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BOSTON NEIGHBORHOOD NETWORK a community media center



fiscal year 2005

Dear Friends,

Fiscal Year '05 was another exciting and challenging year at Boston Neighborhood Network. We are pleased to announce that the efforts of all involved in the production, management and direction of BNN were recognized for the third time in ten years by the Alliance for Community Media. This national organization honored BNN with its most prestigious award for Overall Excellence in Public Access. Congratulations to all who worked hard to share their visions and to help realize BNN's mission.

BNN's Community Access Channel (Comcast 23/RCN 83) was alive with productions from the Access Studio, the Mobile Production Van and digital media field productions. We continue to train new producers who work along side long-time producers and provide a window into every community in the City. The continued support of the Timothy Smith Fund allowed us to upgrade our multimedia equipment for training and production and enabled us to continue our efforts to bridge the digital divide.

BNN's News and Information Channel (Comcast 9/RCN 15) features *BNNLive* programming, the Neighborhood Network News and community service productions. We continue to collaborate with non-profit organizations and institutions that serve Bostonians, providing them with an avenue to reach their target audience with important information. Our daily news program, NNN, looks closely at life in the neighborhoods of Boston, gives leaders and activists more of a presence in the community and serves as a platform for local elected officials to share their ideas. We applaud the efforts of all who continue to work to make these programs a success.

This past year we put much of our time, energy and resources into planning our future with the purchase of a new home for BNN's facilities. We are pleased to announce that Boston Neighborhood Network and Urban Edge have developed a partnership to purchase the historic MBTA PowerStation in Egleston Square as the future home for BNN. Although the purchase of the PowerStation took place two months after the close of FY '05, we thought it was important to mention in this year's report. BNN staff and Board worked diligently to make the dream of our past Board President, Ralph Schiff, become a reality. We thank the Board and staff for their untiring work on this critical project.

We will consolidate our two facilities into the Egleston PowerStation, which will help BNN realize operational efficiencies and create the ability to more effectively deliver services to our constituency. NNN will remain at the Boston University production facility. BNN's home will house newly designed studios, a multimedia lab, offices and field production equipment. The proximity of the PowerStation to public transportation as well as the availability of ample free parking, will ensure BNN's accessibility to the entire city. We plan to move to our new home in the spring of 2007.

As technological changes bring increased competition in the area of broadcast media and as cable, telephone and satellite companies merge, BNN's community media center will play an even more important role in providing local information, training, access to equipment, new media technology and television channels for use by individuals, non-profit community based organizations and governmental and public agencies in Boston. The challenge ahead is how BNN will create the stability to thrive as a viable community resource for years to come. The purchase of a permanent home is one major step for that stability.

This truly has been a great year for BNN and we want to say thank you to the dedication and support of everyone who has made our work at BNN a success: our Board of Directors, Michael J. Lynch, our staff and community producers, our funders and contributors and Mayor Thomas M. Menino for his commitment to community television in Boston. We look forward to your continued support as we begin an exciting new phase in the life of Boston Neighborhood Network.

Yours truly,

Arthur J. Singer
President

Curtis W. Henderson Jr.
General Manager

Mission

Boston Neighborhood Network is Boston's community media center, operating a full-service website, two cable television channels, three video production facilities including three full-service production studios, a mobile production van and a multimedia center. BNN's facilities provide the means and support necessary for members to express themselves and communicate to their constituencies and the general public through the production and distribution of television programs and multimedia projects. We cablecast the most diverse programming in Boston on television to over 162,000 households in the City, reaching a potential audience of more than 486,000, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week on our **News and Information Channel** (Comcast 9/RCN 15) and our **Community Access Channel** (Comcast 23/RCN 83).



For over 20 years BNN has worked toward fulfilling its mission to use cable television's unique capabilities and other technology to address unmet communications needs of individuals and institutions in Boston by:

- ▶ Giving a more direct voice to and fostering understanding among various neighborhoods, groups and points of view.
- ▶ Expanding the diversity and variety of information on local topics addressing the specific needs of targeted populations.
- ▶ Increasing the access for residents to educational, cultural, political, health and human resources of the City.
- ▶ Strengthening the ability of all institutions to serve Boston's diverse residents by providing a mechanism through which they can effectively share their resources with the community.
- ▶ Providing overall local television programs and opportunities not available on other television venues in Boston.

"Neighborhood Network News is really rooted in the neighborhoods on Boston. That's why I watch it. Because the news that's there is what's really happening in Boston – unedited – it's the real thing."

— Mayor Thomas M. Menino

Boston Neighborhood Network's **Community Access Channel** (Comcast 23/RCN 83) features programming produced by community producers, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Boston residents are given the skills they need to produce their own programs. When members complete their basic digital training courses they are eligible to take more advanced multimedia workshops to enhance their projects for cablecast or for distribution on CD, DVD or the World Wide Web. Programs are often targeted to a specific audience and cover religion, health, sports, music, cooking, fashion, drama, neighborhood concerns, politics and more. We aim to address the disparity caused by the "digital divide" through our quality programs and workshops in digital communication for under-served residents.

In FY '05:

- ▶ 480 Boston residents became BNN members.
- ▶ BNN staff provided 4,908 contact hours of support to 156 members who took classes or used production facilities at the Multimedia Center.
- ▶ BNN Multimedia Center equipment was upgraded through the support of the Timothy Smith Fund.
- ▶ BNN offered 3 studio workshops and 8 digital field workshops.
- ▶ In addition to our regular workshops we conducted special workshops for several nonprofit organizations.
 - o Roxbury Community Health Service produced *Pathfinders*, a series focusing on health awareness. The programs offer drug abusers help and guidance in finding the needed steps to become clean, healthy and drug free.
 - o We partnered with Boston Community School Centers in South Boston and Charlestown. Our mobile production van provided a studio-on-wheels for a special training in video production for youth in their neighborhoods.
 - o The Roxbury Multi-Service Center's special youth training at the Access Studio brought *Teen Life* to BNN viewers. This production by and about teens, explores how society can influence their daily lives and the choices they make.
- ▶ BNN TeenTV Summer Workshop received funding support through a grant from the *2005 Summer Sizzle Time Warner Summer Youth Media Grant Program* that allowed us to offer scholarships for all or part of the workshop fees for many participants.
- ▶ BNN cablecast over 5,800 hours of first run programs on our Community Access Channel.
- ▶ 260 hours of live, call-in shows were produced from the Access Studio.
- ▶ Many programs were produced in a language other than English, providing access to important information and entertainment for our neighbors who speak Arabic, Ethiopian, Somali, Cambodian, Vietnamese, Russian, Greek, Italian, Cape Verdean Creole, Haitian Kreyol, Spanish and Chinese in both Mandarin and Cantonese dialects.
- ▶ BNN was recognized with 2 awards from the Alliance for Community Media:
 - o **Educational Class Project Award** for *Early Works*, a weekly series of producer's first productions.
 - o **The Empowerment Award** for The People's Platform. The program premiered in July 2004 to coincide with the Democratic National Convention in order to provide a first amendment forum for Boston residents to take a stand about issues that were important to them. The People's Platform continues production at the Access Studio where Bostonians can share their perspectives with viewers across the City.

"The experience with BNN was great! They provided Freedom House with the opportunity to inform the community of the services we provide on a very large scale. We will definitely work with them again!"

- James M. Hairston,
Freedom House
National Teaching Fellow

Community and Production Services Programming

Community and Production Services Programming is cablecast on BNN's News and Information Channel (Comcast 9/RCN 15). BNN continues to partner with community groups and nonprofit organizations to bring Bostonians both information and entertainment. With the BNN mobile production van and field production equipment we are able to capture special events and conduct interviews within the community.



Hip Hop as Force for Change, one of many programs featured in the *Ford Hall Forum* series.

In FY '05

- ▶ 275 Boston area organizations became BNN members.
- ▶ Collaborative efforts with nonprofit groups brought a rich variety of programs to our audience.
 - o The Ford Hall Forum series provided an opportunity for viewers to witness an open exchange of ideas on issues of public interest on an assortment of topics presently influencing democracy, equality and safety, both in Boston and around the globe.
 - o Our partnership with Documentary Educational Resources resulted in a film series, *Between 2 Worlds*, which gave viewers an insider's look at six diverse world issues through the lens of some of Boston's most talented filmmakers.
 - o BNN provided coverage of the 12th Suffolk County District Candidates Forum sponsored by MassVOTE.
 - o Partnering with Worldways, BNN produced a series of public service health announcements in Cambodian, Vietnamese, Haitian Kreyol and Cape Verdean Creole.
 - o BNN launched *Sister Talk II*, a ten-part series to help prevent cardiovascular disease, particularly in African-American women. This was the culmination of a successful collaboration between BNN and Brigham & Women's Hospital, Partners HealthCare, Boston Public Health Commission and the Mayor's Office of Cable Communications. The series, shot in the studio and in the field, follows three African-American women from the Boston area as they work toward modifying their daily routines to create a healthy lifestyle. Medical experts provided pertinent information that is essential to behavior modification and achieving personal goals.

The **BNN Mobile Production Van** covered sporting events, parades, community events and celebrations highlighting the rich cultural diversity that makes up the City of Boston.

- o BNN was on the scene for an evening of Irish Bands, a Gospel Extravaganza, a Martial Arts Expo and Square Dance, a Salute to Veterans Family Day and the Boston Social Forum.
- o BNN covered 15 live parades and cultural events that honor the people and neighborhoods of Boston: Allston-Brighton Day Parade, Bunker Hill Day Parade, Caribbean Carnival, Columbus Day Parade, Dorchester Day Parade, Gay Pride Parade, Greek Independence Day Parade, Haitian Independence Flag Raising, Haitian Independence Day Gala, Haitian Independence Parade, Puerto Rican Day Parade, Roslindale Day Parade, St. Patrick's Day Parade, Salute to Veterans Family Day, Veteran's Day Parade

BNNLive

BNNLive programming

is seen daily on BNN's News and Information Channel (Comcast 9/RCN 15). Produced by nonprofit organizations and institutions, it is the only programming of its kind in Boston. In a live, call-in format, BNN staff and interns assist with the technical aspects of the studio productions, allowing organizations to produce the content and to host their shows. The programming reflects the diversity of the City and includes topics such as education, health, politics, finance and arts and culture. BNNLive also produces a number of ethnic programs in their native languages and those aimed at veteran and senior affairs.

In FY '05:

- ▶ BNNLive produced over 1,400 hours of original programming.
- ▶ Nine new nonprofit organizations joined BNNLive including:
 - o The Steppingstone Foundation produced *Steppingstone Science*, an interactive science series for children, with simple experiments and demonstrations.
 - o The Boston Redevelopment Authority premiered its weekly series to keep residents up-to-date on urban development and renewal issues in the City.
 - o The Caregivers' Alliance joined forces with the Boston Partnership of Older Adults, the Harvard Cooperative on Aging and the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children to address issues relating to the elderly and their families, in *Age Wise Boston*.
 - o Touchable Stories produced *Fernando's Hideaway*, a bilingual program that highlighted Latin American culture through music and dance and used exciting video techniques to spice up their shows.



- o Self-Esteem Boston discussed issues of self-worth and personal development in *Ring My Bell*.
- o *To the Pointe*, produced by the Boston Ballet, talked about and demonstrated how ballet is performed and produced.
- ▶ BNNLive programs continue to bring community issues and politics into the homes of Boston residents and provide an interactive forum for conversation across neighborhood lines.
 - o Election night coverage featured in-depth reports and early results on local election races.
 - o BNNLive staff and interns produced Unconventional Update during the Democratic National Convention in Boston. The discussion focused on the day's events at the Convention from the local perspective.
- ▶ BNN won the Alliance for Community Media's Cultural & International Perspectives Award for Hubscares. Produced by BNN staff and interns, this series of mini-documentaries shown between programs on BNN's News and Information Channel, highlights Boston neighborhoods and history.

Neighborhood Network News (NNN)

"I entered the State Legislature in 1985. Channel 2, 4, 5 and 7, each had full-time reporters up at the State House covering State House policy issues every single day. And today, not one of them does. BNN provides an important outlet for people to get exposed to the policy issues, the political issues and what's going on out there in the community."

-John McDonough, Executive Director, Health Care For All

Neighborhood Network News (NNN) BNN's daily half-hour news program, is taped at Boston University's College of Communication and is cablecast on BNN's News and Information Channel (Comcast 9/RCN 15). NNN focuses on Boston's neighborhoods, politics, community events and community issues. NNN covers developing news stories and offers opportunities for public discussion. In addition to our news staff, NNN includes field and neighborhood reporters who deliver a unique perspective on local stories. They provide significant and timely information about services available to the community.

In FY '05:

- ▶ NNN conducted guest segments with over 200 nonprofit organizations and community groups including arts, education, health, advocacy, policy-making, business, and city, state and federal agencies.
- ▶ NNN featured school and community sports events on a regular basis.
- ▶ NNN Arts and Entertainment segments kept viewers up to date about what was happening in the local arts scene. The NNN Arts reporter gave



"What would it be like if we lived in a city where we tout neighborhoods, yet we're not able to learn and hear and share information about those neighborhoods on a regular basis? It is through BNN and the sharing of information on a regular basis of things that no one else deems important, that we learn about our neighbors and the city that is changing before our eyes, and is so rich in culture and history... and we are better off because of it."

-Senator Dianne Wilkerson

people of all ages and interests ideas of where to go for local entertainment in the weekend "picks" segment.

- ▶ Neighborhood reporters from Allston-Brighton, Back Bay, Dorchester, Fenway, Hyde Park, Mattapan, Roslindale and South Boston, covered stories specific to each Boston neighborhood - information not covered elsewhere.
- ▶ Neighborhood reporters also produced an Asian Community segment and Vida Hispana, a community report in Spanish that is transcribed and posted on the NNN website.
- ▶ NNN introduced Bostonians to candidates and voter mobilization efforts, produced in-depth stories on ballot questions and gave a local perspective on national news.
- ▶ The NNN companion website, www.nnnonline.org continued to present information about news stories, provide links to other sites of interest and give people an opportunity to share their suggestions and concerns. Here you will also find analysis of voter enrollment and turnout trends.
- ▶ The NNN website Photo Gallery highlights local events and Around Boston is a photo tour of Boston from the 1970s to the present.

Neighborhood Network News

In FY '05 Neighborhood Network News conducted guest segments with nonprofit organizations and community groups from all areas of society including arts, education, health, advocacy, policy-making, business and city, state and federal agencies, including:

2005 Boston Catholic Men's Conference
Action for Boston Community Development
ACORN
Agni
Alliance for Jewish, Christian and Muslim Understanding
Allston-Brighton Community Development Corp.
American Institute of Architects
American Red Cross
Amnesty International
Arborway Committee
Arborway Rail Restoration PAC Advisory Committee
Asian American Resource Workshop
Back Bay Association
Back Bay Chorale
Beacon Academy
Beacon Hill Business Assn.
Beacon Hill Institute
Berkeley College of Music
Black Ministerial Alliance of Greater Boston
Blessed Mother Teresa School
Blue Cross Blue Shield Foundation
Boston Assessing Commission
Boston Children's Hospital
Boston Center for Independent Living
Boston Centers for Youth & Families
Boston City Council
Boston College
Boston Commission on Elderly Affairs
Boston Fire Commission
Boston Foundation
Boston Groundwater Trust
Boston Health Care for the Homeless
Boston Landmarks Orchestra
Boston Main Streets
Boston Medical Center
Boston Municipal Research Bureau
Boston Natural Areas Network
Boston Parent Organizing Network
Boston Parks & Recreation Dept.
Boston Phoenix
Boston Police Dept.
Boston Public Health Commission
Boston Public School Department
Boston Redevelopment Authority

Boston School Committee
Boston Student Mobilization to End the War
Boston Tenant Coalition
Boston WAG
Brigham & Women's Hospital
Brighton-Allston Improvement Assn.
CSW
Cantata Singers
Center for Collaborative Leadership, U/Mass Boston
Center for the Study of Higher Education, Penn University
Center for Social Policy, U/Mass Boston
Center for Women in Politics and Public Policy, U/Mass Boston
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services
Child Care & Out of School Time Services
Citizens Energy
Citizens for Peace and Tolerance
Citizens Housing & Planning Assn.
City Life/Vida Urbana
City on a Hill Charter School
Civil Rights Project, Harvard University
Codman Academy Charter Public School
Committee in Solidarity with the People of El Salvador (CISPES)
Common Cause, Massachusetts
Community Arts Advocates
Conservation Law Foundation
Council of Parishes
Dept. of Transitional Assistance
Donahue Institute, U/Mass Boston
Dorchester Bay Economic Development Corp.
Dorchester Environmental Health Coalition
Dorchester Historical Society
Dorchester People for Peace
Dorchester Planning & Zoning Advisory Committee
Dorchester Support Our Soldiers
Dorchester Youth Collaborative
Dunk the Vote
East Boston Ecumenical Community Council
Executive Office of Elder Affairs
Fenway Community Development Corp.
Ford Hall Forum
Fourth Presbyterian Church
Frederick Douglass Charter School
Free Muslim Coalition Against Terror
Friends of the Gaiety
Gaston Institute, U/Mass Boston
Global Ministries Christian Church
Greater Boston Interfaith Organization
Harlem Book Fair
Harvard Medical School
Harvard Pilgrim HealthCare
Harvard University
Head Start
Healing Our Land
Health Care for All
Highland Area Neighborhood Assn.
High Point Village Tenant Assn.
Hispanic Office of Planning & Evaluation

Irish Immigration Center
Island Alliance
Italia Unita
Jamaica Plain Neighborhood Development Corp.
Jane Doe Inc.
Jobs With Justice
Judge Baker's Children's Center
Keyspan
La Alianza Hispana
Latino Film Series
Lawyers Committee for Civil Rights
Lead Action Collaborative
Longwood Symphony
Louis D. Brown Peace Institute
Mass. 2020
Mass. Adoption Resource Exchange (MARE)
Mass. Bay Transit Authority, MBTA
Mass. AFL-CIO
Mass. Affordable Housing Alliance
Mass. Alliance of HUD Tenants
Mass. Asian & Pacific Islanders for Health
Mass. Assn of Buyer Agents
Mass. Assn. of Minority Law Enforcement Officers
Mass Bike
Mass. Budget and Policy Center
Mass. Commission on the Status of Women
Mass. Community and Banking Council
MassCOSH
Mass. Coalition for Occupational Safety & Health
Mass. House of Representatives
MassHousing
Mass. Human Resources Department
Mass. Immigrant & Refugee Advocacy Coalition
MassINC
Mass. Insight Education
Mass. Law Reform Institute
Mass. Nurses Assoc
Mass. Office of Educational Quality & Accountability
Mass. Organization for Addiction Recovery
MassPIRG
Mass. Senate
Mass. Taxpayers Foundation
MassVOTE
Mayor's Office
Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services
Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Development
Mayor's Office of New Bostonians
Mayor's Office of Arts & Cultural Development
Mayor's Office of Arts, Tourism & Special Events
Mayor's Office of Jobs & Community Services
Metropolitan Boston Housing Partnership
Multicultural AIDS Coalition
NARAL Pro Choice, Mass.
NSTAR
National Alliance for the Mentally Ill of Mass.
National Alliance of HUD Tenants
National Assn. of Housing Cooperatives
National Lawyers Guild, Mass.
Neighborhood Access Group
New Democracy Coalition

New England Conservatory of Music
New Majority: Uniting Boston Communities of Color
North American Alliance for Fair Employment
Northeastern University, Center for Sport and Society
Nuestra Comunidad Development Corp
Office of Jobs & Community Services
Opera Unmet
Organization of Chinese Americans
Organizers' Collaborative
Our Lady of Czestochowa Parish
OWL/Voice of Midlife & Older Women
Parents/Professional Advocacy League
Pleasant Hill Baptist Church
Pope's Hill Neighborhood Assn.
Positive People Day
Presentation School Foundation
Project Bread
Project RIGHT
Puerto Rican Festival Committee
Racial and Ethnic Approaches to Community Health, REACH
Rappaport Institute
Rental Housing Resource Center
Roxbury Charter High School for Business, Finance & Entrepreneurship
Roxbury Neighborhood Council
Safety Net
Save the Harbor Save the Bay
Save Our Civil Liberties
School House 77 Tenants Assn.
Sierra Club
Social Capital Inc. Dorchester
South Boston Citizens Assn.
St. Augustine's Parish
Strand Theatre Task Force
Suffolk County Sheriff's Office
T Riders Union
Tapestry of Voices
Task Force on Student Assignments
TechBoston
Tech Superpowers Inc.
The Partnership
The Women's Union
Tommy's Rock Neighborhood Association
United Way of Mass. Bay
United Youth Workers of Boston
Universal Human Rights International
Uphams Corner Westside Neighborhood Coalition
Urban Edge
Urban Harbors Institute, U/Mass Boston
Urban League of Eastern Mass.
United States House of Representatives
Walk Boston
Walk for Music
Walk2School Group
West Roxbury Main Streets
Whittier St. Health Center
Women in the Building Trades

BNNLive provides a means for nonprofit organizations to reach their audience with important and exciting information. FY '05 Producing Organizations include:

ABCD - Action for Boston Community Development
 Boston Animal Control
 Boston Ballet
 Boston Care Network
 Boston City Council
 Boston Comm. on Affairs of the Elderly
 Boston Dept. of Neighborhood Development
 Boston Inspectional Services

Boston Main Streets
 Boston Partnership of Older Adults
 Boston Police Dept.
 Boston Police Dept., District 5
 Boston Redevelopment Authority
 Boston School Committee
 Boston School Department
 Boston Veterans' Services Dept.
 CDAC
 Caregiver's Alliance
 DEG Communications
 Disability Law Center
 Dorchester House
 G.I.R.L.S. Project
 Harvard Cooperative on Aging
 Hellenic Soccer Club of Boston
 Higher Education Info Center
 Hispanic-American Chamber of Commerce

Hotel Worker's Union - Local 26
 Hyde Park Bulldogs
 Hyde Park Parade Committee
 Latino Health Institute, Inc.
 Lemuel Shattuck Hospital
 Masjid Al-Quran
 Mass. Assn. of Women Lawyers
 Mass. Citizens for Life
 Mass Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children
 MBTA Police
 Multi-Cultural AIDS Coalition
 National Family Caregivers Assn.
 Rosie's Place
 Roslindale Village Main Streets
 Roxbury Community College
 Russian Community Assn. of Mass., Inc.
 Self Esteem Boston

Somali Development Center
 South Boston Community Assn.
 Speak Out
 Steppingstone Foundation
 Street Peace
 Suffolk Superior Court
 Suffolk University
 TERI College Access Foundation
 Touchable Stories
 Tri-Ad Veterans League
 UMass/Boston Gerontology Institute
 Urban League of Eastern Massachusetts
 Veterans' Benefits Clearing House Development Corp.
 Vietnamese-American Volunteers Assoc.
 YouthBuild Boston

| | 2005 | 2004 | 2003 | 2002 | 2001 | 2000 |
|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Public Support & Revenues: | | | | | | |
| Cable Franchise Fee | \$ 1,161,885 | \$ 1,240,264 | \$ 1,263,328 | \$ 1,243,234 | \$ 1,187,615 | \$ 978,828 |
| Contributions & Grants | 185,000 | 110,000 | 40,000 | 293,334 | 5,380 | 4,304 |
| Donated Services, Facilities & Rentals | 291,581 | 293,685 | 294,455 | 288,740 | 290,940 | 324,857 |
| Production | 130,480 | 182,719 | 130,407 | 110,013 | 93,387 | 63,146 |
| Memberships | 31,519 | 30,356 | 30,763 | 28,678 | 21,973 | 28,650 |
| Miscellaneous | 14,889 | 3,961 | 9,153 | 19,654 | 29,392 | 22,774 |
| Net assets released from restrictions | 55,599 | 36,762 | 59,177 | 172,038 | 368,140 | 261,472 |
| Total Revenues | \$ 1,870,953 | \$ 1,897,747 | \$ 1,827,283 | \$ 2,155,691 | \$ 1,996,827 | \$ 1,684,031 |
| Expenses: | | | | | | |
| Programming Services | | | | | | |
| Access | \$ 503,653 | \$ 420,569 | \$ 463,056 | \$ 471,442 | \$ 289,821 | \$ 433,848 |
| Production & Cablecasting | 85,870 | 87,131 | 75,079 | 78,681 | 64,129 | 33,800 |
| News | 593,214 | 578,942 | 567,479 | 602,460 | 588,436 | 486,526 |
| Technical Training | 0 | 197,412 | 200,977 | 208,214 | 92,752 | - |
| Support Services | | | | | | |
| General & Administrative Costs | 443,336 | 431,153 | 516,613 | 589,733 | 685,324 | 568,528 |
| Development | 117,422 | 98,008 | 88,631 | 56,377 | 44,722 | 26,185 |
| Total Expenses | 1,743,495 | 1,813,215 | 1,911,835 | 2,006,907 | 1,765,184 | 1,548,887 |
| Change In Unrestricted Net Assets | \$ 127,458 | \$ 84,532 | \$ [84,552] | \$ 148,784 | \$ 231,643 | \$ 135,144 |

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Note: This condensed statement of revenue and expense has been abstracted from the organization's Financial Statements, for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2005, 2004 & 2003 were audited by Shaheen, Pallone and Associates.

Because this information does not include all of the disclosures required by generally accepted accounting principles, it is not intended to present the financial position of the organization. A copy of the audited statements will be provided upon request.

Staff List FY '05

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Students from Boston University College of
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NNN. 33 interns from various colleges worked in all
aspects of BNN operations and productions.



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