



Vincent Cervoni
Mayor

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

TOWN OF WALLINGFORD
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PROCLAMATION

- Whereas, Lyman Hall was born on April 12, 1724 to parents John and Mary (Street) Hall of South Elm Street in Wallingford, Connecticut; and
- Whereas, after graduating from Yale College in 1747, Hall studied theology with his uncle Samuel Hall and became an ordained minister; and
- Whereas, while working as a minister, he studied medicine and taught school in Fairfield; and
- Whereas, Lyman Hall moved to Dorchester, South Carolina where he set up his medical practice; and
- Whereas, in 1774 he was granted land in the Midway section of Georgia, which became his plantation, Hall's Knoll; and
- Whereas, Hall was an active leader in the Revolutionary movement and was elected to represent Georgia in the Second Continental Congress in 1775; and
- Whereas, he later became Governor of Georgia and one of 56 men to sign the Declaration of Independence; and
- Whereas, the Town of Wallingford has honored Hall's life and his contributions to the independence of our country with the Lyman Hall Memorial at the Center Street Cemetery and the naming of Lyman Hall High School; and
- Whereas, we are pleased that Lyman Hall's 300th birthday is being celebrated with a Ceremony at the Center Street Cemetery on April 13, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Vincent Cervoni, Mayor of the Town of Wallingford do hereby proclaim April 13, 2024 as:

LYMAN HALL DAY

in our community. We ask our citizens to join us as we honor Lyman Hall's life and accomplishments.

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Dated this 13th day of April, 2024
Wallingford, Connecticut

