

August 13, 2025

Society of Broadcast Engineers, Chapter 59

Minutes of the August 13, 2025, Meeting

On August 13, 2025, SBE Chapter 59 met at Chili's Restaurant, 7001 W 119th St., Overland Park, Kansas. John Gray presided over the gathering of five members and one guest.

The meeting began at 11:53 a.m. Chriss Scherer, Treasurer, read the July meeting minutes. He then presented the July financial report, and mentioned he would not be renewing the Chapter's Zoom account, citing lack of use and cheaper alternatives. A motion to accept the minutes and financial report was made by Robin Cross, seconded by Chriss Scherer, and approved by acclamation.

Programs Committee Chair John Gray reported that September's meeting program would be presented by Lectrosonics, makers of wireless microphone systems and audio processing products. Gray also mentioned that Kirk Chestnut is working on a second "town hall" with a local station manager.

Chriss Scherer provided updates from National. The SBE Election ends at the close of the day. Registration is now open for the SBE Leadership Development Course to be held October 8–10 in Los Angeles. Webinars for the upcoming month: "Changes in the Noise Environment at AM Frequencies, Part 1: Effects" on August 21, "Building the Broadcast IP Content Network" on August 28, and "Observability: Solving the Correlation-to-Causation Problem" on September 4. For more information about any of these items, visit sbe.org.

Robin Cross proposed a motion to adjourn, which was seconded by Dave Buell. Hearing no objection, Gray closed the meeting at 12:15 p.m.

There was no formal program, but attendees enjoyed a lively discussion about various engineering topics.

Submitted by Dave Buell, CEV
Secretary