



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



MEDIA ADVISORY

Date/Time: May 5, 2022, at about 12:00 p.m.
Incident: 2022-678175
Location: 27th Avenue and Jackson Street
Victims: 46-year-old Jeffrey Matteson – Deceased
Adult female – Serious injuries, stable
Suspect: 29-year-old Rodrigo Zamora Valenzuela MCSO Booking #T776329

Homicide Investigation

On May 5, 2022, at about 12:00 p.m., Phoenix Police responded to an aggravated assault/stabbing call near 27th Avenue and Jackson Street. Officers learned the adult male suspect was at a business when he attacked two people with a knife. A third adult female victim sustained a minor injury that was treated by paramedics on scene and did not require transport. Officers quickly located and arrested the suspect, 29-year-old Rodrigo Zamora Valenzuela.

The adult male and adult female victim were both transported to local hospitals in critical condition. The adult male victim, Jeffrey Matteson, was later pronounced deceased. The female victim is in stable condition.

The suspect was booked into jail for one count of first-degree murder, and one count of attempted first-degree murder.