



**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:** December 17, 2022, around 3:25 a.m.  
**Incident:** 2022-1872462  
**Location:** 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and Baseline Road  
**Victim:** Caelee Lovelight, 27-year-old female (transgender) – deceased  
Javin Casillias, 47-year-old male - deceased

**UPDATE: December 18, 2022**

The deceased female in this case has been identified as 27-year-old Caelee Lovelight. The male that was transported to the hospital, later died from his injuries. He has been identified as 47-year-old Javin Casillias. There are no outstanding suspects in this case. Detectives believed the victims were in a physical altercation with each other where Lovelight was shot and Casillias was stabbed.

*Sergeant Phil Krynsky*  
*Public Affairs Bureau*

## **Homicide Investigation in South Phoenix**

(December 17, 2022): Detectives are investigating an incident that occurred inside a vehicle stopped in a south Phoenix neighborhood that left a woman dead and another man seriously injured.

Phoenix Police officers were dispatched to an unknown trouble call in a neighborhood near 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue and Baseline Road. When officers arrived, they were directed to a car where they found a man with serious injuries and an unresponsive woman inside.

The man was rushed to the hospital where he is currently receiving treatment. The woman was pronounced deceased on scene.

Detectives are currently investigating the incident and processing the crime scene. Currently, there is no information indicating anyone is outstanding. The identification of the victim is pending next of kin notification.

*Sergeant Phil Krynsky*  
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