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PRESS RELEASE

Law enforcement investigating dead body along County road

January 3, 2014

The Walla Walla County Sheriff's Office is investigating the discovery of a body near the intersection of Mojonnier and Beet Roads. The body appears to be that of a female Hispanic, approximately 20 to 30 years of age.

All traffic is being diverted while Sheriff's Detectives, with assistance of Walla Walla Police and Washington State Patrol Detectives, investigate the scene. This is expected to take several hours. The investigation is being led by WWSO Chief Deputy John King.

Authorities were first made aware of the body when a Hispanic male subject came to the Walla Walla Police Department to report the finding. WWSO was contacted and a Patrol Deputy responded to the area and confirmed the death.

There is no other information to release at this time.

Kindly refer questions to either:

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