



CHAPTER 122
**SOCIETY OF
BROADCAST
ENGINEERS**
*Serving the Public through
Quality Broadcast Engineering*
October 2014

SBE Chapter 122 Meeting Minutes 9/11/2014

Meeting begins at 12:21pm 9 Members present President Melissa Limpose begins the meeting by asking that the August 2014 meeting minutes as printed in the newsletter are accepted.

Rick Foley moves to accept, Bob Flis seconds the motion.

Reports

Treasurer Report: September

Collection from Members \$9.00

Expenses: None

Checking Gross Balance \$311.69

Savings Account Balance \$1205.01

August Dividend .04

Sept 1 Savings Balance \$1205.09

Reports:

Frequency Coordination: No requests or changes

Certification: Dave Brett presents members with short quiz on Smith charts.

EAS: no problems reported

Old Business None

New Business By unanimous consent a remembrance is observed of those Americans that lost their lives on this date including the Broadcast Engineers in the World Trade Center, New York.

Wes Boyd reminds all of upcoming OAB Engineering Conference on Thursday October 30 2014.

Rick Foley motions to adjourn meeting, Bob Flis seconds the motion. Meeting ends at 12:31 pm.

Stolen from: Broadcasters' Desktop Resource
 by Barry Mishkind (www.thebdr.net)

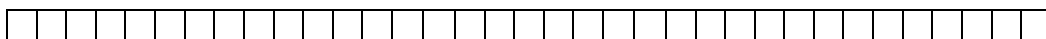
9/29/14 - Energy-Onix may join the ranks of the companies that have left the broadcast industry. For well over a week now, no one has answered the telephone nor responded to enquiries by email or USPS mail. The E-O website is still up, but those seeking parts and support seem especially to be left in the lurch.



8/22/14 - The FCC has been in an "understanding" mode this month, modifying or waiving fines for some situations. KTZZ in Conrad, MT was running an STL without a license (7/24/13, below). When the FCC cited the owner, she pleaded poverty. The Field Agent did report that KTZZ stopped the unauthorized transmissions. The [Order](#) reminds the station that such leniency may not be granted in future.

8/13/13 - [73.3527](#) - Cazenovia (NY) College's WITC was the beneficiary of the FCC's recent William Penn University Policy: a student-run station can be let off easy for a first-time violation of certain rules. In this case, [WITC will donate \\$1k](#) to the US Treasury and devise a compliance program to prevent re-occurrence of their Public File violations.

Thanks to Barry and the BDR, a great source for the latest news of the industry, a weekly e-mail report, and FREE !



AND DON'T Forget..

The end of the 3rd Quarter You have till Oct 10th for added material to the Public Files !



Thu 10/30/14 **12th Annual Ohio Broadcast Engineering Conference**
For engineers & technical staff at radio & TV stations, the conference provides educational & regulatory information as well as a vendor trade show. Sponsored by the Ohio Association of Broadcasters & the Ohio chapters of SBE & SMPTE.

Registration is available online www.oab.org/engineering/obec/; and is \$35 for OAB/SBE/SMPTE members until **Oct. 16**. After Oct. 16, that price increases \$10.

The sessions are also available online: <http://oab.org/engineering/obec/program-schedule/>

Monthly Meeting

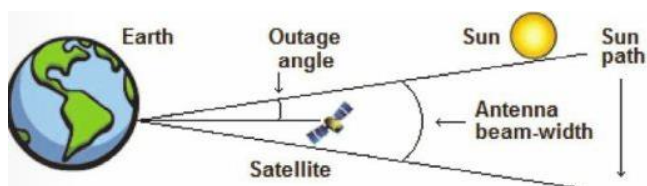
Café 422

8586 South Ave Boardman, Oh 44514 330-629 2422

(about a mile south of the Clear Channel radio complex)

(OR 680 to Western reserve Exit, turn right/west. Then turn right/north on South Avenue)

Meeting: Oct 9th, 2nd Thursday Monthly Starting just after 12 noon



REMINDER !!!!!!!! FALL SUN OUTAGE

Thru Mon Oct 13th. The PEAK Day for AMC-8 users will be Oct 9th, with outage between 5:17pm and 5:35 PM

From Dave Brett

Certification personage



SBE University Course Previews

In addition to certification exams, SBE offers a series of online courses through the SBE University.

The list below from the SBE website, <http://www.sbe.org/sections/SBEUPreview.php>, links to previews of the courses and material.

[Adaptive Media Systems Engineering](#)

[8-VSB](#)

[AM Antenna Systems](#)

[Broadcast Audio Processing](#)

[Computer Networking for Broadcast Engineers](#)

[ENG Truck Operations](#)

[FM Transmission Systems](#)

[Matching Networks and Phasing](#)

[Television Video and Audio - a Ready Reference for Engineers](#)

[The New Lifecycle of Media - IP and File Based Architecture and Workflows](#)

[Use of the Simple Network Management Protocol in Broadcast Monitoring and Control Systems](#)

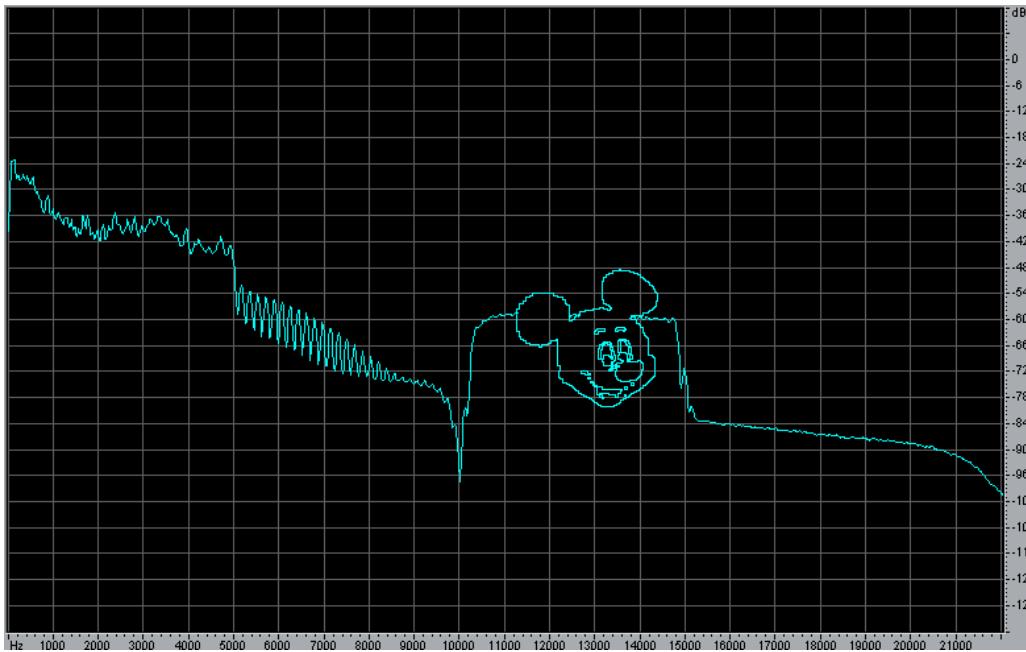
[Voice Telco Networks and Studio Interface Systems](#)



"As God is my witness, I thought turkeys could fly!!!"

-- Arthur Carlson, WKRP in Cincinnati

Have you posted your NRSC measurements ?



Y-town Area Operational

EAS Schedule 2014

10/1	15:00	11/5	12:30	12/3	11:00
10/8	04:50 RMT ***EOC origin	11/12	09:50 RMT	12/10	04:50 RMT EOC origin
10/14	19:00	11/18	12:00	12/17	12:00
10/22	12:00	11/25	09:00	12/26	08:30
10/28	10:30			12/29	13:00

All are weekly tests except those marked RMT.

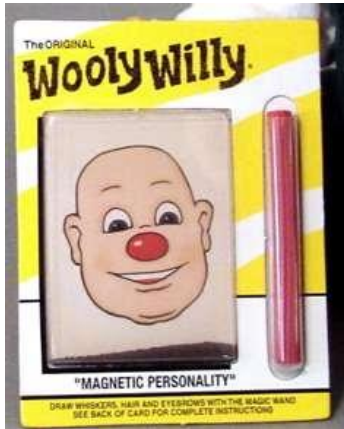
WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 16 THU 4:40 A.M. NIGHT, EMnet

NOVEMBER 20 THU 10:45 A.M. DAY, EMnet

DECEMBER 18 THU 4:45 A.M. NIGHT, EMnet

For the entire list for 2014, go to www.sbe122.org



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