

Phoenix Police Department

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MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: November 28, 2023, at 8:56 p.m.

Incident: 2023-1796537

Location: 915 West Alta Vista Road

Victim: Marc Leyva, 17-year-old, deceased

Suspects: Dareon Harris, 18-year-old male, MCSO Booking# G065551

Leonard Brown, 19-year-old male, MCSO Booking# G066456

Takari Humphrey, 18-year-old male, Booked

Juvenile male, late teens

UPDATE: December 20, 2023

Detectives Arrest Four Suspects in Deadly Robbery

After completing the scene investigation, detectives from the Homicide Unit quickly began developing information to identify and locate four individuals involved in the murder of 17-year-old Marc Leyva.

On December 14, detectives located and arrested 18-year-old Dareon Harris and a male juvenile after evidence was obtained linking the suspects to the homicide.

Four days later, detectives located and arrested 19-year-old Leonard Brown who was also identified as a suspect in this case.

The fourth suspect, 18-year-old Takari Humphreys, was located and arrested earlier today. All four suspects were interviewed and admitted to their involvement in a premeditated robbery that resulted in the death of Leyva. The charges range from First-Degree Murder, Attempted Robbery, and Aggravated Assault.

Currently, there are no other outstanding suspects relating to this incident.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky Public Affairs Bureau

Homicide Investigation

(November 29, 2023) Phoenix Police detectives are investigating a shooting that occurred last night that left a teenage man dead.

On November 28, 2023, just before 9:00 p.m., Phoenix police officers responded to the area of 7th Avenue and Alta Vista Road regarding a call of a shooting. When officers arrived, they located a male, identified as 17-year-old Marc Leyva, suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. Leyva was transported to the hospital where he was later pronounced deceased.

Detectives responded to assume the investigation. Dozens of bullet casings were found and recovered from the shooting scene. Anyone with information is asked to call Silent Witness at 480(WITNESS) or 480(TESTIGO) and provide an anonymous tip. Rewards will be paid for information leading to an arrest in this case.

Sergeant Melissa Soliz Public Affairs Bureau

