

Phoenix Police Department

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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: June 17, 2025, around 9:05 a.m.

Incident: 2025-888116

Location: 700 West McDowell Road

Victim: Thomas Frost, 35-year-old male, deceased

Traffic Fatality in Central Phoenix

(June 17, 2025): Detectives are processing evidence after a man died after being struck while driving his scooter.

On June 17, 2025, around 9:05 a.m., officers responded to a vehicle collision at 7th Avenue and McDowell Road. When officers arrived, they found a man on the roadway and an SUV stopped nearby. The fire department responded and treated the man, 35-year-old Thomas Frost, before rushing him to the hospital. While at the hospital, Frost died from his injuries. Officers spoke and evaluated the driver of the SUV and determined there were no signs of impairment.

Detectives responded to investigate the incident and process the scene. Preliminary information suggests the SUV was making a left hand turn to go southbound onto 7th Avenue, from McDowell Road, when it struck the scooter, which was heading eastbound on McDowell Road. The investigation remains active as detectives continue to process evidence. Any additional information remains part of an ongoing investigation.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky Public Affairs Bureau