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**The Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum
and the Friends of the Poughkeepsie Public Library District to present
the Fourth Annual HUDSON VALLEY HISTORY READING FESTIVAL
Featuring Authors of Recently Published Books on Hudson Valley History
April 23, 2016, beginning at 10:00 a.m.
Henry A. Wallace Center at the
FDR Presidential Library and Home**

HYDE PARK, NY -- The Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum and the Friends of the Poughkeepsie Public Library District will present the fourth annual Hudson Valley History Reading Festival on Saturday, April 23, 2016. In four sessions, beginning at 10:00 a.m., authors of recently published books on Hudson Valley history will present author talks followed by book signings. This event will be held in the Henry A. Wallace Center at the FDR Presidential Library and Home. Copies of the authors' books will be for sale in the New Deal Store located in the Wallace Center. The talks will be live-streamed at www.fdrlibrary.marist.edu. ***These are free public events.***

Schedule:

10:00 a.m.

Jessica DuLong

My River Chronicles: Rediscovering the Work that Built America;
A Personal and Historical Journey

11:00 a.m.

Lowell Thing

The Street That Built a City:
McEntee's Chestnut Street, Kingston, and the Rise of New York

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Noon

LUNCH BREAK (on your own)

1:00 p.m.

Edythe Ann Quinn

Freedom Journey: Black Civil War Soldiers
and The Hills Community, Westchester County, New York

2:00 p.m.

Thomas Rinaldi

Hudson Valley Ruins:
Forgotten Landmarks of an American Landscape

For additional information about this event please call Cliff Laube at (845) 486-7745.

Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum

Designed by Franklin Roosevelt and dedicated on June 30, 1941, the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum is the nation's first presidential library and the only one used by a sitting president. Every president since FDR has followed his example and established a presidential library administered by the National Archives and Records Administration to preserve and make accessible to the American people the records of their presidencies. The Roosevelt Library's mission is to foster a deeper understanding of the lives and times of Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt and their continuing impact on contemporary life. This work is carried out through the Library's archives and research room, museum collections and exhibitions, innovative educational programs, and engaging public programming. For more information about the Library or its programs call (800) 337-8474 or visit www.fdrlibrary.marist.edu.

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