



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: March 16, 2025, around 6:00 a.m.
Incident: 2025-393877
Location: 8300 West Illini Street
Victim: Daisy Ruiz, 41-year-old female, deceased
Suspect: Adult male, early 30's, deceased

Murder Suicide in Southwest Phoenix

(March 17, 2025): Detectives are processing a scene that shows a man shot and killed his girlfriend, then turns the gun on himself.

On March 17, 2025, around 8:15 am, officers were called to an unknown trouble call at a home near 83rd Avenue and Broadway Road. When officers arrived, they were directed to a room inside the residence where a man and woman were found dead.

Detectives responded to process the scene and speak to witnesses. Preliminary information suggests the man shot and killed 41-year-old Daisy Ruiz and then shot and killed himself. Relatives came to the home and discovered the scene after Ruiz was not seen or heard of. The investigation remains active and awaits the findings from the Office of the Medical Examiner. Next of kin notifications for the man are pending.

Sergeant Phil Krynsky
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