

Skokie Telecommunications and Technology (STAT) Commission Meeting Minutes

Date: Tuesday April 26, 2022
Time: 7 p.m.
Location: Skokie Village Hall
Conference Room A

Attendees: Sam Corcione, Alex Franz, Ken Grossman, Christopher Oh and Scott Shamberg. Virtual attendance by Jimmy Gonzalez and Syed Mahmood. Absent Christopher Whitaker, Ninos Youkhana, James Paik and Fran Roehm.

1. Welcome & Introductions

Sam called the meeting to order. At meeting start, there was not a quorum.

2. Discussion Programming

- **Science Fair**

Jimmy will reach out to D219 for teacher nominations for the award. In lieu of being present at the event, the group will review the student's papers and select a winner.

- **ComEd Utility Program**

Scott explained that he still has an email chain with contacts from ComEd and that he will reach out to them.

- **CUB Event**

Alex explained that a representative from CUB reached out to the Village in hopes of partnering on their Grow Solar Chicagoland event which will provide education on the benefits of solar. Alex explained that this could be an opportunity for the commission to partner with the Sustainable Environmental Advisory Commission (SEAC) and will forward the email he received from CUB to Sam.

- **Cyber Security Program**

Sam tabled discussion of this program until next meeting.

- **Drone Technology**

Sam informed the group that Fran has reached out to Peter Gore and is awaiting a reply.

3. INTERNAL PROGRAMS

- **Web Page Cleanup**

Sam and Alex will discuss updating the STAT Commission webpage as well as adding minutes and agendas.

4. TABLED DISCUSSIONS

- Discussions from previous meeting remained tabled.

5. NEW BUSINESS

- Scott explained that during the pandemic he switched jobs and now has more contacts in the technology field.

6. TED TALK

THIS DISCUSSION IS TABLED UNTIL WE HAVE STAT STABILIZED

Rules at TED website. (Ninos/Scott/Christopher/Sam/Nick). We have gotten the chance to gather as a sub-commission. The sub-commission is comprised of Scott, Christopher, Sam, and Ninos. We are ramping up now that the holidays have passed ***NICK AND ANDREA HAVE HAD A CONVERSATION AND THE FEASIBILITY INCREASED***

7. Next Meeting May 31, 2022

8. Adjourn