



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: May 2, 2025, just before 11:45 a.m.
Incident: 2025-644598
Location: 3500 East Campo Bello Drive
Victim: Jack Olsen, 73-year-old male, deceased
Suspect: Daniel Kohls, 38-year-old male, MCSO Booking# G176475

Stabbing in Northeast Phoenix Leaves One Dead

(May 3, 2025): A man is facing homicide charges after stabbing his male roommate to death.

On May 2, 2025, around 11:45 am, officers were called to an unknown trouble in a neighborhood near 35th Street and Campo Bello Drive. When officers arrived, they found a man, later identified as 73-year-old Jack Olsen, lying on the floor of his home with multiple stab wounds. A witness told officers the suspect, 38-year-old Daniel Kohls, was responsible for the stabbing and left the area on foot. Officers searched the area and later found Kohls at a nearby park where he was taken into custody. The fire department responded and determined Olsen died from his injuries on scene.

Homicide investigators responded to take over the investigation, interview witnesses, and process the scene. Detectives later interviewed Kohls where he provided statements linking him to the stabbing. He was later booked on murder charges. The investigation remains active as detectives continue to process evidence. Any additional information remains part of an ongoing investigation. No other suspects are believed to be outstanding.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky
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