

Texas DX Society
1821 Meadowview
Alvin, Texas 77511
November 13, 1973

Dear Club Members,

First off, I would like to welcome the two new members to the club. They are, of course, W5WMU and W5RER.

It is time to vote on next years president. We have seven nominations this time. The people nominated are: K5DEG, WA5LES, K5PFL, W5SBX, K5SOR, WA5UHT and W5ZR. Please mark you choice on the ballot sheet, place it in the ballot envelope and return it to me. I humbly request that you do not cast your ballot for me. I have my hands full with the secretarial duties and could not properly handle both offices.

Also enclosed you will find a questionnaire. Please fill it out also and return it to me.

The club banquet is still scheduled for December 29th. The location is still in question but should be clarified very shortly. I will notify everyone as to the final details about December 1st.

The early contest results are in and the club scores are looking very good. The sweepstakes phone weekend was especially gratifying. It looks like the club phone total is about 900,000 points. With a good effort from everyone on C. W. we may go over 1.5 million points which would probably put us in the top five clubs nationwide.

On all of these contests, it is necessary for me to know your final score and totals so that I can submit the club letter. Please send me a copy of your summary sheet or if you don't know what to do, send me the whole thing and I will see that it is properly prepared and handled. If you send me logs, I will copy them (if you wish) and send the originals back to you.

This letter has been written in somewhat of a rush and I hope I have not left out anything. Please get the ballots back to me before December 1st.

Also if you have any questions, look for me on 3780 most nights at 0200 (8 p.m.). I generally am on the band around that time.

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A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'RLK', written in dark ink.

Richard L. King, K5PFL
Secretary - Texas DX Society

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Enclosures

CONSTITUTION

NAME: Texas DX Society

OFFICERS: President (elected)

Vice President (elected) (Also succeeds president should he step down)

Secretary/Treasurer (appointed by the president) (Also steps to the presidency should both the president and vice-president step down.)

TERM OF OFFICE: 1 year (January 1 through December 31)

METHOD OF ELECTION: Nominations to be received after October 1 and before October 31.

Ballots go out shortly after November 1 and must be returned by November 30.

If runoff is necessary, ballots go out soon after December 1 and must be returned by December 31.

Vote for one (1) man for president and the second leading vote getter will assume the office of vice president. Election will be by over 50% majority. (It is O.K. for the (Secretary/Treasurer to hold another office concurrently.)

DUES: Dues will be 50¢ per month payable to the end of the year. (Ours will start June 1, i.e. \$3.50) Also, an initial fee of \$5.00 is required.

CLUB TREASURY: The disposition of club money will be decided by a 75% majority of members that are voting. In order for a vote to be official, at least 50% of the club membership must have voted. The treasurer must present a financial statement to the membership twice a year on or about April 1 and

CLUB TREASURY (continued) October 1. The president, vice president, sec/treas jointly can authorize small appropriations not to exceed \$10 at any one time and not to exceed \$25 total for a yearly period.

NEW MEMBERS: New members must be nominated by a current member. After official application has been submitted a waiting period of 30 days is necessary before voting. A vote of 75% with atleast 50% of the members voting is necessary to admit the new member.

GENERAL BUSINESS: All general business requires a 75% vote with at least 50% of the members voting.

CONSTITUTION CHANGES: All constitution changes require a 75% vote of the entire club membership.