



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



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# MEDIA ADVISORY

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**Date/Time:** August 29, 2024, around 12:07 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2024-1272935  
**Location:** 3500 West Peoria Avenue  
**Victim:** Austin Coon, 27-year-old, deceased  
**Victim:** Adult female, hospitalized

## **Collision Leaves One Dead Another Hospitalized**

(August 29, 2024) Phoenix Police detectives are investigating a collision that left one pedestrian dead and another in the hospital.

On August 29, 2024, around noon, officers responded to the area of 35<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Peoria Avenue regarding a collision that involved two vehicles and multiple pedestrians. When officers arrived, they located the vehicles involved and two injured pedestrians. One of those pedestrians, an adult female, was transported to a nearby hospital and remains there with non-life-threatening injuries. The other pedestrian, identified as 27-year-old Austin Coon, was also transported to a nearby hospital. Coon did not survive his injuries and was pronounced deceased. The occupants of both vehicles were not injured as a result of this collision.

Detectives responded to take over the investigation. Preliminary information suggests that the vehicles involved collided in the interception resulting in one of them to change directions and exit the roadway onto the sidewalk. When this occurred, the vehicle struck the pedestrians who were on the sidewalk. Additional details about the collision remain part of the ongoing investigation.

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