

EMRG
(a.k.a. Ottawa ARES)

Organization

- 79 members, 66 listed as “active”
- ~25 actively participate
- Updated member list mailed to members
- Peter VE3BQP assuming new role
- Richard VE3UNW new team leader
- Some decentralization of responsibilities

Relationships

- Still excellent rapport with the City et al.
- EMRG official City of Ottawa photo IDs
- Tower/floor space at Fire Dispatch FB
- ESS radio installation approved
- Plans to reaffirm our Red Cross support
- Guided tour of EOC in the works

Events

- EMRG tri-annual meetings
- CEMC “Collegeville” exercises (monthly)
- CN Cycle for CHEO (May)
- Canadian Ski Marathon (February)
- Plans to resume SET participation
- Training program showing progress

Training

- Old, coordinated system not sustainable
- New method was adopted to correct this
- Modular approach; “snack size”
- Self-directed study, quiz/pace yourself
- Easier for us to produce good material
- Available online, new work welcome

<http://emrg.ca>