



HALL OF FAME & AWARDS BANQUET 25th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION



Thank you to everyone who was able to attend the VAB Hall of Fame & Awards Banquet 25th Anniversary Celebration Saturday, December 7th at the Hilton Hotel in Burlington. If you were not able to attend or want to relive the experience, a recap and photos (thanks to Terry Jaye) are below and the video is now available for viewing!

[Watch Video](#)



308 broadcasters and their guests enjoyed a magical evening of eating, drinking, socializing and recognizing excellence within Vermont's broadcast community.

[See Pictures from the Photo Booth!](#)
Password: 25_YEARS

As part of the 25th Anniversary celebration, all 75 members of the VAB Hall of Fame were recognized for their contributions during a series of vignettes that played throughout the night.

The 19 Hall of Fame'ers in attendance did the honors of introducing and passing out the winner's awards.



Hall of Fame Members: Standing (L-R); Tom Beardsley, Joel Najman, Brian Collamore, Jack Healey, Roland Lajoie, Tim Johnson, Peter Martin, Sharon Meyer, Tom Messner, Bruce James, Ken Kasz, Ginny McGehee, George Commo, Louie Manno, Mark Brady, Dick Noble's wife Donnette & Stewart Ledbetter.

Kneeling (L-R); Jack Donovan, Dan Dubonnet & Terry Jaye.

Missing from the photo but who did attend, Andy Potter & Brian Harwood



Thank you to all 308 broadcasters and their guests who came and helped celebrate the "Silver 25" Anniversary of the VAB Hall of Fame!



Did You Forget To Take Your VAB HOF 25 Stemless Wine Glass Home?

If you attended the Hall of Fame 25th Anniversary Celebration December 7th at the Hilton and you did not take one of the commemorative stemless wine glasses home with you, please email vab@vab.org and we will get one to you!



STELAR Win For Television!



Broadcasters garnered a major win for TV members this week!

An agreement was reached by the eight leaders on the Commerce and Judiciary Committees that permanently reauthorizes the Satellite Television Extension and Localism Act Reauthorization (STELAR).

Several provisions are included and outlined in the article on VAB.org, but the bottom line is this ensures this will be the last satellite bill!

[CLICK HERE](#) to read the full synopsis by NAB Executive VP of Government Relations Curtis Legey.

Replay & Slide Decks from 12/3 Webinars

If you were unable to join the free webinars offered by the VAB on Tuesday, December 3rd, good news! You can still watch them and download the Slide Decks!



Poynter Institute webinar from 12/3 is now available to watch!

To access the replay and slide deck:
1. Log into your www.poynter.org account
2. Click "My Courses"
3. Click "State Broadcast Associations:"



Pillsbury Law Webinar on New DOL Overtime Rules from 12/3 is now available to watch!

Watch the replay at
<https://vimeo.com/377614508/44f7d1d12b>

Results of BrattFM's Project Feed



BrattFM's "**Project Feed**" 3 day broadcast collected:

- 2,280 POUNDS OF FOOD
- \$2490 IN CASH DONATIONS

They got some nice press from:

- [Brattleboro Reformer](#)
- [The Commons](#)

Overall, a wonderful community event!

