## THE 3905 CENTURY CLUB, INC. BEN FRANKLIN POSTMASTER AWARD APPLICATION

(EACH BAND/MODE SEPARATELY) (NOT ENDORSABLE)

The Ben Franklin Postmaster Award is earned for submitting QSLs confirming contacts made with call signs containing consecutive two-letter United States Postal Service state abbreviations of all 50 states, in either the prefix or the suffix. This award requires 50 contacts and may be earned for any band/mode combination for which The 3905 Century Club, Inc. operates an awards net.

## **REQUIREMENTS:**

- 1. All applicants for this award must hold a 100-Point Certificate on the band/mode for which an application for this award is submitted.
- 2. All contacts must be made on The 3905 Century Club, Inc. awards nets and must be on the band and mode specified in the application.
- 3. All contacts must be made on or after the effective starting date for this award, **March 1, 2024**.
- 4. The same call sign may be used for multiple two-letter combinations, but <u>a separate contact and</u> <u>separate QSL are required for each two-letter combination claimed</u>.
- 5. All QSLs applied toward this award may have been used on prior awards and may be used on other Club awards that do not specifically restrict their use.
- 6. Wild Cards, Super Wild Cards and number/letter substitutions are **NOT** permitted.
- 7. This is **NOT** a WAS award. Contacts need not be made to any specific location.
- 8. Club contacts may be applied to this award. DX contacts may be used only if they contain two consecutive letters of an applicable USPS state abbreviation.
- 9. The Ben Franklin Postmaster Award requires contacts with call signs containing consecutive, two-letter United States Postal Service state abbreviations, in either the prefix or the suffix of the call sign. The abbreviations may not be split between prefix and suffix.
  - Valid examples follow: K4CNM, KI0AZ, W4PNV, WY8V, AL9A, AA1ME, WA0RKQ AB9NH, W0WVO, W3MIA, W8EMT, K1INX, W0RSD, WA7ND, NC4RS, VA1ERB, K6TNR, WA9YNE, NM8F, K1PVT, N3HI.
- 10. If questions about interpretation of the requirements for this award arise, and you cannot reach agreement with your Area Awards Manager, please contact the Awards Committee whose decision on interpretation will be final. The Awards Committee will contact all involved before rendering a decision.

## **SUBMITTING APPLICATIONS:**

After first assuring that each QSL used toward this award conforms to all of the requirements above, refer to the standard instructions contained in the most recent version of the application for the 100-Point Award, the SWL Award, or on our web site (Awards Program, General Information), or included with this application if it was obtained by postal mail, for submitting applications and paying awards/endorsement fees.

PLEASE MAIL IN ONLY PAGES 3 AND 4 OF THE APPLICATION FORM WHEN SUBMITTING YOUR APPLICATION !!!

STATE (ABBREV)	CALL SIGN	DATE
Alabama (AL)		
Alaska (AK)		
Arizona (AZ)		
Arkansas (AR)		
California (CA)		
Colorado (CO)		
Connecticut (CT)		
Delaware (DE)		
Florida (FL)		
Georgia (GA)		
Hawaii (HI)		
Idaho (ID)		
Illinois (IL)		
Indiana (IN)		
Iowa (IA)		
Kansas (KS)		
Kentucky (KY)		
Louisiana (LA)		
Maine (ME)		
Maryland/DC (MD)		
Massachusetts (MA)		
Michigan (MI)		
Minnesota (MN)		
Mississippi (MS)		
Missouri (MO)		
Montana (MT)		
Nebraska (NE)		
Nevada (NV)		
New Hampshire (NH)		
New Jersey (NJ)		
New Mexico (NM)		
New York (NY)		
North Carolina (NC)		
North Dakota (ND)		
Ohio (OH)		
Oklahoma (OK)		

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Oregon (OR)						
Pennsylvania (PA)						
Rhode Island (RI)						
South Carolina (SC)						
South Dakota (SD)						
Tennessee (TN)						
Texas (TX)						
Utah (UT)						
Vermont (VT)						
Virginia (VA)						
Washington (WA)						
West Virginia (WV)						
Wisconsin (WI)						
Wyoming (WY)						
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Be sure to enter all mobiles as /M and all portables as /P.						
De sure to enter an mobiles as /in and an portables as /r.						
Applicant						
Call:	Band/Mode:		I have paid my fee	of \$	for this award via	
Name:	Barra/Modo.		<u> </u>	<u></u>		
Address:						
City:		Certificate for Awa	d: Pa	Paper, PDF		
State/Prov:		Zip:	PayPal Trans ID:			
Country:		r ayr ar rrane ib.				
Phone/Email:		Award Checked	Award Checked and Approved by			
List your 100-pt award number for						
the band/mode applied for:		Call Sign:		Date:		

KEEP GOING !!! HAVE FUN !!!