

For Winlink capable stations that want to participate in the statewide monthly siren report this template or similar will be available for the January 2023 siren test. Download the latest templates when Winlink Express queries you for template updates.

Final initial distribution version of the Hawaii Siren Report ver 1.0.2 will be released on or around Dec 28, 2022. It will be in the Standard Templates section under HI State Forms outside of the HCDA folder. The Winlink team performed all the web template development.

This template can be used by all Winlink users in Hawaii. It is similar to the Winlink Check-In Template. If you enter your lat/lon in the Winlink Express Settings menu, it will auto-populate that information and Grid Square. You send the form to SIRENRPT-HI which is a Winlink tactical address via telnet or any Winlink gateway you can access, both HF & FM. The tactical address is sent to a HI-EMA RACES member who will process the information into a statewide report including a pin map of where it was heard and not heard for submission to emergency management. Use the cc address box if you wish the information be sent to your county amateur radio coordinator for county specific processing. You can add the cc address after you submit the form but before you post it to the out box. Although you can send this form to any email address, it must be sent to a Winlink address (station call letters or a tactical address) in order for the recipient to use Winlink Express to generate maps and CSV files.

For the first working day of the month siren test, please submit your form by 6pm HST on the day of the siren test. Use the SAVE REPORT DATA option on the bottom left of the template and next month if you are reporting especially from the same location, it will auto-populate the template, make any changes that have occurred from last month and you should have this activity completed in under one minute.

This form can also be used in real world events when you hear alert sirens, an aircraft PA overhead or receive notification from some other sources such as the Emergency Alert System (EAS) from broadcast radio/TV, cell phone notification, public safety patrol vehicle, or NOAA weather radio. This form would typically be used for wide-area events such as hurricanes & tsunamis or any event leading to a use of the siren notification. You should submit this form in a real-world event at your first safe opportunity.

If you normally provide a siren response via a voice net, please continue with your voice net operations and submit the Winlink Hawaii Siren Form as well.

This form also provides Winlink users a monthly opportunity to keep their Winlink skills current with actual usage. The webmaster will post the monthly Siren GEO pin map with no station details on this website. Mahalo for participating and serving your community with amateur radio EMCOMM support. Carter KH6FV

Hawaii Siren Report

Setup Click to add your agency/group name to title**Load HI Siren Report Data**[Form Info](#)

This form is used to report if siren(s) are heard, not heard or other via Winlink Express.
(Other methods may be NOAA Weather Alert, CAP/National Guard/Public Safety Aircraft PA Systems, EAS from Broadcast Networks.)

Date/Time: Report Type: Monthly Test Real Event Siren

Send To:
Entries will remain until you change or clear them

Calls Signs of On-Site Operator(s):

Station Contact Name: Station Call sign:

Location:

County: Oahu Kauai Maui/Kalawao Hawaii (Big Island)

Latitude and longitude: LAT LON MGRS Grid

LAT/LON and MGRS default to the center of the grid square listed in Express Settings, unless a GPS is used or Lat/LON or MGRS must be entered manually. Without properly formatted GPS coordinates this form cannot be mapped in Winlink Express.

Siren Status: Heard Siren Did Not Hear Siren Heard Aircraft or Mobile PA Warning Other W/Remark in Comments

Comments Max Characters 220

Add any additional siren note you wish to add, Weak, Loud, CAP Aircraft PA, siren location or its ID number if known, new outage as I heard it last month.

Save HI Siren Report Data**Submit****Reset Form**Ver 1.0.2

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