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## **Beloved community mural defaced; three people charged**

(Ottawa)—The Ottawa Police Service has charged three people in relation to a community mural being defaced on Wurtemburg Street.

During the evening of January 16th, the mural was marred by graffiti. The next day, the graffiti was noticed and reported to police.

Three suspects have been identified as responsible for the damage. Two of the suspects have been arrested and charged. Investigators are asking for help to locate a third individual.

Liam McGarry, 29 years old, of Ottawa, is wanted for Mischief exceeding \$5000.

The mural will be restored in the coming months.

If you have information about McGarry's whereabouts, please contact the Cst. D Bashford of the Central Criminal Investigations Section at 613-236-1222, extension 2193 or by email at [BashfordD@ottawapolice.ca](mailto:BashfordD@ottawapolice.ca).

Stay anonymous and call Crime Stoppers toll-free at 1-800-222-8477 or submit a tip online at [crimestoppers.ca](http://crimestoppers.ca).

The Ottawa Police Service encourages everyone who has their property vandalized by graffiti to report the incident online.