



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: November 30, 2024, at about 10:00 p.m.
Incident: 2024-1769272
Location: 4200 North 51st Avenue
Victim: Jared Valdez, 26-year-old, deceased

Man Dies in Single Vehicle Collision

(December 1, 2024) A man dies at the hospital after crashing into a pole near 51st Avenue and Glenrosa Avenue late Saturday night.

Detectives responded to a fatal collision scene just after 10:00 p.m. last night and involved a single vehicle driven by 26-year-old Jared Valdez. It was learned that Valdez was driving north on 51st Avenue when his vehicle drove off the roadway striking a brick wall then hitting a fixed pole. Phoenix Fire personnel responded and extracted Valdez from the car and took him to the hospital for emergency care. Suffering from serious critical injuries, Valdez was not able to overcome his injuries and died at the hospital.

The cause of the crash is still under investigation.

Sergeant Brian Bower
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