HCARES MEETING NOTES 01/07/2012

- The meeting was called to order by Steve Quear, WA9FTT, at the EMA office at 10:00 AM.
- Sherrie Vermande, KD5YBP, presented the Treasurer's report. The budget was presented. The Club approved the budget as stated.

Postage	\$ 10.00
Indiana Repeater Council	\$ 8.00
Indiana Secretary State	\$ 10.00
QSL.net	\$ 50.00
Amateur Radio Newsline	\$50.00
Field Day	\$125.00
Miscellaneous	\$35.00
IRCC Dues	\$10.00
Club Prizes	\$ 25.00
TOTAL	\$ 323.00

- The Club approved paying the \$36.29 expense that Eric Eilers, K9ZX, spent on repairing the power supply.
- On the 2nd Saturday morning in February there will be a packet workshop at the Cicero Fire station. This is highly recommended that you attend. This will run from 9:00 AM to 12:00 noon. It is open to all members.
- We discussed putting a voice identification module on the county HCARES repeater.
- We discussed getting more amateur's to join the club. It was suggested that we announce this in the Marion county net. We could tell them that now our repeater is a wide area repeater. Joe Marsh, KJ9M, will do this. We have suggested that we have each person bring in 3 suggestions for programs for the next meeting so that we can arrange for the programs. Eric Eilers proposed to give a talk on a long wire antenna that he built over Thanksgiving for the next February meeting. Tim Vermande, KD5URS, will get some ideas on website design and a shorter URL.
- The meeting was adjourned at 11:15 AM.

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Secretary

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