

Phoenix Police Department

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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: February 3, 2024, around 7:30 p.m.

Incident: 2024-171219

Location: 17000 North Cave Creek Road

Victim: Carlos Lopez-Chavez, 43-year-old, deceased

North Valley Collision Leaves Pedestrian Dead

(February 4, 2024) Phoenix Police detectives are searching for a vehicle after it left the scene of a collision that left one man dead.

On February 3, 2024, around 7:30 p.m., officers responded to the area of Cave Creek Road and Bell Road regarding a collision involving a pedestrian. When officers arrived, they located the adult male pedestrian, identified as 43-year-old Carlos Lopez-Chavez, with serious injuries. Lopez-Chavez did not survive his injuries and was pronounced deceased on scene. The vehicle involved took off from the area after the collision took place.

Detectives responded to take over the investigation. The preliminary investigation indicates that Lopez-Chavez was crossing Cave Creek Road, mid-block, just north of Bell Road when he was struck by the vehicle involved. Additional details about the collision remain part of the ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Rob Scherer Public Affairs Bureau