## CONFIGURING BEACONING IN DIREWOLF FOR RASPBERY PI PACKET

If you want to beacon your station information go to the root directory on your raspberry pi and use a text editor to edit direwolf.conf file, and scroll down to the following section.

## ORIGINAL DIREWOLF.CONF FILE <u>BEFORE</u> EDITING

\* # # # # FIXED POSIION BEACONING PROPERTIES # # \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* # # Beaconing is configured with these two commands: # # PBEACON - for a position report (usually yourself) # OBEACON - for an object report (usually some other entity) # # Each has a series of keywords and values for options. # See User Guide for details. # # Example: # # This results in a broadcast once every 10 minutes. # Every half hour, it can travel via one digipeater hop. # The others are kept local. #

#PBEACON delay=1 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi" lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W power=50 height=20 gain=4 comment="Chelmsford MA" #PBEACON delay=11 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi" lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W power=50 height=20 gain=4 comment="Chelmsford MA" #PBEACON delay=21 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi" lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W power=50 height=20 gain=4 comment="Chelmsford MA"

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## DIREWOLF.CONF FILE AFTER EDITING

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# Example:
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# This results in a broadcast once every 10 minutes.
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#
#PBEACON via=WIDE1-1 delay=1 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi"
lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W comment="put your call other
information here"
#PBEACON via=WIDE1-1 delay=11 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi"
lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W comment="put your call other
information here"
#PBEACON via=WIDE1-1 delay=21 every=30 overlay=S symbol="digi"
lat=42^37.14N long=071^20.83W comment="put your call other
information here"
(In this example I have removed the power, height and gain (PHG),
 and put in the correct Lat and Long, plus 'comment' info if
  you so choose. eg: call, QTH, etc.)
Then select which of the three beacons you want to use by
removing the "#" character in front of your choice. Remove only
one of these "#". ie: you only want ONE beacon version active.
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