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Joe Taylor, K1JT
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Dear Joe,

On behalf of the Board of Directors of The Yasme Foundation, I am pleased to inform you that the Board has selected the *WSJT* Development Team to receive the Yasme Excellence Award. Along with you, we understand the team to include Bill Somerville, G4WJS; Steve Franke, K9AN; Greg Beam, KI7MT; Michael Black, W9MDB; Nico Palermo, IV3NWV; and Edson Pereira, PY2SDR.

This Award is made in recognition of technical, operating and organizational achievements in and contributions to amateur radio. The Award consists of a cash grant of \$ 1,000 USD and an engraved crystal globe. The monetary award may be distributed and used in any way you feel is appropriate. A press release announcing the Yasme Excellence Awards will be distributed promptly. Information about the Yasme Excellence Award and past recipients can be found under the "Yasme Awards" tab on the website, www.yasme.org.

In particular, we want to recognize the efforts of the team in bringing state-of-the-art signal processing techniques to amateur radio protocols and modulation. The results are not only technically superior but have enabled amateurs to communicate in ways unimaginable only a few years ago. This is truly Promethean.

In order to carry out the logistics of the Award, I need some information from you. First, please provide the names and call signs you wish to have engraved on the crystal globe if they differ from the list above. Second, please provide the mailing address to which the globe should be shipped and your phone number. Please send your reply with this information to Yasme's Secretary, Kip Edwards, W6SZN, via email to kedwards@lto1.com. The cash award in the form of a check is enclosed with this letter.

On behalf of the Board, please accept my congratulations for the team's continuing contributions to amateur radio and for the recognition of those contributions by way of the Yasme Excellence Award.

73,

Ward Silver, NØAX, President
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