



THE CITY OF SAN DIEGO

## San Diego Police Department

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### **ARREST MADE IN DOWNTOWN MURDER**

**San Diego Police Department Homicide Unit detectives have arrested a suspect in last night's murder of a disabled homeless man.**

**Last night, just before midnight, the 41-year-old victim got into an argument with the suspect in the 800 block of 'F' Street. During the argument, the suspect took one of the victim's crutches and beat him with it. The victim died at a local hospital just before 1:00 a.m.**

**Homicide Team III investigated the case and, with the assistance of witnesses and officers from Central Division, identified Ross Ivy, 27, as the suspect in the attack. This afternoon, at approximately 3:00 p.m., detectives arrested Ivy in the 800 block of 'E' Street. Ivy is being processed at headquarters and he will be booked into County Jail for one count of murder.**

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