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****PRESS RELEASE****WALLA WALLA POLICE DEPT**** Early Morning Shooting Sends One Victim to Hospital

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Detectives from the Special Teams Unit were called out following a shooting in the 500 block of Willow Street. The call came in to 9-1-1 at 2:36 a.m. of shots being fired in the area. Officers arrived in the area less than 2 minutes later. A second call was placed 4 minutes after the first call reporting a victim suffering a gunshot wound who had been transported to a local hospital.

The victim is reportedly a 21 year old male. He has since been transported by air ambulance to another facility for treatment where his condition is unknown at this time. No arrests have been made. Detectives have not ruled out the shooting was possibly gang related.

The shooting occurred outside after a confrontation during a party in the area. Anyone with information is asked to contact Detectives at (509)527-4434.

Further information may be released Monday.

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