



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: January 18, 2026, at about 6:33 p.m.
Incident: 2026-82817
Location: 1600 East McDowell Road
Victim: Alfredo Lopez, 62-year-old man, deceased

Crash Leaves Pedestrian Dead

On January 18, 2026, around 6:33 p.m., officers responded to the area of 1600 West McDowell Road regarding a pedestrian who was hit by a vehicle. When officers arrived, they located an adult man, later identified as 62-year-old Alfredo Lopez with very serious injuries. Phoenix Fire Department personnel arrived on the scene and transported the man to a nearby hospital. That man later died at the hospital. The vehicle that hit the man remained on scene.

Preliminary information suggests that the pedestrian attempted to cross the road mid-block not using a crosswalk when he was struck by the vehicle. Impairment is not believed to be a factor in this crash.

Detectives from the Vehicular Crimes Unit assumed the investigation. Further details about this crash are all part of the ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Jen Zak
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