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## WENATCHEE POLICE CHIEF STEVE CROWN NAMED PRESIDENT-ELECT OF STATEWIDE LAW ENFORCMENT ORGANIZATION

(Lacey) --- Wenatchee Police Chief Steve Crown became president-elect of the board of the Washington Association of Sheriffs and Police Chiefs (WASPC) at its May meeting. Grays Harbor County Sheriff Rick Scott was named president, and Chief Crown will become WASPC President for 2022-23.

"Chief Crown has been very involved in statewide policy and on our WASPC executive board, and his election to President-Elect reflects the respect he has earned with his leadership in law enforcement." said Steve Strachan, WASPC executive director.

WASPC was founded in 1963 and consists of executive and top management personnel from law enforcement agencies statewide. With more than 800 members it includes the 39 elected county sheriffs, and 240 police chiefs, as well as the Washington State Patrol, the Washington Department of Corrections, and representatives of Tribal and federal agencies.

WASPC is the only association of its kind in the nation combining representatives from local, state, tribal, and federal law enforcement into a single body, working toward a common goal. WASPC's function is to provide specific materials and services to all law enforcement agencies in the state, members and non-members alike.