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## Honoring service of our veterans

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On behalf of the towns of Danby and Mount Tabor, I would like to thank the Vermont General Assembly for its recent concurrent resolution recognizing creation of the Danby-Mount Tabor Veterans Memorial. The resolution was introduced by House members Linda Sullivan and Robin Chesnut-Tangerman, along with Rutland County state senators Brian Collamore, Peg Flory and Kevin Mullin.

Phase one of the memorial was dedicated in October 2016, recognizing over 700 town residents who served in the U.S. armed forces during wartime. Phase two, consisting of a marble plaza and benches, a communitywide art project paying tribute to our veterans, veteran names from the Middle East conflicts and additional landscaping, will be completed this summer.

It has been an honor and a privilege to create the veterans memorial as a permanent reminder to all future generations of the bravery and patriotism of so