## BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY

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## BILLERICA HOUSING AUTHORITY RESIDENTS CELEBRATE THE 250<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR

On Saturday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, the Billerica Housing Authority residents celebrated the 250<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Revolutionary War with a presentation by Captain Dan Burns of the Billerica Colonial Minutemen. Captain Burns highlighted the events leading up to the Revolution War including the tarring and feathering of Billerica resident Thomas Ditson who was then paraded through the streets of Boston while British soldiers sang "Yankee Doodle."





After the informative presentation by Captain Burns, the Billerica Colonial Minutemen and Women marched outside. A contingent fired musket volleys in honor of the  $250^{\rm th}$  Anniversary of the Revolutionary War.

Following the musket volleys, all enjoyed a delicious BBQ by Mr. Jack's of Billerica.