



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: January 1, 2023, at about 2:25 a.m.
Incident: 2023-829
Location: 1800 East Jefferson Street
Victim: Leon Greer, 19-year-old, deceased
Victim: Adult male, non-life-threatening gunshot wound
Suspect: Gary Green, 35-year-old, Arrested MCSO booking T826051
Suspect: Randle Thomas, 30-year-old, Arrested MCSO booking T826040

UPDATE: January 20, 2023

On January 19, 2023, Detectives from multiple bureaus inside the Phoenix Police Department arrested Gary Green and Randle Thomas for their involvement in the murder of 19-year-old Leon Greer. This incident occurred on New Year's morning, and because of detectives diligent and thorough work during the month, both suspects were booked into Maricopa County Jail for first degree murder and other felony crimes.

During this investigation, Detectives also learned the original scene of the shooting took place in the area of 1800 East Jefferson Street. After the shooting took place, both victims drove to 3336 East University Drive where officers and fire personnel contacted Leon Greer.

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Detectives Seek Information from Deadly Freeway Shooting

(January 3, 2023) Phoenix Homicide detectives seek information that may lead to identifying any suspect(s) involved in the shooting death of a man while he was driving East on Interstate 10 Freeway near 24th Street.

In the early morning on New Year's Day, Phoenix Officers were called to the area of 3336 East University Drive for a shooting. When officers got to the scene, they saw an adult man suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. Phoenix Fire Department responded and took the victim to a local hospital where he later died from his injuries.

Detectives with the Phoenix Police Departments Homicide Bureau took over the investigation and learned a second adult male was driven to a local hospital prior to police arriving at 3336 East University Drive. This second victim was identified as being the passenger when the shooting

occurred. The shooting is believed to have occurred on eastbound Interstate 10 Freeway near 24th Street.

Detectives are actively following up on all leads to help identify the suspect responsible. Anyone with information is asked to contact the Phoenix Police Department, or Silent Witness (480-WITNESS or 480-TESTIGO for Spanish Speakers).

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