



**Phoenix Police Department**  
**Public Affairs Bureau**  
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# MEDIA ADVISORY

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**Date/Time:** September 19, 2022 at about 5:00 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2022-1415386  
**Location:** 24<sup>th</sup> Drive and Thomas Road  
**Victim:** Michael Medina, 21-year-old, deceased  
**Suspect:** Teenage male, non-life-threatening

## Shoot-Out Leaves One dead and One Injured

Phoenix Police are investigating a shooting that occurred near 24<sup>th</sup> Drive and Thomas Road involving two males. During the gunfire, both males suffered a gunshot wound. Both were transported to the hospital and one was pronounced deceased.

Yesterday evening at about 5:00 p.m., on September 19, 2022, Phoenix police were called to a shooting in the area of 24<sup>th</sup> Drive and Thomas Road. Officers found one adult male, later identified as Michael Medina suffering from a gunshot wound. He was taken to the hospital with life-threatening-injuries and was pronounced deceased at the hospital. Officers found the suspect nearby suffering from a gunshot wound. He was transported to the hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

Early information indicates Michael fired a gun at the male and the male returned fire. Detectives responded and took over the investigation. Details about what led up to the shooting are still under investigation. The suspect was released pending further investigation.

The case will be submitted to the Maricopa County Attorney's Office for review once the investigation has been completed.