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Society of Broadcast Engineers Chapter 59

Minutes of the February 12, 2020 Meeting

The May

February meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held February 12, 2020 at Zarda Barbeque 11931 West 87th Street; Lenexa, Kansas. There were 12 in attendance. Mike Rogers, chapter chairman, was in charge.

Rogers opened the business meeting at 12:15PM. He asked secretary/treasurer Ben Weiss to read the minutes of the January meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was by Ed Treese and the second by Robin Cross. The motion passed.

By way of old business, there was a brief discussion about the matter of chapter frequency coordination. At last month's meeting the discussion centered on creating an on line interactive data base that would facilitate local frequency coordination. Further work on the proposal will be going forward as time allows.

Also, there was a brief discussion about the development of 5G service and its implication for broadcasters.

There was no new business.

The motion to adjourn was at 12:20 pm by Ed Treese and the second was by Ron Rockrohr.

The lunch and program was presented by Chris Kreger of RF Specialties and Chris Crump of Comrex Corporation. Crump detailed the truth about the conversion to 5G service by the several wireless companies that are competing for the service. Crump also highlighted some of the new and current products that Comrex produces for both TV and Radio - ENG.

Submitted by: Ed Treese Acting Secretary