



**Phoenix Police Department**  
**Public Affairs Bureau**  
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# MEDIA ADVISORY

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**Date/Time:** August 2, 2024, around 4:30 a.m.  
**Incident:** 2024-1126250  
**Location:** 9400 North Cave Creek Road  
**Victim:** Nathan Castro, 24-year-old male, deceased

## **Motorcycle Rider Dies in Single Vehicle Collision**

(August 3, 2024) Phoenix Police Vehicular Crimes detectives identify the victim of a collision that left one man dead.

On August 2, 2024, around 4:30 a.m., officers responded to a single vehicle collision involving a motorcyclist in the area of 9400 N Cave Creek Rd. Officers responded and located an adult male suffering from serious injuries. Unfortunately, 24-year-old Nathan Castro did not survive his injuries and was pronounced deceased a short time after arriving at the hospital.

Detectives responded to take over the investigation. Preliminary information suggests that the motorcycle, operated by 24-year-old Nathan Castro, was northbound on North Cave Creek Road at a high rate of speed when the rider failed to control the motorcycle and negotiate a curve in the roadway. The motorcycle left the roadway on the east side of the road and collided with several parked cars.

Additional details about the collision remain part of the ongoing investigation.

*Sergeant Mayra Reeson*  
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