



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: September 30, 2025, at about 4:22 p.m.
Incident: 2025-1430598
Location: 8700 West Durango Street
Victim: Eric Wavomba 67-year-old male, deceased

One Dead in Early Evening Car Crash

(September 30, 2025) An adult male was pronounced deceased at the hospital after officers responded to a serious traffic collision in West Phoenix Tuesday evening.

At about 4:22 p.m., officers were called to a collision involving two vehicles near 8700 West Durango Street. When officers arrived at the scene, they located a car and truck involved. Officers were notified that the Phoenix Fire Department had already transported the driver of the truck, an adult male, to the hospital with life threatening injuries. The man did not survive his injuries and was pronounced deceased. A passenger in the truck later took himself to the hospital but had non-life-threatening injuries.

Detectives responded to the scene and learned that the adult driver of the car exited the parking lot and collided with a truck driving southbound on the roadway. As a result of the impact, the truck hit a tree. The driver of the car remained on scene and impairment is not believed to be a factor. Any potential charges will be considered at the completion of the investigation.

Sergeant Jen Zak
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