

Oly-Comm Repeater Terms & Conditions

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Authorized licensed GMRS users are welcome to use:

“Oly-Comm1” with a tone of 100.0 Hz

“Oly-Comm2” with a tone of 210.7 Hz

or

“Oly-Comm3” with a tone of 141.3 Hz

Organizational Members (only) are authorized to access “Oly-Comm3” with a tone of 91.5 Hz - the “silent monitoring” tone for members not wishing to monitor all traffic at all times.

Communications must be pursuant to Part 95.1731, et al in accordance with encouraged “Good Neighbor” operational procedures. Specific Tiers of operation are defined at www.radioofhope.org/Oly-Comm

Exact equipment choice by volunteers, within Oly-Comm operations, is not specifically prescribed. Users are expected to be familiar with, and adherent to, published FCC regulations and policy applications. Therefore, we will not serve as “Spectrum Police” and only encourage “clean” operations by all.

Because “Oly-Comm1” and “Oly-Comm2” are designed for operation as an “overlapping” regional and local saturation system they operate on the same frequency, but have different control tones. Consequently, all users must:

- a. listen in carrier squelch mode (no receive tones on their receiver) so as to effectively monitor for all ongoing traffic prior to transmitting and
- b. identify which repeater they are using. “This is Xxx monitoring “Oly-Comm1” or “Oly-Comm2” followed by “your call sign here”. When no traffic is present users are free to initiate new radio communications on either system.

If Oly-Comm Net Control is activated for specified tasks, such as a weekly net, operational exercises or actual disaster communications, such as the Great Shakeout (occurring every October), all other traffic should stand-by until the frequency is cleared for routine traffic. Urgent or emergency traffic to protect life or property supersedes this stipulation.

Oly-Comm does not charge for use of any repeaters, but voluntary donations to cover system costs and reserves-for-repairs are always welcome.

Questions regarding these terms and conditions are always encouraged, feel free to contact us at info@radioofhope.org