



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: December 15, 2025, at about 3:08 a.m.
Incident: 2025-1791196
Location: 4400 East Van Buren Street
Victim: Martin Toledo Jr, 23-year-old male, deceased

UPDATE: December 16, 2025

The victim in this case has been identified as 23-year-old, Martin Toledo Jr.

Sergeant Brian Bower
Public Affairs Bureau

Collision with Semi Truck Leaves Man Dead

(December 15, 2025) Detectives are investigating a collision involving a pedestrian who later died.

Around 3:08 a.m., officers responded to the area of 44th Street and Van Buren Street regarding a pedestrian whom a semi-truck had struck. When officers arrived, they located the adult male in critical condition. The Phoenix Fire Department arrived on the scene and pronounced the man deceased. The adult male driver of the semi-truck remained on the scene.

Detectives from the Vehicular Crimes Unit responded to assume the investigation and process the scene. Preliminary information indicates the adult male was lying down in a low-lit area in the parking lot when he was run over by the semi-truck, which was circling through the parking lot attempting to exit onto 44th Street. The adult male driver was evaluated, and no signs of impairment were observed. Additional information remains a part of the ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Lorraine Fernandez
Public Affairs Bureau