

Tidbinbilla opened just two months after I joined JPL. One of my first jobs was technical support for the stations of what was then the Deep Space Instrumentation Facility.

While I did not get to visit DSS42 until many years later, I remember those early days when, in theory, I was supporting the station. It was probably more accurate to say that the station was supporting me as I learned my job.

Congratulations on your anniversary, and on all the great work over the years.

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