

Dakota Division Update  
Matt Holden KØBBC  
Vice Director Dakota Division  
ARRL Board Of Directors

# Hurricane Relief Operations

Primary operations 14.265 MHz  
Stay clear +/- 3 KHz

25 Two person teams on the ground  
Install repeater on one of the highest points on the island  
Hospital survey  
Dam monitoring  
Safe and Well data collection at Red Cross shelters

Tropical storm (hurricane) Nate?!?!?!?!?

# Ham Aid



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GO Boxes provided by the ARRL, at no cost, to requesting organizations.

All GO Boxes, previously in stock, are deployed.

Please donate money to purchase additional equipment so additional GO Boxes can be built and shipped.

[www.arrl.org/arrl-donation-form](http://www.arrl.org/arrl-donation-form)

# Amateur Radio Parity Act



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# Division Election

The ARRL board of Directors is conducting an election to choose the new Dakota Division director and vice director

Current Director Kent Olson KAØLDG has a new job and is not seeking re-election.

# On The Ballot

## Two Director Candidates

Matt Holden, KØBBC    Dakota Division Vice Director  
Bloomington Minnesota

Dean Summers, NØND  
Dickinson, North Dakota

# On The Ballot

## Four Vice Director Candidates

Lynn Nelson, WØND      North Dakota Section Manager  
Minot, North Dakota

Chris Stallkamp, KIØD      South Dakota Section Manager  
Selby, South Dakota

Jay Maynard, K5ZC      Minnesota Repeater Council  
Fairmont, Minnesota

Tom Karnauskas, NØUW      Steele County ARES  
Owatonna, Minnesota

# Division Election

Ballots should have been mailed, from ARRL HQ, by October 1<sup>st</sup>

All ARRL members, as of September 10, 2017, will be postal mailed a ballot

Ballots must be received by ARRL HQ by Noon Eastern Time on November 17th

The new director and vice director begin their two year terms on January 1, 2018



# Division Information

Dakota Division Website

<http://www.arriIdakota.org/>

Hamfest Calendar

Division Announcements

Division Leadership Biographies

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