



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

San Diego Police Department

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Homicide Unit

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POLICE INVESTIGATE MURDER IN ENCANTO

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the murder of a man in Encanto.

At 9:09 a.m. this morning, officers responded to a report of a dead body in the 6700 block of Mulberry Street. The body had been discovered by a neighborhood resident walking a dog along the street. On arrival, officers found the body of a deceased male lying on the ground alongside the roadway. Homicide detectives were called to the scene. With the assistance of investigators from the Medical Examiner's Office, they determined that the male had been stabbed multiple times.

The victim is described as a Hispanic male, 39 years old, and is believed to have been a San Diego resident. He carried no identification, but was identified after a fingerprint check. His name is being withheld pending family notification.

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

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