



Go Bags

Equipment:

- ARES/RACES/ ID Card
- Copy of Amateur Radio License
- HANDHELD RADIO (dual band if possible)
- SPARE BATTERY Packs (CHARGED nicad and AA)
- HEADSET, SPEAKER-MIC.
- 19IN. MAG. MOUNT/GROUND PLANE ANTENNA (will function on 70cm)
- 50 FT RG8X COAX WITH CONNECTORS
- CONNECTOR ADAPTERS (bnc/pl259)
- DUCT TAPE
- SHORTHAND NOTEBOOK, PEN AND CLIP BOARD
- WATCH
- MAPS (Bucks and PA)
- COPIES OF MESSAGE FORMS
- BRIGHT COLOR MARKING TAPE
- Digital Camera and or Video Camera

Survival Items:

- 3-DAY SUPPLY OF PERSONAL MEDICATION!
- WARM JACKET AND BOOTS (bright colors for shirts and jackets)
- FIRST AID KIT
- Moist Towelette Packets
- SUN SCREEN
- RAIN SUIT
- Space Blanket
- Plastic ground cover tarp
- HAT
- ORANGE VEST (for use if your clothing is drab colored)
- SPARE GLASSES (spare contact solutions if you wear them)
- Spare shoelaces and some twine
- Wool blanket
- Fanny-pack/Back-Pack
- SUPPLY OF WATER
- Sports/Bicycle water bottle
- High-energy snacks
- Large trash bags
- TOILET PAPER/KLEENEX
- Flashlight W/extra batteries
- Whistle

Tools:

- SWISS ARMY KNIFE
- SCREW DRIVER (phillips and flat)
- PLIERS
- SIDE CUTTER
- Crimp Tool (includes wire stripper)

- Assortment of crimp connectors, nails, brads, tacks
- CRESENT WRENCH
- HAMMER
- ELECTRICAL TAPE
- VOM

For public service events:

- COOLER with FOOD & DRINK
- Lawn chair
- Umbrella (sun or rain)
- Optional items:
- Mobile Radio
- 3 Wire AC Extension Cord w/2-3 pin adaptor
- AC to 12V power supply
- Soldering Iron w/solder
- 2M Beam Antenna w/Tripod, mast & guy rope
- Nut Driver set
- Folding set of Allen/Torx wrenches
- Zip Cord
- Cash (for pay phones & if power is out)
- Transistor radio
- Binoculars
- Scanner

HF Unique:

- HF rig (12V dc preferred) with:
- Mic
- Key
- Headphones, ext speaker
- Tuner - for the oddball antenna
- 50 ft + RG58 or better
- NVIS antenna: (NOT a mobile vertical!)
- 75m dipole w/ ladder line or 130 ft of wire or equivalent
- Insulators
- 3 Masts, 8ft or more, preferably non-conductive
- Guy rope
- Tent pegs for guys
- Lead weight & 50 ft light line for tossing over branches
- "Loud" marking tape to warn passers -by of guys, lines.
- Power source (one or more):
- 12V gel cell 75 A/H w/ charger
- Vehicle w/ 12V battery & gas
- Portable shack:
- Shelter tent
- Table & chair