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## TEENS CHARGED FOLLOWING VANDALISM AT WATER TREATMENT PLANT

The Okaloosa County Sheriff's Office has arrested four teenagers on felony charges in connection with the December 8th break-in and vandalism of an Okaloosa County Water Treatment Facility on Essex Road in Fort Walton Beach.

All four are charged with burglary, petty theft, and preventing or obstructing the extinguishment of fire. They are 17-year old Richard David Ware of 993 Asaro Court, FWB; 15-year old Alexander Peter Trotman of 2717 Willow Grove, FWB; 15-year old Tyler Matthew Hill of 702 Standish Lane, FWB; and 18-year old Daniel Ryan Petrie of 710 Essex Road, FWB.

Deputies say the teens entered the plant, broke items, and wrote on the walls. They also removed fire extinguishers and expelled the contents in multiple offices. The extinguishers and other office equipment were found in processing pits.

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