ST. LOUIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE
NEWS RELEASE

INCIDENT DATE: July 29, 2013 INCIDENT TIME: 6:20 PM

INCIDENT LOCATION: Rainy Lake, Voyageur's National Park

INDIVIDUAL(S) INVOLVED: (Refer to News Media Policy-Rules III A.1 Thru 4: Procedures B.1, A thru J & 1; 2b; 3b; g & h; 4a, b, & c)

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INCIDENT SUMMARY:

The St Louis County Sheriff's Office, with the assistance of the Koochiching County Sheriff's Office, is investigating the death of a fourteen year-old male who died late Monday evening after a swimming accident which occurred on Rainy Lake in the Voyageur's National Park in far northern St Louis County. The youth was with a group touring Rainy Lake by houseboat when the accident occurred.

The victim was transported by air ambulance to Essentia Health in Duluth where he later died.

The victim's name is being withheld until family members have been contacted.

ASSISTING AGENCIES:

International Falls Fire Department

AUTHORITY: Sgt James P. McKenzie DATE: 7/30/2013 TIME: 1:45 AM

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION OR UPDATE:

AUTHORITY: _____ DATE: _____ TIME: _____