January 16, 2021

Society of Broadcast Engineers Chapter 59

Minutes of the January 13, 2021 Meeting

The January meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held January 13, 2021 on line via Zoom. There were 6 in attendance. Chriss Scherer, former chapter chairman, was in charge.

Scherer opened the business meeting at 12:06 PM. He asked secretary Ben Weiss to read the minutes of the December 9 meeting. The motion to accept the minutes was by Steve Hendrix and the second by Dave Buell. The motion passed by acclamation.

There was no old business.

Chapter program chairman, John Gray mentioned that the February meeting program will be presented by Nemal Electronics with a discussion about fiber optics for HD broadcast.

Chriss brought us up to date about national SBE news. As of January 1 SBE national has a new Executive Director. Jim Ragsdale succeeds John Poray after Johns 28 years as Executive Director.

Additionally, Chriss detailed the new ATSC3 level of certification and the new Technical Professional Training Program (TPTP).

The motion to adjourn was by Ben Weiss and the second by Robin Cross.

The was no formal program. However, there was a lively discussion of engineering topics.

Submitted by: Ben Weiss Secretary/Treasurer