

Statement from County Executive Marcus J. Molinaro

*as Dutchess County Flags are Lowered
to Honor Victims and Heroes of the Tragedy at the Boston Marathon*

"We join with all Americans in extending our thoughts and prayers to our friends and neighbors in Boston. We are reminded again of how fragile life is and how tragically our safety and security can be shattered. We too, though, see again the bravery of first responders and resilience of the human spirit. Dutchess County lowers our flags to half staff in memory of those lives lost, in honor of the heroism of those responding, and ders and resilience of the human spirit. God be with those injured and the families of those lost. May all be comforted by His grace and the love of family and closeness of friends. We are with you, all of you.in solidarity with the families and city so tragically impacted. God be with them all. May they all be comforted by His grace, the love of family and closeness of friends.

Dutchess County remains in regular communication with law enforcement officials including Dutchess County Sheriff's Office and other levels of law enforcement."

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