



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: June 1, 2025, just before 6:30 a.m.
Incident: 2025-806178
Location: 3000 West Palmaire Avenue
Victim: Nicole Lugo, 48-year-old female, deceased

UPDATE: June 4, 2025

The victim in this case has been identified as 48-year-old Nicole Lugo. Detectives will continue to investigate this incident as a death investigation as they await the complete findings from the Office of the Medical Examiner.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky
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Unidentified Woman Found Dead in Alleyway

(June 1, 2025): Detectives are canvassing the area to find leads after a woman is found dead in a residential alleyway.

On June 1, 2025, around 6:30 am, officers were called to a dead body call in an alleyway near 30th Avenue and Palmaire Avenue. When officers arrived, the body of a dead woman was found on the ground with possible signs of injury. Officers secured the area around the scene and detectives were called to assist.

Detectives responded and processed the scene, spoke to neighborhood residences, and searched the area for any leads. The woman's body was collected by the Office of the Medical Examiner as a post-mortem exam will be completed. Detectives await the findings from the exam. Any further information remains part of an ongoing investigation. Anyone with information is urged to call Phoenix police or Silent Witness if they wish to remain anonymous.

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