



University Park Police Department

On Monday, January 6, at approximately 6:47 pm, University Park Police were dispatched to the report of a gunshot victim in the parking lot of Mike's Liquor Store, located at 541 University Parkway. Upon arrival to the scene, officers found an unresponsive, male subject who was immediately transported to Olympia Fields Hospital via EMS. There, he was soon after pronounced dead from multiple gunshot wounds.

Witnesses on the scene reported that the male was standing in the lot when an unidentified male black quickly approached him and shot him. The male black victim was identified as Chikiris Murphy, M/B, 12/01/96.

The University Park Police Department is in the preliminary stages of the investigation, however, have determined that there is no immediate threat to our community regarding the incident. We are investigating several leads regarding the homicide. Anyone with information should contact the investigations division of the University Park Police Department (708-534-0912)

All information received will be kept confidential

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