

September 23, 2016

Society of Broadcast Engineers  
Chapter 59

Minutes of the September 14, 2016 Meeting

The September meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held September 14, 2016 at Godfathers Pizza; 7002 Johnson Drive; Mission, Kansas. There were 9 in attendance. John Beck, chapter vice chairman, was in charge.

Beck opened the business meeting at 12:15PM. He asked Ben Weiss, secretary/treasurer, to read the minutes of the August meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was by Ed Treese and the second by Dave Buell. The motion passed.

Chris Castro, chapter frequency coordinator, remarked that the new system of coordination for NFL games was working well. He also commented on the communication system used between coaches on game day. It has been upgraded from the old Lombardi system that used many different frequencies to a new belt system that works on one 3.6 GHz system that uses many separate sub channels.

Ron Rockrohr, chapter certification chairman, reminded us that the next local exams will be given November 4-30 and the application deadline is September 30<sup>th</sup>. The application deadline for the February 3-13, 2017 local exams is December 31<sup>st</sup>.

There was no old business and no new business.

The motion to adjourn was by Dave Buell and the second by Chriss Castro. So ended perhaps the shortest business meeting of record; seven minutes!

There was no formal program but a general discussion of engineering topics.

Submitted by:  
Ben Weiss  
Secretary/Treasurer