



**Phoenix Police Department**  
**Public Affairs Bureau**  
620 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85003



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# MEDIA ADVISORY

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**Date/Time:** February 16, 2021, 11:21 a.m.  
**Incident:** 2021-258617  
**Location:** 1700 West Bethany Home Road  
**Victim:** 74-year-old Juanito Falcon, deceased  
**Suspect:** 40-year-old Marcus Williams

## Homicide Investigation

On February 16<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at about 11:20 a.m., Phoenix Police officers responded to a call of an assault near 17<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Bethany Home Road. When they arrived, they located 74-year-old Juanito Falcon who was suffering from injuries to his head. Officers learned Juanito was walking in the area when he was attacked by a male for no apparent reason. Juanito was transported to the hospital and died from his injuries two days later.

During the course of the investigation, detectives developed probable cause to arrest 40-year-old Marcus Williams for homicide. Marcus was located and arrested on March 3<sup>rd</sup>. He was booked into the Maricopa County Jail under booking number T685607 for one count of murder. Detectives have been unable to uncover a motive for this attack.