



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: January 4, 2024 at 4:43 a.m.
Incident: 2024-15879
Location: 55th Avenue and Thomas Road
Victim: Jose Gomez, 41-year-old, deceased

Fatal Collision

(January 4, 2024) Phoenix police detectives are investigating an early morning fatal collision involving a pedestrian near 55th Avenue and Thomas Road.

This morning, just after 4:30, officers responded to a call of a collision involving a vehicle and pedestrian near 55th Avenue and Thomas Road. The pedestrian was pronounced deceased on scene. He was identified as 41-year-old Jose Gomez. The vehicle remained on scene and the driver was not injured.

Detectives responded to take over the investigation. Early information indicates the pedestrian was attempting to cross mid-block on Thomas Road. A vehicle going east on Thomas Road struck the pedestrian. The driver of the vehicle showed no signs of impairment. Details about the collision remain part of the ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Melissa Soliz
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