

## **Phoenix Police Department**

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



## MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time	February 13, 2022 around 8:30 p.m.
Incident:	2022-240295
Location:	6200 South 11 <sup>th</sup> Avenue
Victim:	Jon Scarano, 41 year old male, deceased
Suspect:	Richard Williams, 28-year-old male, booked T758384

## Homicide Investigation

Phoenix Police are investigating a homicide that has left a 41-year-old man dead.

On February 13<sup>th</sup>, around 8:30 p.m. Phoenix Police were called to the area of 6200 South 11<sup>th</sup> Avenue about shots being fired. When they got there, they found a man, identified as Jon Scarano, inside of a home suffering from gunshot wounds. While investigating the incident, they found a second man, identified as Richard Williams, who told police that he had called 911. Mr. Williams said he had shot Mr. Scarano because he had broken into his home. The investigation showed that his statements were inconsistent with evidence on scene. Mr. Williams was subsequently booked into the Maricopa County Jail. Mr. Scarano died from his injuries on scene.

At this time, the investigation remains active and ongoing.