



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



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# **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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**Date/Time:** December 16, 2025, around 10:39 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2025-1800466  
**Location:** 600 North 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
**Victim:** William Sinclair, 84-year-old man deceased

## **Man Dies After Being Struck by Car.**

(December 17, 2025) Phoenix Police detectives are investigating a fatal crash involving a pedestrian, that occurred late Tuesday night.

On December 16, 2025, around 10:39 p.m., officers responded to a vehicle-pedestrian crash near 600 North 7<sup>th</sup> Avenue. When they arrived on scene, they located an adult man suffering from life-threatening injuries. Phoenix Fire Department personnel transported the man to a local hospital, where he was later pronounced deceased. The man was identified as 84-year-old William Sinclair.

The driver involved remained at the scene and cooperated with the investigation. Preliminary information indicates that Mr. Sinclair was crossing the roadway in a marked crosswalk, when he was struck by a car traveling northbound. Impairment does not appear to be a factor at this time.

Detectives are continuing to investigate the circumstances surrounding the crash. Any potential charges will be determined upon the conclusion of the investigation.

*Sergeant Jen Zak*  
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