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THROUGH : Deputy Director for Management and Services
FROM : Acting Director of Personnel
SUBJECT : Federal Paperwork Management Awards

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Acting Director of Personnel

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Mr. Benjamin F. Oliver
Washington Chapter President
Association of Record Executives
and Administrators
P. O. Box 89
Washington, D. C. 20044

Dear Mr. Oliver:

Thank you for your letter announcing the Ninth Federal Paperwork Management Awards Program and inviting us to submit a nomination for the award.

We have given your invitation careful consideration, but have decided that this Agency will not submit a nominee this year. We do want to commend you and your association, however, for the outstanding work you are doing in formulating excellence and efficiency in paperwork systems.

Sincerely,

W. E. Colby

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Acting Director

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ASSOCIATION OF RECORDS EXECUTIVES AND ADMINISTRATORS

P. O. BOX 89, WASHINGTON, D. C. 20044

July 27, 1973

Honorable Vernon A. Walters
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington, DC 20505

Dear General Walters:

Those among us whose efforts result in significant improvements and economies in the administration of Federal operations and programs are deserving of special recognition. One group that is often overlooked or taken for granted comprises those who endeavor to control the prolific expansion of Government paperwork systems and records.

The enclosed invitation provides details for nominating and honoring deserving individuals and groups related to this area.

This year the Ninth Federal Paperwork Management Awards Program is being sponsored by the Washington Chapter of the Association of Records Executives and Administrators (AREA) -- a professional organization dedicated to promoting excellence and efficiency in paperwork systems. It is pleased to honor those who go the "second mile" in strengthening the vitality and effectiveness of our national purpose.

We sincerely believe that this awards program focuses attention on noteworthy gains being made in reducing the complexities and burdens of Federal paperwork within Government and upon those affected by it.

You undoubtedly have several deserving people or groups in your organization who qualify for such recognition. We invite you to nominate one individual or group and forward your recommendation to us for evaluation before September 1, 1973. Guidelines are enclosed to assist you in the selection of such nominee(s) and highlighting the accomplishments.

May we suggest that your agency records management officer, Gail Donnalley, might prove helpful in this effort because of his familiarity with what your agency is doing to improve paperwork. In some cases such individuals may be deserving of consideration for one of these awards.

Your favorable and timely response will be appreciated. Thank you!

Sincerely,

BENJAMIN F. OLIVER
Washington Chapter President

Enclosures

Ninth Annual
FEDERAL PAPERWORK MANAGEMENT AWARDS

Sponsored by
Washington Chapter of the
ASSOCIATION OF RECORDS EXECUTIVES AND ADMINISTRATORS (AREA)

These awards are officially sanctioned by the U. S. Civil Service Commission and are among those most prized by Federal employees. The National Archives and Records Service of the General Services Administration serves as the coordinating organization for the Federal Government. Highlights are released to the news media by national press services.

PURPOSE

The primary purpose of these awards is to honor and publicize the achievements of those Federal employees who have demonstrated outstanding leadership, ingenuity, and professional excellence in designing, promoting, or managing effective systems or programs that contribute significantly to improved Federal paperwork efficiency or cost reduction.

NATURE OF AWARD

Individually inscribed plaques are presented to those who are responsible for exceptional achievements. Individual and group citations are awarded for outstanding contributions to paperwork efficiency or reduction.

ELIGIBILITY

All employees in the Legislative, Judicial, and Executive branches of the Federal Government are eligible if they are directly involved in the activities outlined hereafter. Each department, major agency, or service, or independent agency in the Executive Branch is encouraged to submit an individual or group nomination. Individual Legislative and Judicial units are also invited to submit nominations.

BASIS OF EVALUATION

Paperwork, as related to these awards, covers the entire spectrum of information and records management activities involved in the creation, flow, use, preservation, and disposition of all types of information and records. The management of records includes various methods and media for information control, storage, and retrieval including systems involving microminuturization, automation, and other technologies.

A special awards board, appointed by AREA, will review all nominations and decide who will receive plaques and citations.

The basic evaluation criteria used are as follows:

1. Relationship of the improvement to paperwork management.
2. Results in terms of better service as well as quantifiable and non-quantifiable savings and benefits.
3. Scope: Adaptability elsewhere or number of offices benefitted.

4. Impact of accomplishment internally and externally.
5. Ingenuity involved.
6. Independence of effort.

NOMINATION PROCEDURES

Please submit a signed original and three copies consisting of the following:

1. Biographical Sketch of Nominee(s): A brief statement is needed to relate the background, experience, and education of the nominee(s) to the content and significance of the accomplishment described.
2. Description of Accomplishment: Describe concisely in specific terms (three pages or less) the work or contribution for which the nomination is being submitted. The period covered by the accomplishment need not be limited to the current year. However, the basis for the nomination should reflect current or relatively recent work or results, rather than overall duties performed over a long period of years.
3. Digest: Summarize the highlights and benefits of the accomplishment. (Limit this digest to two paragraphs suitable for inclusion in the official program.)

DEADLINE

Nominations must be received on or before September 1, 1973. Please mail them to:

AREA AWARDS COMMITTEE
Association of Records
Executives and Administrators
P. O. Box 89
Washington, D. C. 20044.

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Awards will be presented at a luncheon scheduled at the Twin Bridges Marriott Motor Hotel on Tuesday, November 6, 1973 in the Persian Room at 12 noon.

All recipients of plaques and citations, together with their guest and agency representative, will receive complimentary tickets from AREA to attend the official awards luncheon.

The entire Government community and representatives of professional organizations, state and local governments, and private industry will also be invited to participate.

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DISTINGUISHED ACCOMPLISHMENT

ARTHUR J. BENNER
Social Security Administration

JOHN W. HODOWAY II
Veterans Administration

JAMES F. KNEIBLER
U. S. Atomic Energy Commission

LEWIS T. MILLER, JR.
Department of the Interior

DONALD R. MITCHELL
Department of Defense

CARROLL G. PRIEM
Department of the Army

LOUIS M. STEPHENS
Defense Supply Agency

Group Award

ALEX C. ADRIAN
DENIS LAMB
WILLIAM F. FARRELL, JR.
Department of State

SPECIAL MERIT

LT. CMDR. ROBERT W. KOHLER
Department of the Navy

Group Award

COL. JOHN V. PASLEY
COL. JOHN R. D. BENVENUTI
COL. GRANGE S. COFFIN
LT. COL. GRADY E. DAVIS, JR.
MAJOR RICHARD J. MUSTICO
MAJOR ROBERT E. MORTENSON
CAPT. THOMAS D. CLARK, JR.
CAPT. LANCE D. NESBITT
Department of the Air Force

Awards for

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

V. WAYNE COBB
U. S. Civil Service Commission

JAMES W. CRAIG, JR.
Nat'l. Aeronautics & Space Admin.

GAIL DENNIS
Federal City College

COL. EUIN N. GUINN
Department of the Air Force

MARGUERITE R. HUBANKS
Department of Commerce

LEROY O. SANDLAND
General Services Administration

J. EDWARD TERRY
Department of the Interior

DONALD C. WIGGLESWORTH
National Security Agency

LLOYD E. WOLFE
Federal Aviation Administration

Group Awards

GERALD W. SHELDEN
HELENE S. PARTRIDGE
BERTHA E. JACKSON
U. S. Department of Agriculture

LEONARD E. KIMMEL
ROBERT C. HENGST
JANET L. WEDELL
J. EDGAR NICHOLS
U. S. Customs Service

JOHN G. EVANS
WILLIAM J. OLIVANTI
FRANK V. MONASTERO
JAMES K. BALLARD
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