



The Historical Society of Rockland County
Invites You to Join Us for

Protecting the Ramapo Pass

George Washington's Little-Known Fortifications at Sidman's Bridge



Sunday, June 28, 2026

The presentation will start promptly at
1 pm in the lower-level Community Room
Price: \$5 (*Space is limited; reservations are
required.*)

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When we drive up Route 287 or Route 17, we are passing a piece of history that George Washington knew well: the Ramapo Pass. He wrote in his logbook that it was of vital importance that the Ramapo Pass remain in American possession. In this special lecture, Craig Long shares with us this critical piece of local Revolutionary War history.

About the presenter: Born and raised in Suffern, with family roots in the community that date back to the 1700s, Craig Long is the Rockland County Historian and serves as the municipal historian for the villages of Suffern and Montebello, as well as for the Town of Ramapo. He is the author of several local history publications.

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BY JUNE 19, 2026**

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Cancellation policy: Refunds can be given only if we are able to fill your seat prior to the lecture. A waiting list will be compiled, and available spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Only those who have made full payment can be accommodated.

Reservation Fee: ___ Seats at \$5.00 per person = \$ ___

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