



**Phoenix Police Department**  
**Public Affairs Bureau**  
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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

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**Date/Time:** April 14, 2025, around 1:28 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2025-547208  
**Location:** 7700 South 24<sup>th</sup> Street  
**Victim:** Orlando Archuletta 38-years-old, deceased  
**Suspect:** Antonio Lopez Jr, 48-year-old, MCSO booking #G172283

### **Mid-Day Shooting Leaves One Man Dead Another in Jail**

(April 15, 2025) Phoenix Police detectives are investigating south Phoenix shooting that claimed the life of a man and landed another in jail.

On April 14, 2025, around 1:28 p.m., officers responded to the area of 24<sup>th</sup> Street and Baseline Road regarding a shooting. Information was provided that an adult male pushing a shopping cart had been shot by another man who had ran west behind the business complex. Once officers arrived on the scene, they located the victim suffering from multiple gunshot wounds. The Phoenix Fire Department arrived on the scene and transported the victim to the hospital where he later died from his injuries.

Officers were able to locate the suspect identified as 48-year-old Antonio Lopez Jr. behind the business complex hiding behind a dumpster, he was taken into custody without incident evidence linking Lopez to the shooting was found in his possession.

Homicide detectives responded to assume the investigation. The scene investigation is complete, and the area is opened up. Lopez was interviewed by detectives prior to being booked into jail on charges of murder and possession of dangerous drugs. Additional details related to this incident remain part of the ongoing investigation.

*Sergeant Lorraine Fernandez*  
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