August 12, 2019

Dear Friends,

Plans for the Billerica Public Library Foundation's *23rd Annual Evening of Wine Tasting* are now underway. We hope that you will participate this year by providing some hors d'oeuvres to complement the 70 different wines and variety of craft beers that will be featured.

Our *23rd Annual Evening of Wine Tasting*, presented by Lincoln Liquors, will take place at the library on Friday November 1st from 7pm-9pm.

Each year local business have generously provided all of the food during the evening. We ask that you show your support by providing an hors d'oeuvre. The wine tasting is a popular Billerica tradition and important fundraiser for the library. We welcome whatever type of food you choose to provide, and encourage you to reach out if you would like help selecting what to provide. The variety of offerings is always impressive and a major attraction for the sellout crowd of over 200 people who attend each year.

As a donor, your business will be prominently featured in the printed programs distributed to our guests to guide them through the evening's selection of wines.

The Billerica Public Library Foundation is a 501(C)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to raising funds to enhance library programming, spaces, and services beyond what is provided for in the town-funded budget.

Over the last few years, the Billerica Library Foundation has funded the purchase of new furniture, the restoration of irreplaceable historical documents, and the development of a new library website. The Foundation also provides annual funds for the library's popular author speaker series, landscaping of the library grounds, and professional development opportunities for library staff.

Thank you in advance for your support and consideration. We will be happy to make any necessary arrangements for pick up. Please contact Joe St. Germain at 978-671-0948 ext. 4102 to confirm your participation or if you have any questions.

Best Regards,

Jan Hagman

Billerica Public Library Director