

GUIDELINES FOR DETERMING A RECIPIENT OF THE BENJAMIN HURD JR. MERITORIOUS SERVICE MEDAL

A recommendation should be in writing to the Grand Chapter office from the sponsoring Chapter with the endorsement from the District Deputy.

In order for Grand Chapter to grant these requests, a Companion must have served in the best interest of Royal Arch Masonry in Massachusetts, meritoriously, above and beyond the call of duty and in this manner for at least ten years, notwithstanding, his total years of membership. This medal was designed as an award for those who have given exceptional service to Capitular Masonry in Massachusetts and particularly, to their own Royal Arch Chapter.

Grand Chapter wishes to recognize diligent workers "in the quarries" and certainly wishes to honor those who qualify and hopes never to overlook a worthy Companion. We so award a "Certificate of Appreciation" to many Companions who have served well and faithfully, but who have not reached the standards for which the Benjamin Hurd Jr. Medal was designed.