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San Diego Police Department

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POLICE INVESTIGATE DEATH IN CORE-COLUMBIA NEIGHBORHOOD

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the death of a 61-year-old male who was battered on a downtown street on Saturday, March 1, 2008.

On March 1, 2008, at about 3:15 p.m., Donovan Green, 61, was in the 800 block of Broadway when two males approached him on foot. One of the males (described as white, 20-23, 5'11", with short blond hair and wearing a black sweatshirt) punched Green in the face, causing him to fall to the ground. The suspect and a male companion (similar physical description to suspect #1) fled eastbound on Broadway. Paramedics transported Mr. Green to a trauma center, where his condition deteriorated. He died this afternoon at 1:40 p.m.

The Homicide Unit is coordinating its investigation with Central Division and the Homeless Outreach Team.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to call the Homicide Unit at (619) 531-2293 or Crime Stoppers at (888) 580-TIPS.

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