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## -For Immediate Release-Dutton Park Vandalism

On two separate occasions, the Veteran's Memorial located at Dutton Park on North Main Street has been vandalized. This memorial is to honor those who gave the ultimate sacrifice to protect the freedoms we enjoy on a daily basis. The deliberate and disgraceful attack on the memory of these heroes will not be tolerated nor will the hateful rhetoric that members of the Wallingford Community have been exposed to.

I am authorizing a reward of \$1000.00 to anyone who can provide information leading to the arrest of the individual(s) responsible for these reprehensible acts. The investigation into these incidents has been turned over to the Wallingford Police Department Investigative Services Divison.

Anyone with information is asked to call 203-294-2845 or email tips@wallingfordpd.org