

Lakeville Fire Department shares data on dangers of grills, hibachis, barbecues on balconies

“Did you know??? Between 2016 and 2020 Massachusetts fire departments responded to 427 fires involving grills, hibachis, and barbecues.

These fires caused 15 civilian injuries, 6 firefighter injuries, and \$4 million in property damage. The Lakeville Fire Department often encounters gas and charcoal grills on balconies at our apartment buildings.

Just a reminder...grills can only be used on open first-floor porches, decks, or patios if there is an outdoor stairway to the ground, or if the porch is at ground level.

Click this link for more information!”-Lakeville Fire Department.