



**Dismembered body found in garbage bags in Oak Park alley
March 11, 2009**

Oak Park Police responding to a call at about 11 a.m., Wed., March 11, found a dismembered body in four, large garbage bags on a garage apron in the 1000 block of Clarence Avenue.

The remains, believed to be that of a Hispanic male in his 30s, have not been identified.

A canvas of the neighborhood after the report established that the bags had been left sometime between 9:30 p.m. Tuesday night and 6:30 a.m. Wednesday morning.

Investigating officers arrived on the scene within minutes of the call and confirmed the contents of the bags. Police quickly secured and photographed the scene and contacted the Cook County Medical Examiner's Office, which took possession of the remains.

Additional information regarding the incident will be released when it becomes available.

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