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FBI Agent Nick Mancuso had solved a murder mystery , unraveled a Washington political scandal , and racked up some pretty good ratings numbers in the miniseries named:x-c n_of:x-i named:x-c n_amed:x-c n_amed:x-c n_of:x-i named:x-c n_of:x-i n
 What next for the crusty FBI agent with the heart of gold ? q:i-h-h n:x p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n:x p:e-u-i n:x _
   A spinoff series , of course . q:i-h-h n:x n_of:x _ a:e-h a:e-h _
                                                        are plenty of worse inspirations for shows — and most of them had already made the fall lineup there:e-i n_of:x-i _ a:e-i n_of:x-i _ p:e-u-i n_of:x-i excl:i-c _ q:i-h-h _ pron:x _ a:e-e v:e-i-p-u q:i-h-h season:x-c n:x
A bunch of tans and bathing suits posing as lovable lifeguards q:i-h-h n_of:x-i _ n:x _ v:e-i-p n_of:x-i v_as:e-i-i _ a:e-u _ n:x
                                              that context , Robert Loggia 's riveting performance as the unlovable – even crotchety – veteran agent seems a better franchise for a series than most . q_dem:i-h-h n:x _ named:x-c _ named:x-c _ v:e-i-p _ n:x _ p:e-u-i _ q:i-h-h _ a:e-u _ _ a:e-u _ n_of:x-i _ n_of
                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            "Mancuso FBI " has sprung straight from the headlines , which is either a commendable stab at topicality , or a lack of imagination , or both . named:x-c named:x-c named:x-c v:e-i x:e-u p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n:x _ _ q:i-h-h _ ...
 The opening show featured a secretary of defense designate accused of womanizing ( a la John Tower ) . q:i-h-h v:e-i n_of:x-i v_cause:e-i-p q:i-h-h n_of:x-i n_n x n:x v_of:e-i-p-i v:e-i-p p:e-u-i p:e-u-i named:x-c na
   When his secretary is found floating dead in the pol 's pool , Mancuso is called in to investigate . x:e-h-h q:i-h-h n_of:x-i _ v:e-i-i u v:e-i a:e-p p:e-u-i q:i-h-h n:x _ n_of:x-i _ named:x-c _ v_in:e-i-i _ x:e-h-h v:e-i-p _
   Last week q:i-h-h n:x
 In this week 's show , there 's an unsafe nuclear weaponsmaking facility ( a la Rocky Flats ) . p:e-u-i q_dem:i-h-h n:x _ n_of:x-i _ v_there:e-i q:i-h-h a:e-p a:e-p n:x n:x _ p:e-u-i p:e-u-i a:e-p named:x-c _ _
                                                                                                     this seems a little stale , it 's redeemed in part by some tricky plot twists x:x v_to:e-u-h-i x:e-u x:e-u x:e-p _ pron:x _ v_for:e-i-p p:e-u-i n:x p:e-u-i q:i-h-h a:e-p n_of:x-i n:x
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