



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: May 28, 2026, around 4:46 a.m.
Incident: 2026 - 732642
Location: 59th and Van Buren
Victim: Adult Woman, Deceased
Fatal Collision

Around 4:46 a.m. on Thursday, May 28, 2026, officers responded to the intersection of North 59th Avenue and West Van Buren Street for a collision involving a pedestrian and a Valley Metro bus. When officers arrived, they found a woman unresponsive and pinned under the front of the bus. The Phoenix Fire Department arrived on scene and pronounced the woman deceased. At this time next of kin have **NOT** been notified.

Detectives from the Vehicular Crimes Unit (VCU) responded to assume the investigation and process the scene. Preliminary information indicates that the woman was walking eastbound in the marked crosswalk on the south side of the intersection when she was struck by the bus. The driver of the bus was uninjured and remained on scene. Detectives evaluated the driver for impairment and observed no signs of impairment.

Detectives are working with the Maricopa County Office of the Medical Examiner to identify the victim.

Additional information related to this incident remains part of the ongoing investigation. Detectives will determine what charges, if any, will be filed once the reconstruction is complete

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