

**BevCam Executive Director's Report  
For the Month of May 2017**

**PRODUCTION AND OUTREACH**



Richard Mullen on the set with Candace Lord from "The Green Cocoon"

Richard Mullen has retitled his show "Go Green the Home Show", to reflect a more local viewpoint concerning conservation, global warming and minimizing our carbon footprint from a homeowner's perspective.

BevCam teamed up with Peabody Local Access TV to cover a town hall meeting at Higgins School in Peabody. About a dozen Mass state senators listened as members of the public spoke up on issues affecting them and their communities.



The public gives their feedback on many issues to their elected representatives



Mayor Cahill addresses the crowd at the topping off ceremony

On May 23, a "topping off" ceremony was held at the construction site of the new Middle School. Among those in attendance were Mayor Mike Cahill, State Rep Jerry Parisella, School Superintendent Steve Hiersche and Bob Gilchrist from Agostini Bacon Construction.



Danielle Lovasco and her guest get prepared for a musical number

One of the bright spots of programming from the media students has been the show “Mic Check”, featuring the vocals and keyboard stylings of BHS student Danielle Lovasco.

On May 18, BevCam taped the annual meeting of the Essex National Heritage Area, where grants were awarded to deserving recipients. The venue was the Methuen Memorial Music Hall with its spectacular 5-story tall organ built in 1857.



The magnificent 1857 organ towers in the Methuen Memorial Music Hall



A large group of advocates gathered in the hearing room in support of our bill

On May 30, BevCam and other Massachusetts access stations attended a hearing in the statehouse of the joint Committee on Telecommunications. We came in support of a bill which would require cable companies to air our signal in high definition.