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## Media Release

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**Incident:** 25C12043

### **Granger and Toppenish Homicides, Two Victims, One Suspect**

**Granger** – On August 13th, 2025, around 11 pm, the Granger Police Department responded to a welfare check call in the 200 block of East A Street within the city limits of Granger. Responding officers found a deceased male who appeared to have been stabbed multiple times. The Granger Police Department requested we investigate their homicide case.

An autopsy was conducted, and the victim was identified as 51-year-old Miguel Angel Cruz-Cid from Granger. The suspect was arrested in Walla Walla County after crashing a vehicle during a pursuit with the Washington State Patrol. Evidence indicates that the suspect committed the homicides in Granger and Toppenish.

If you have any information about the homicide in Granger, please contact the Yakima County Sheriff's Office (Detective Beehler) at (509) 574-2567. If you have details related to the homicide in Toppenish, please contact the Toppenish Police Department and ask for Detective Pottle at (509) 865-1629.

Tips, including anonymous tips, can also be submitted to Crime Stoppers of Yakima County by calling (509)248-9980 or 1-800-248-9980, or by visiting <https://www.crimestoppersyakco.org/>