Society of Broadcast Engineers Chapter 59

Minutes of the May 8, 2024 Meeting

The May meeting of Chapter 59 of the **Society of Broadcast Engineers** was held May 8, 2024 at Chili's Restaurant 7001 West 119th St; Overland Park, Kansas. Steve Hendrix, chapter chairman, was in charge. There were 7 in attendance.

Hendrix called the meeting to order at 11:50 AM. He asked John Gray (filling in today for secretary/treasurer Ben Weiss) to read the minutes of the April meeting and treasurers report. The motion to accept the minutes and treasurers report was by Ed Treese and the second by Robin Cross. The motion pass unanimously.

Ed Treese commented that he had looked at the recently updated SBE self inspection guides and noted that while there was a guide for FM and TV, a guide for AM wasn't listed on the national SBE website.

Dave Buell issued a warning that the amount of ticks this year appears to be higher than usual.

John Gray, chapter program chairman, mentioned that he had reserved the Central Resource Library meeting room for June however didn't have a program lined up at this time. He is currently working on setting up a microwave related program from SAF for the July meeting. He also noted that the meeting minutes page on the website had been recently brought up to date.

Chris Castro, chapter frequency coordinator, noted that coordination has become more difficult recently. He indicated there had been several instances of C band interference that needed to be mitigated.

The motion to adjourn was by Dave Buell and the second by Chris Castro. The SBE business meeting was adjourned at 12:02 PM.

There was no formal program but a lively discussion of various engineering topics. Robin cross had brought some leatherman style multi-tools with wire strippers to show. Ed Treese demonstrated some Knipex adjustable wrenches (made in Germany) and a mini pen style digital multimeter.

Submitted by: John Gray