



**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:** January 3, 2025, just before 8:00 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2025-14849  
**Location:** 2000 North 57<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
**Victim:** Ted Vasquez, 52-year-old male, deceased

## **Man Found Dead in a Home in West Phoenix**

(January 4, 2025): Detectives are processing evidence and following leads to identify a suspect.

On January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, around 8:00 pm, officers were called to a check welfare call at a home near 59<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Palm Lane. When officers arrived, they were informed by members of the fire department that they found a man, later identified as 52-year-old Ted Vasquez, dead from a possible gunshot wound. Officers were told by the victim's relatives he was found alone inside the home.

Detectives responded to process the scene, speak to witnesses, and attempt to locate surveillance footage. Currently, no suspects have been detained; however, detectives are actively following leads. Anyone with information can call Phoenix police or Silent Witness, if they wish to remain anonymous.

*Sergeant Phil Krynsky*  
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