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Last Wednesday evening, I hosted my first Colorado ARES Leadership meeting that included both Region Emergency Coordinators and District Emergency coordinators. We had good participation and lots of good discussion and questions. I plan to continue hosting meetings like this with Region ECs meeting monthly and both Region ECs and District ECs meeting together once a quarter.

As mentioned previously on this net, Colorado AuxComm and Colorado ARES jointly decided to vacate our memorandum of understanding. This allows Colorado AuxComm and Colorado ARES to be decoupled with each organization able to pursue their own direction. Colorado ARES will remain a communications resource that can be requested when DHSEM has a need for trained radio operators that exceed Colorado AuxComm's ability to provide.

Lastly, this weekend RM Ham and Colorado ARES reviewed, and signed a revised MOU. This MOU allows Colorado ARES to use RM Ham's extensive repeater systems to support the mission of Colorado ARES. What is the mission of Colorado ARES? Our mission is to provide emergency communications support to County and municipal Offices of Emergency Management and non-profit organizations with a focus on serving the community. If interested, you can find the revised MOU on either the RM Ham or [Colorado ARES](#) websites.