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Society Of Broadcast Engineers
Chapter 59

Minutes of the September 8, 2011 Meeting

The September meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held September 8, 2011 at Denny's Restaurant 9001 West 63rd Street; Merriam, Kansas. There were 16 in attendance. Chriss Scherer, past chapter chairman, was in charge.

Scherer opened the business meeting at 12:02 PM and he asked Ben Weiss to read the minutes of the August meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was by Steve Hendrix and the second was by John Gray.

Scherer asked for committee reports.

Kirk Chestnut, Kansas City EAS chairman deferred his remarks until the program. Kirk did speak briefly about the fire in Hutchinson, Kansas that destroyed the studios of Ad Astra Per Aspera Broadcasting. All the studios of KSKU, KXKU, KNZF, & KWHK were totally destroyed.

John Gray, chapter program chairman, remarked that the next chapter event would be the annual picnic to be held at the Lake Lotawana home of Ed & Barbara Treese. The October meeting will feature a presentation about audio over IP for radio & ENG by Mayah Communications.

Chriss Scherer, chapter certification chairman, reminded us that the next regularly scheduled certification exams will be November 4-14 but the application deadline has already passed. He stated that he could proctor an exam almost anytime and you can contact him if you would like to take one. Chriss also reviewed the annual election of SBE national officers.

Chris Castro, chapter frequency coordinator, told us that the NFL game day coordination is going well this season.

The motion to adjourn the meeting was by Ed and the second by Chris Castro.

Lloyd Collins, Missouri State EAS chairman led the program discussion about the current state of the EAS system. Particular emphasis was on the September 30th deadline for broadcast stations to be CAP compliance and the November 9th nation wide test of the EAS system.

Submitted by:
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Secretary