

Phoenix Police Department

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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: May 10, 2025, at about 8:00 p.m.

Incident: 2025-690669

Location: 2000 West Bethany Home Road

Victim: Manuel Sanchez, 67-year-old, deceased

Man Dies in Fatal Crash

(May 11, 2025) Detectives with the Vehicle Crimes Bureau investigated a fatal collision involving a man who was hit by two vehicles near 20th Avenue and Bethany Home Road on Saturday night.

At about 8:00 p.m., on May 10, 2025, officers were called to a crash in the area of 2000 West Bethany Home Road where a man was hit by two vehicles driven by adult males. Officers got to the area and found the victim identified as 67-year-old Manuel Sanchez suffering from critical injuries. Sanchez was pronounced deceased on scene by Phoenix Fire.

Detectives responded to the scene and learned Sanchez was standing on Bethany Home Road when he was hit by an SUV driving westbound and again by a second car right behind the SUV. Both drivers were contacted by officers and did not show any signs of intoxication. Criminal charging will not be determined until all information is learned, and the investigation has been completed.

Sergeant Brian Bower Public Affairs Bureau