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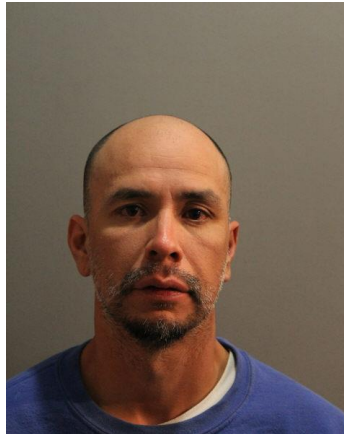
## Chicago Police Department

Larry Snelling  
Superintendent

For Immediate Release  
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### Offender Charged with Aggravated Vehicular Hijacking, Aggravated Battery of 52-Year-Old Male



**Offender:** Richard Brito, 44  
8000 block of S. Tripp  
Chicago, Illinois

**Charges:** One (1) felony count – Vehicular Hijacking - Aggravated - Weapon  
One (1) felony count – Aggravated Battery/Public Place

**Court:** Detention Hearing – 2600 S. California – September 6, 2024

**Narrative:** The above offender was arrested by members of the Vehicular Hijacking Task Force on September 5, 2024, in the 1300 block of W. 51<sup>st</sup> St. He was identified as the offender who, on August 26, 2024, battered a 52-year-old male before taking his vehicle by force in the 5100 block of S. Rockwell (9<sup>th</sup> District). The offender was placed into custody and charged accordingly. No additional information is available at this time.

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