



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



---

---

# MEDIA ADVISORY

---

---

**Date/Time:** October 5, 2023, at about 10:56 p.m.  
**Incident:** 2023-1516603  
**Location:** 1700 West Coolidge Street  
**Victim:** Ricky Gomez, 30-year-old, Deceased

## **Man Shot After Forcefully Entering House**

(October 6, 2023) A man is shot and killed after forcefully entering into a house in the neighborhood of 19<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Camelback Road Thursday night.

Just before 11:00 p.m. on October 5, 2023, officers responded to a criminal damage call for service at a house near 1700 West Coolidge Street. While officers were responding, the caller informed 911 that he had shot the man entering his house. When officers got to the house, they found 30-year-old Ricky Gomez suffering from a critical gunshot wound. Gomez was taken to the hospital where he later died.

Detectives responded to the scene and took over the investigation. The homeowner was not arrested at the time of this investigation. At the conclusion of this investigation, charges will be submitted and reviewed by the Maricopa County Attorney's Office.

*Sergeant Brian Bower*  
*Public Affairs Bureau*