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Board Meeting [electronic] Minutes concluding on April 5, 2004

- 040401 On April 1, 2004 President Bob Williams, KC7DRQ convened meeting and asked George, N7GME Secretary and operations committee member to send out to all WWRA Board Members a request for an up/down vote for authorization to spend approximately \$175 to purchase a Link Comm DVR 8 to replace our current DVR-1.
To ALL,
We have been working on our current digital voice recording system and it is a pain in the butt. Link Comm has just manufactured a DVR with a non-volatile memory for a cost of \$175. Free shipping if we order prior to 15 April. Bill and I, and before that Phil and I have spent many hours screwing around with our current DVR because of it losing memory. I had to recover the DVR I from the hill two weeks ago and have had it on my test bench uploading lost data. This new DVR-8 will solve that problem. From a money and time point we can save. We strongly recommend we get this device. Any questions please call Bill or George via landline.
Please respond TO ALL via return email your vote. Yes or No. Thanks. George, N7GME
- 040401 Sounds like a time saver to me, I vote yes. Bob, KC7DRQ
- 040401 Joe votes yes. Joe, W7COM
- 040401 Board, I recommend that we purchase the DVR-8. N7YT, Bill
- 040401 I vote Yes, George, N7GME.
- 040401 Reply to All: Yes, you have the VP's vote in the affirmative. George, that means yes. Just one question about the utility of the DVR. A couple of years ago I was interested in getting one to use on the NET for repetitive announcements and could only find DVRs that were of limited memory that was too short for anything over 1 to 2 minutes. Does this one meet current needs for memory as well as being expandable for future needs, if any? Anyway just a thought, I vote yes Drake Evans, KD7GAR
- 040404 Issue passed; 5 votes YES.
After waiting a few days in case of any follow-on questions or discussion the President adjourned meeting and thanks the entire board for their quick response so we can get this technical issue behind us.

Approved by Bob Williams, KC7DRQ President WWRA.

_____ Date: April 5, 2004
Robert Williams

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