

June 2018 Engineering Committee Minutes

Wednesday June 6th, 2018 7PM Studio One

Facilitator – Tom Hood

Minutes -

Kudos – Thanks to Frank, our new IT contractor, for his assist during our 6 day Comcast outage. After replacing the Comcast modem and installing all new cable to the building, it was determined that the outage was on the Comcast end.

KFFD-LP – KBOO and Freeform Portland have signed an agreement for hosting KFFD at KBOO. Freeform Portland is up against the clock to get the station back on the air. – Arthur, Mike, Phil discuss tower extension and coax install. KBOO tower climb to install antenna scheduled.

All Classical Equipment Request – Now Suzanne Nance at All Classical would like KBOO to waive a year of translator rental in exchange for using the link. We concur that a link to All Classical for WBF is not a viable option for us.

OMSI Option for Blues Festival link – Becky reached out to OMSI and had a positive response. Dan Golden is Sr. Director of Operations and is open to discussion. 503-797-4651 E dgolden@omsi.edu

Remote Broadcast Training – Live Remote Broadcast Training opportunity June 14th Studio One at 6:30PM. The Good In The Hood Remote is scheduled for Saturday June 23rd.

Good In The Hood Remote Broadcast – Our annual Good In The Hood Remote Broadcast will be Saturday June 23rd. It is in a new location this year. A site survey will be necessary. We are looking for lots of crew for this 10 hour broadcast. Please check in with our Volunteer Coordinator, Ani, or Tom if you would like to be involved.

Skimmer Software? – Broadcast Software International SkimmerPlus at \$449? Total Recorder? Program Director would like to evaluate air hosts. It appears that our IMedia Logger software already has the skimming feature built in. We would need additional hardware in the air room. Discussion. In progress

Inner Sound – CDRW Refurb was not possible. Unit was DOA. Denon DN-C635 CD was refurbished and will be available in Dead Storage.

Production One – Someone misplaced the lock for the red mic cabinet. Two Shure SM Beta 58's are missing. We are trying to locate them. There is a new lock on the mic cabinet.

Studio One Rack – XLR socket falling out. Headphone amp has been recapped.

Studio Two – Yellow Mic is on an XLR bypass. Red Mic is intermittent.

Production 2 – Tom Flynn reports he was unable to make an international call. Calling card option discussed.

THEFT !! – In addition to the two Shure Beta SM58s that are missing from the live music cabinet, we can now add the PreSonus Eris small monitor pair as missing from the remote broadcast gear cabinet. I have made inquiries and no one knows where they went. They were in their original box as a pair.

**Next Engineering Committee meeting date will be pushed back one week due to the Blues Festival. Join us
Wednesday July 11th Studio One 7PM**

Thanks All of You Beautiful People!