



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: April 2, 2023, around 8:30 p.m.
Incident: 2023-491831
Location: 13th Street and Fillmore Street
Victim: Gerardo Chavez, 35-year-old male, deceased
Victim: Juvenile male, non-life-threatening injury

Homicide in Central Phoenix

(April 3, 2023): Detectives are investigating a shooting that left one man dead and a juvenile hospitalized.

Phoenix Police officers were dispatched to an emergency call of a shooting near 13th and Fillmore Streets. When they arrived, officers were informed a juvenile that was stuck by gunfire was taken to a gas station by 16th and Roosevelt Street. He was rushed to the hospital by fire with a non-life-threatening injury.

Officers also learned a second gunshot wound victim, 35-year-old Gerardo Chavez, was taken to a hospital by a witness. Chavez was treated at the hospital but later died from his injuries. The suspect left the area before police arrived.

Detectives responded to the scene to look for surveillance video, interview witnesses and process the crime scene. No arrests have been made. The Phoenix Police Department is asking anyone who information regarding this incident to please call Phoenix Police or Silent Witness if they wish to remain anonymous.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky
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