

MERT WINLINK CAPABILITIES

MERT/EOC radio room has the capability to use WINLINK EXPRESS. New equipment was purchased after the original was destroyed by a lighting hit. It is a high-speed HF Pactor SCS PTC III Modem and we also have an earlier version of Pactor SCS PTCII in the Mobile Command Center (MCC trailer). MERT also has a Gateway DIGI repeater on VHF and capabilities to send, receive and also printout ICS forms and Email messages.

If there is a total loss of INTERNET, the above has the capability to send forms and messages to WINLINK user's Call Sign addresses. It also has capability to send normal individual email addresses.

If the internet is in service, you can send forms and messages as described above via TELNET. TELNET is a SUPERFAST delivery system, unlike normal email.

Winlink Express can be used on VHF using a KPC3+ TNC or using a Sound Card such as a Signalink and soundcard software available on the Winlink web site.

On HF, Winlink has many ways it can be used with a Signalink Sound Card or if you have big bucks a Pactor modem (fast speed). The Winlink Express program is continually updated to improve and keep a variety of ICS, Radiograms, Hospital, and a variety of forms.

If you want to know all there is about WINLINK, CLICK on www.winlink.org

