

February 2018 Engineering Committee Minutes

Kudos – Mark Wiener for decommissioning the old Windows 95 PC used with the old Strata phone system. New shelving and storage under the bench in Engineering. Jeff Hunt for re-capping the air room output module. Mike Johnson for his endless help and expertise during the new phone system install.

New Board Liaison has been selected – Welcome Kip

Tom's Sabbatical Leave of Absence – February 12 through April 2nd. Marc Wiener will be coordinating Engineering operations in my absence. Please help out Marc whenever possible. Discuss Engineering phone solution.

MLK Remote Broadcast – We have a very successful 33rd MLK Remote Broadcast on January 15th. All tech operations were near flawless. We maintained two wireless audio streams to the air room for the entire 7 hour broadcast. The production crew maintained great content from our hosts and from the stage all day. Well done!

New Phone System Update – The new office phones have been installed. Discussion.

Second Stream Up – Simultaneous with the KBOO 50th Anniversary exhibit at the Oregon Historical Society, our new Second Stream is now up and running a playlist of historic KBOO audio archives.

Recap Project for Air Room Output Module – Jeff Hunt, Mike Johnson

New Air Room POS Fabrication – In progress. Jeff Hunt

Production 1 – Marc is working on refurbishing another workstation to run visual impairment software separately from the main audio workstation.

Server is screaming – We have a server in the server room that is on high fan mode. Removing the side panel has not helped. Suggest we power down unit and blow out with compressed air. Concern about reboot. New IT guy, David, is on it.

Harris CDLink Status Update – New coax section has replaced the old messed up coax on the KBOO roof. Improved VSWR at the studio end, but still having fluctuation of signal strength at the tower end. The audio does not dropout.

HVAC Regular Maintenance at the Tower – I would like to coordinate a tower trip so we can schedule regular HVAC maintenance. This will require someone to grant access to the KBOO Suite.

Facility – Our fire extinguishers have all been recharged for the year.

Smoke Alarm Testing – We need to schedule a date for the smoke alarm dude to come out.

