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### **Malicious Assault Investigation**

The Wheeling Police Department is investigating a malicious assault that possibly occurred early this morning in the North Wheeling area of the city.

Police were called around 5:40 a.m. for a man found bleeding in a dumpster at Garden Court and Fourth Street. The victim, unconscious at the time, was taken to a local hospital with multiple wounds, including a severe head injury.

If the public has any information on this case, they are strongly urged to call the Wheeling Police Department at 304-234-3664.

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