



## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **U.S. Senator Ted Cruz to present award to CSPD personnel**

**WHAT:** U.S. Senator Ted Cruz will present Law Enforcement Congressional Badge of Bravery to College Station Police Department Sergeant Travis Laco and Investigator Andy Murph for their heroic actions to end the active shooter incident of August 13, 2012, that claimed the lives of Brazos County Constable Brian Bachmann, resident Christopher Northcliffe and seriously injured Barbara Holdsworth.

**WHEN:** Friday, September 5, 2014 9:00 a.m.

**WHERE:** Parking lot of College Station Police Department, 2611 Texas Avenue South

#### **About the award | First in Texas**

The Law Enforcement Congressional Badge of Bravery was created in 2008 and honors exceptionally courageous acts in the line of duty by federal, state and local law enforcement officers. The medals are awarded annually by the U.S. Attorney General and are presented by the recipients' Congressional representative. Sergeant Laco and Investigator Murph are the first law enforcement officers from the State of Texas to receive this honor.

#### **Media note**

Local media representatives are invited to attend and cover this ceremony; however, Senator Cruz respectfully requests that **no advance coverage** of this presentation occur.

Additional information regarding the nomination of Sergeant Laco and Investigator Murph will be available after the conclusion of the ceremony.

#### **In case of rain**

In the event of possible inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved to the pavilion at Brian Bachmann Park located at 1600 Rock Prairie Road.

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