

**Northeast Wisconsin DX Association**  
**(NEWdxA)**  
**September 13, 2003**  
**Minutes**

Call To Order

The Fall meeting of NEWdxA was called to order by President George Croy, W9MDP, at 10:00 am at the Country Buffet, Appleton, WI.

Attendance

17 Members and one guest were present.

Financials

Bob Schrader, AA9GZ reports we have \$2052.12 in the treasury.

Old Business

Bob, AA9GZ, reminds members that dues are due. Please remit your \$8.00 annual dues to him. Reminder letters will go out to members in arrears to send in their dues. George, W9MDP, has enough orders for jackets and will be submitting an order this week. If you would like a NEWdxA jacket, please let George know. John, NZ9Z, showed an article from Monitoring Times highlighting 4S7VK, Victor. On the cover is a picture of the antenna Jim Promis' (WY9E) (SK) family donated though the Association to Victor. (It really is a small world.)

New Business

Broad Band Over Power Lines issue was discussed. The Association fully supports not allowing Broad Band over power lines and wishes to support the ARRL in its work to fight this issue. Upon Motion by Tom, K9CJM, seconded and passed unanimously,

Motion

Be it Resolved: That in support of the ARRL a \$100 contribution be made to fight Broad Band over Power Lines.

Nominations

Nominations are open for 2004 Officers. Any one wishing to be on the Board of Directors or an Officer of NEWdxA for 2004 please let George, W9MDP know. Elections will be held at the November 8, 2003 meeting. We also discussed meeting closer to the middle of state. The Secretary will look in to a meeting place near Waupaca, WI for a future meeting. It was noted that four NEWdxA members were featured in September 2003 CQ magazine articles. Tom, N9WI, and Dale, WB9NRK, were featured in an article on Wisconsin ham radio and Fran and Chuck Thiesen (W9XYL, K9IA) received their Worked All Counties Award. Congratulations to our members.

DX-Peditions

Tom, N9WI, presented materials he received in regard to a British DX-pedition to Eritrea in February 2004, (E30PA). Upon Motion made by Ed, AA9OZ, seconded and passed unanimously,

Motions

Be It Resolved: A \$100 contribution be made to the E30PA DX-pedition, Steve Wilson, G3VMW.

Be It Resolved: A \$50 contribution be made to NEWdxA member Pete, K8PT in support of his DX-pedition to the Jersey Islands with Craig, K3PLV.

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Adjourn

Meeting adjourned 11:01 am.

Program

John, NZ9Z, had a question on tilt over, crank up, or hazer towers and Mark, W9OP, talked about his new Ten-Tec Orion.

Respectfully Submitted,

Tom Prust, N9WI, Secretary