## North Alabama DX Club (NADXC) DX Donation Policy

A mission of the NADXC is to support DXing and major DXpeditions by providing funding to support planning and execution of the DX activation. A funding request from the organizers of a planned DXpedition should be directed to the NADXC DXpedition Funding Committee (NDFC) by completing the NADXC Funding Application, available on the NADXC website (<u>www.nadxc.org</u>) and submitting it by email to treasurer@nadxc.org. The NDFC shall be made of at least three or more NADXC members that have earned DXCC, achieved DXCC Honor Roll, been licensed more than 15 years, or a mixture of these criteria and must be appointed by the President or Vice-President of the NADXC.

The NDFC will determine how well the DXpedition plans to meet key considerations set by the NDFC committee and as shown in the table. If the NDFC recommends supporting any DXpedition, a recommended funding amount will be determined based on the criteria. The chairman of the NDFC will make a recommendation at a club meeting prior to the DXpedition, to be voted on by the NADXC membership.

The following criteria will influence whether a particular DXpedition will be funded by the NADXC.

| DXpedition destination                  | Website with logos of club sponsors   |
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| Ranking on the ClubLog Most Wanted List | QSL cards with logos of club sponsors |
| Availability of online logs             | Use of pilot stations                 |
| Logistics and transportation costs      | Number of experienced operators       |
| Number of stations on the air           | LOTW log submission                   |
| Planned bands & modes                   |                                       |

Table: Factors considered when funding DXpeditions

Requests from non-major DXpeditions, such as individual DXpeditions, two-man DXpeditions, etc. will be at the discretion of the NDFC. The factors described above shall be considered when the NFDC deliberates whether funding shall be donated. In any event, all requests for funding by DXpeditions shall be reported to the NADXC membership at each club meeting.

When a DXpedition has been approved for funding by the NADXC membership, the NADXC Treasurer will send funding in an expedient manner via PayPal, but no later than 3 weeks prior to the DXpedition. A record of funding shall be reflected in the NADXC Financial Report(s). If the NADXC budget has already exceeded funding allocations, membership must vote to amend the annual budget to increase the amount available for DXpeditions, before voting to fund a specific DXpedition.