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We discussed the procedures needed for check writing authorization.

We discussed the state NYC broadband policy. If we want to have a say on how the city shapes its policy we will need to be represented at the meetings where the policy shaping takes place.

David will call Eben Moglin’s office on Monday to coordinate on the promotional materials for the May event.

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We discussed the promotion of future events. It was resolved to create a list of newspapers, and for each one we need to get: the submission deadline, who to contact, what we need to submit.

Live Cd project: we need to check that it plays mpegs. We need to show the ISOC board something in July.

We will not have an event in July due to the work we need to do on the live cd project.

ISOC-NY will join the ICANN noncommercial constituency as discussed in previous meetings.

Danny reported some news regarding cybersquatting. Summary:

There are 45 million .com domains. ½ to ¾ of domains get dropped each year. In February of 2005 the number of dropped domains jumped by 1 million, in March 3 million, in April 5 million. The
dropped domains kept increasing until 27 million were dropped in November. For 2005 there were 150 million dropped domains. This is due to the abuse of the 5 day grace period by spammers and typosquatters. The 5 day grace period was meant to enable the correction of typos by the registrars. The typosquatter responsible was located in CA hiding behind false whois information.

To access the raw information about dropped domains [http://www.icann.org/ -> Registries -> Monthly Reports](http://www.icann.org/)

Danny has a meeting on June 7 with Anthony Weiner to discuss the issue.

Danny will write a report and send it to the Department of Justice, the FBI, ICANN, and the Department of Commerce.