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GLENDALE POLICE SERGEANT AND BYSTANDER WILL BE HONORED FOR SAVING A MAN FROM A FIRE

Glendale, Ariz.- Under the cover of darkness a Glendale Police Sergeant Joshua Wade selflessly entered an RV that was nearly fully engulfed by fire. Sergeant Wade was told there was a man still inside and without regard for his own safety he made his way into the RV to find a mentally disabled man making no efforts to exit the RV. Sergeant Wade attempted to rescue the man but was unable to get him out on his own. Luckily Caesar Dustin was walking by and saw the fire. He too made the decision to enter the fiery RV that was quickly grown in size. Mr. Dustin was able to locate both the occupant of the RV and Sergeant Wade and assist them both out of the RV and to safety.

The early morning of January 4, 2019 could have been the end of days for the man in the RV had it not been for Sergeant Wade and Mr. Dustin. Glendale Fire and Police will honor these two men for putting their lives on the line on February 12, 2019 at Glendale Regional Public Safety Center at 10am. Glendale Fire Chief Terry Garrison and Glendale Police Chief Rick St. John will present awards to both Sergeant Wade and Mr. Dustin. Both Sergeant Wade and Mr. Dustin will be available for interview after the presentation.

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