Society Of Broadcast Engineers Chapter 59

Minutes of the February 11, 2010 Meeting

The February meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held February 11, 2010 at the office of Surewest, 14859 West 95th Street, Lenexa, KS. There were 19 in attendance. Robin Cross, chapter chairman, was in charge.

Cross opened the business meeting at 11:45 AM. Ben Weiss read the minutes of the January meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was by Dave Buell and the second was by Mike Rogers. Passed.

Chriss Scherer, certification chairman, reminded us that the next exams will be held April 13th at the NAB Convention in Las Vegas. Deadline to sign up is March 26th. The next local chapter exams will be June 4-14 and the sign up deadline is April 16th. Regarding the postcard meeting notice, Scherer wondered if there was anyone that did not need the card mailed to them. Musing over the fact that Robin had asked him to be the nominating committee of one for chapter officers ahead of the March election, Scherer asked Ben Weiss if he would be willing to continue in the office of secretary/treasurer. Weiss agreed, therefore the only nominees needed are for chapter chairman and vice chairman.

Kirk Chestnut, metro EAS chairman, noted that the recent Amber Alert issued out of Carthage, Missouri was not sent over KCSP. Chestnut then remarked that due to a scheduling conflict, the March RF Specialties engineering appreciation lunch and election of chapter officers will have to be rescheduled to a later date. He then made a motion to move the election to the June meeting. Chriss seconded the motion, carried.

John Gray, program chairman, said that due to the change in the March meeting, he will be looking for a program. Due to the NAB convention in April the meeting will be an open form. Gray also remarked that the new EAS assignments are now posted on the chapter's web site.

The motion to adjourn was by Darrell Nickolaus and the second by Kirk.

The program consisted of a short seminar by Allegiant Networks representatives about business continuity and disaster recovery. A tour of the Surewest data center followed the seminar.

Submitted by: Ben Weiss Secretary