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Glendale Police Investigate Fatal Crash on 67th Avenue

GLENDALE, Ariz. – On Friday, December 11, 2015 at approximately 10:30pm officers responded to 6100 N. 67th Avenue for a collision involving a vehicle and a pedestrian. The Glendale Fire Department responded to treat the injured pedestrian and transported him to a local hospital. The pedestrian, 53-year old Joseph Ramirez Jr. of Buckeye, was later pronounced deceased at the hospital. The driver of the vehicle was not injured.

Vehicular Crimes Detectives responded to conduct the investigation. The initial investigation shows that the passenger car was travelling northbound on 67th Avenue from Bethany Home Road when the pedestrian crossed 67th Avenue from east to west, mid-block, and was struck by the car. The driver of the car stopped, remained on-scene and was cooperative with police.

The investigation is ongoing and it is does not appear that speed and/or impairment had any role in the collision. 67th Avenue was closed for several hours while detectives carried out their investigation.

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