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*****PRESS RELEASE*****

At the 2013 Marine Law Enforcement Conference held in Port Angeles, two Walla Walla County deputies were awarded the Live Saving Award for their heroic actions on July 28th of this year.

Deputies **Richard Schram** and **Ryan Allen** were recognized for the quick and professional actions that resulted in the rescue of two men floundering in the Columbia River after their canoe capsized in rough waters near Sacajawea Park. Without Deputies Schram and Allen's immediate actions, both men would have most likely succumbed to the raw conditions. Both Deputies Schram and Allen best exemplify the finest qualities as evidenced by their courageous actions on July 28th, 2013. Deputies Schram and Allen were honored today and received a well-deserved recognition for saving the lives of several local citizens.

