



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: March 10, 2024, just before 4:15 p.m.
Incident: 2024-358712
Location: 1700 West Wayland Drive
Victim: Milton Ayers, 35-year-old male, deceased

Man Shot Dead in South Phoenix

(March 11, 2024): A man is dead after being shot by an unknown male who left the area in a vehicle.

Officers were called to a shooting in the area of 17th Avenue and Wayland Drive just before 4:15 p.m. When officers arrived, they found a man, later identified as 35-year-old Milton Ayers, lying on the ground and suffering from gunshot wounds. The fire department responded and rushed Ayers to the hospital where he later died from the injuries.

Detectives responded to investigate the shooting. After searching the area for evidence and speaking to witnesses, detectives learned an unknown man shot Ayers and left in a passenger vehicle. Investigators ask if anyone has information to please call Phoenix police or Silent Witness if they wish to remain anonymous. Anyone with information that leads to an arrest can receive up to a \$2,000 reward.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky
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