

DX Advisory Committee Report

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Board of Directors**

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Introduction

The DX community continues to be active with the increase in the number of sun spots. This is demonstrated by a continued interest in DXCC programs and DXpeditions being planned and actively occurring around the world.

The committee has been relatively inactive the last six months with no significant items to address.

Feedback from the DX Community

It seems that the concerns of some DXers around the world about the DXCC entity criteria were overstated. The criteria was not an issue for a very successful STOR operation to activate this “new one”.

Recent feedback has been minimal with only a few negative comments noted concerning the name change of the RTTY award to Digital. After the initial few comments, it has been relatively quiet.

Some concerns were expressed by committee members over an article in the Southeastern DX Club August newsletter. It was an argument for expanding the 10 KHz DX window on 75 meters. This issue was referred to the Band Planning Committee.

Committee Happenings

We have not been tasked this reporting period.

Final Comments

I'm very proud of the committee and their continued dedication and participation. We have a very good working relationship with our committee liaison and look forward to any possible future tasking.

Respectfully submitted,

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