



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: October 24, 2025, at about 5:43 a.m.
Incident: 2025-1545894
Location: 1700 North 43rd Avenue
Victim: Miguel Alteres, 32-year-old, deceased
Suspect: Michelle Guzman-Garcia, 24-year-old, Booked MCSO G214645

UPDATE: October 25, 2025

Detectives arrest 24-year-old Michelle Guzman-Garcia for felony hit and run after she was identified as the driver of an SUV that struck and killed 32-year-old Miguel Alteres early Friday morning.

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Gray Jeep Sought in Fatal Collision

(October 24, 2025) Detectives are investigating a fatal collision where a man was struck by an SUV during the early morning hours in west Phoenix

At about 5:43 a.m., officers were called to a collision involving a pedestrian and an SUV near 1700 North 43rd Avenue. As officers arrived at the scene, they found an adult male suffering from critical injuries. The man was provided emergency care by The Phoenix Fire Department; and was not able to overcome his injuries. The man was pronounced deceased on scene.

Detectives responded to the collision and learned the man was attempting to cross 43rd Avenue just north of McDowell Road when he was hit. Witnesses in the area told detectives that a gray colored Jeep Cherokee had struck the man. A female in her 40's was seen getting out of the Jeep for a short time then got back into the driver's seat and drove away.

Anyone with information about this fatal hit and run is encouraged to call into Silent Witness at 480-WITNESS (948-6377) or 480-TESTIGO (837-8446). \$2,000 dollar reward is being offered for information leading to an arrest.

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