



## VPR Wins National Edward R. Murrow Award For Overall Excellence!

Vermont Public Radio has won the 2019 national Edward R. Murrow award for Overall Excellence in the small market radio category from the Radio Television Digital News Association! [Listen to VPR's winning submission.](#) VPR received a total of six regional Murrow Awards in April, with the regional winners advancing for national award consideration. [Read the full article here.](#)

## FCC EEO Obligations Now & Possible Changes in the Near Future

No Vermont stations were on the FCC's recent list of EEO audits. But Attorney David Oxenford reminds us of the FCC's current EEO obligations and encourages us to keep an eye out for changes in the near future as a result of the FCC's [Notice of Proposed Rulemaking](#) released on 6/21. As EEO enforcement has recently been transferred to the FCC's Enforcement Bureau, we can expect that enforcement will be vigorous. The FCC impose fines on stations that cannot demonstrate compliance, so make sure you can! [Read David's Broadcast Law Blog](#)



## EAS & EAS Test Reporting System Training for Low Power Broadcasters!

Thursday, July 11th from 1:00-1:45pm EST, the FCC will hold a **free** webinar for Low Power Broadcasters on EAS and the EAS Test Reporting System. The webinar will include an EAS overview as well as instructions for how to register & file in the ETRS. Pre-registration is **not** required. [Get Link to Participate & Press Release](#)

## SPOTLIGHT ON WIZN & 99.9 THE BUZZ!

June 1st, WIZN & 99.9 the Buzz ran a sold-out cornhole tournament at Centennial Field

in Burlington that raised \$5,327 for SLAM T1D, a local non-profit that enriches the lives of Vermonters, especially children, living with Type 1 diabetes. 64 teams came out to play, eat, drink and listen to live music! Another great example of broadcasters raising money & awareness for local charities!



A banner for the Broadcasters Foundation of America. On the left is a logo featuring a microphone with an American flag pattern. To its right, the text reads 'BROADCASTERS FOUNDATION OF AMERICA'. The background of the banner shows a close-up of a hand using a pen to write on a document. On the right side, the text 'Broadcasting Hope' is written in a large, white, serif font, with the tagline 'Help us reach broadcasters in need.' underneath it. At the bottom right, there is a red button with the text 'LEARN MORE' in white.