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**Body Recovered, Believed to be Missing Homicide Victim**

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Walla Walla PD Detectives have recovered a body in Umatilla County believed to be that of Gabriel Ledezma Rodriguez, 34, whose last known residence was in the Milton-Freewater area. Positive identification has not been made at this time, but the family has been notified.

Umatilla County Sheriff's Deputies assisted throughout the investigation and during the recovery of the body.

Ledezma Rodriguez is believed to be the victim of a homicide that took place in the basement apartment at 1589 E. Alder. The slaying occurred during the latter part of April and wasn't reported to police for several days.

An autopsy is taking place today to confirm the body is that of Ledezma Rodriguez.

More details will be released as the investigation continues. No arrests have been made at this time.

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