family member living in the same household for a membership rate of \$1 per year.

OFFICERS/OFFICES:

Club officers shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary-Treasurer, and Trustee. All officers shall be elected by ballot except the Trustee. The Trustee shall be appointed by the 3 elected officials. Upon a death or resignation, a new officer shall be elected or appointed, as the case may be as soon as possible.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS:

President: The President shall open and close all meetings. He/She shall also conduct all meetings in an orderly and concise manner as befitting his/her office.

Vice-President: The Vice-President shall assume all duties of the President if he/she becomes unable to perform them. The Vice-President shall automatically be chair-person of the Finance Committee if there is one.

Secretary-Treasurer: The Secretary-Treasurer shall keep, provide, and read all minutes. He/She shall keep a current listing of all members, their addresses, and phone numbers. He/She shall keep a balanced treasury book and provide a verbal treasury report at each meeting. He/She shall also provide a written treasury statement at the end of each fiscal year. The Secretary-Treasurer shall also provide membership cards to each member as they pay their dues.

Trustee: The Trustee shall have a primary responsibility of seeing that all authorized bills be paid and that no unauthorized monies be paid out. His/Her secondary responsibility shall be to provide continuity between the club and public officials, their officers and all interested parties.

TERM OF OFFICE:

All terms of office shall be one year. In the event of a death or resignation, the new officer's term shall run until the end of the fiscal year.

THE CLUB'S FISCAL YEAR:

The club's fiscal year shall be from April 1 to April 1