

Phoenix Police Department

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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: November 29, 2022, around 10:50 p.m.

Incident: 2022- 1786608

Location: 18th Street and Southern Avenue

Suspect: Adult Male

Officer: Michael Fischer #10119

Officer Involved Shooting in South Phoenix

Phoenix police detectives are investigating an officer involved shooting that occurred after a vehicle pursuit.

Officers were in the area of 3rd Street and Southern Avenue when they saw a vehicle matching the description of a car involved in an armed robbery earlier in the day.

The officers attempted to stop the vehicle, but it continued to drive away. The officers went into pursuit with the vehicle until it crashed into a metal fence in a residential property at 18th Street and Southern Avenue. The officers gave the man and a woman inside the car multiple commands to show their hands. The man displayed a firearm and is when the officer involved shooting occurs.

After the shooting, officers moved up and detained the female passenger. Officers used a less-lethal tool in order to encourage the suspect to show his hands. After no response, the officers moved up and found a firearm inside the vehicle. The suspect was seen by the fire department and was pronounced deceased on scene.

Homicide detectives responded and are currently on scene and investigating the shooting. The investigation remains active. There were no injuries to officers or any other community members.