



Chapter 42

Orlando, Florida

The Society of Broadcast Engineers

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OCTOBER PROGRAM

The next SBE Chapter 42 meeting will be held on Thursday, October 6th at the WPOZ Conference Center. Food and refreshments will be available beginning at 6:00 p.m. The main meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. The September program is presented by Randy Woods, Director of Engineering for Z88.3. Randy's subject will be 'Quality Radio Engineering on a Tight Budget'. Randy made his original presentation at an engineering session at the Spring NAB 2011 (Radio Engineering Forum II); more information can be found at:

http://www.nxtbook.com/nxtbooks/newbay/rw_20110323/index.php?startid=32.

CHAPTER 42 Meeting Minutes - September 1st, 2011

Chairman Fluker called the September meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. on September 1st, 2011 at the WPOZ studios located at 1065 Rainer Drive, Altamonte Springs, FL 32714. The meeting adjourned at 7:12 p.m.

- Newsletter for the August meeting was approved
- Treasurer Report - Randy reported the following:

Beginning Balance:	\$8005.60
Disbursements:	\$458.80
Income:	\$666.76
Ending Balance:	\$8213.56

Steve won a NOAA Weather Radio on the 50/50 give-away.

- Certification - no activity
- Membership - no activity
- Frequency Report - no activity
- EAS - Jim Hoge discussed changes to the Area 7 EAS plan and the plan was adopted. (ESATCOM was deleted from the plan and changes for WDBO and WPOZ translators stations were made.)

Mr. Keith Kotch, Communications and Warning Coordinator, from the Orange County Office of Emergency Management joined us.



Mr. Keith Kotch

There was a discussion on the upcoming National EAS test. Nobody knows what is going to happen as it may take considerable time to activate down through the chain of numerous control points.

Jim requested WUCF-FM to activate the NPR Squawk channel so NPR EAS tests can be received and thus be rebroadcast. This would provide a third input point for EAN messages.

- Old Business - Move of website to access friendly location
- New Business - NAB subject matter

September Program

The September 2011 program was brought to us by **thinklogical**. Mr. Dana Rasmussen, Chief Operator Officer, discussed his company's fiber based technology for kvm extenders, routers, and switches, video extenders and routers, and other broadcast connectivity solutions.



thinklogical presentation

Thanks to Jim and his staff for hosting our September SBE meeting in the WPOZ Conference Center.



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SBE Chapter 42 would like to thank all of our Sustaining Members for their continued support!

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