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APCO Phonetics

A – Adam	N – Nora
B – Boy	O – Ocean
C – Charles	P - Paul
D – David	Q - Queen
E – Edward	R - Robert
F – Frank	S - Sam
G – George	T - Tom
H – Henry	U - Union
I – Ida	V - Victor
J – John	W - William
K – King	X - Xray
L – Lincoln	Y - Young
M - Mary	Z - Zebra

Note: When using the APCO Phonetics for Unit ID #'s, please note when referring to a Staff(s) member we do not use "Sam." Please use "STAFF" for the letter "S".

At the Semi-Annual meeting in 2007 the membership discussed the subject of the APCO phonetics versus the International phonetics used by the ham community. By majority vote of the membership, DCS adopted the complete use of the APCO Phonetics. Other phonetic systems are not to be used while passing traffic, during Nets, parades, funerals, or any other DCS sanctioned event. This is to support, assist, and to alleviate any misunderstandings with our sponsoring agency which we support wholeheartedly.