

## **Phoenix Police Department**

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



## MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time:	June 6, 2021, 2:41 a.m.
Incident:	2021-877145
Location:	4800 North 20 <sup>th</sup> Street
Victim:	Barbara Ann Brown, 47-years-old, deceased
Suspect:	Isaac Wences Najera, 23-years-old, Booking #T705803

## Fatal Hit and Run Collision/Manslaughter Investigation

On June 6, 2021, at approximately 2:41 a.m., Phoenix Police officers responded to a call of a hit and run collision involving a pedestrian at 4800 North 20<sup>th</sup> Street. Officers and firefighters arrived, and the female pedestrian was transported to the hospital where she was pronounced deceased. Officers located the suspect vehicle and driver a short time later, and the driver was taken into custody.

It was learned the driver, 23-year-old Isaac Wences Najera, turned north onto 20<sup>th</sup> Street from Highland Avenue, crossed over the center line across three lanes of traffic, over a curb onto a sidewalk and into the landscape area, running over the victim who was sleeping on the ground. The vehicle continued until it collided with a pole, and then fled the area. Najera displayed signs of impairment and was processed for driving under the influence, charges for that will be pending testing. He was booked for manslaughter and leaving the scene.