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POLICE INVESTIGATE DEATH IN LINCOLN PARK

San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives are investigating the discovery of a deceased male in a church parking lot last night.

On Sunday, March 18, 2007, at 9:10 p.m., the San Diego Fire Department received a report of an injured person in the parking lot of a church in the 4900 block of Logan Avenue. Paramedics arrived and pronounced a male deceased at the scene. The paramedics noted trauma to the male's body and requested police assistance. The origin of the male's trauma is not known, so the Homicide Unit was called to investigate.

The preliminary investigation has revealed that the church was having a barbeque attended by approximately 25 people when children playing tag found the male down near a parked vehicle. The children alerted adults, who in turn called 9-1-1.

The male has been positively identified, but his name is being withheld pending family notification.

An autopsy has been scheduled for later today.

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