

# NEWS RELEASE



## City of Rancho Cucamonga Police Department



**Date/Time:** March 7, 2009 at approximately 5:00 p.m.

**Location:** Wendy's Restaurant in the 8000 block of Monet Avenue, Rancho Cucamonga

**Incident:** Deputy Ward saves the life of a 27 year old male, resident of Riverside

### SUMMARY

On March 7, 2009 at approximately 5:00 p.m., Deputy Grant Ward from the Rancho Cucamonga Police Station responded to a call for medical aid at a restaurant in the 8000 block of Monet Avenue, with reports that a man was choking and not breathing. After arriving on scene, Deputy Ward performed the Heimlich maneuver on the 27 year old male, dislodging the object from his airways and saving his life. The patient was then transported by ambulance to San Antonio Community Hospital for follow up treatment.

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