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## Glendale Police Make Arrest in Homicide

**GLENDALE, Ariz.** – On June 11, 2016 at approximately 1:15 AM, Glendale Police Officers responded to a reported shooting at 6900 N 71 Avenue. They located a 28 year old male, Xavier Flores, who had been shot one time in the parking lot. The Glendale Fire Department treated him on scene and he was pronounced deceased on scene.

Initial statements indicated that Xavier had gotten into a verbal confrontation with a subject in the parking lot outside of the residence. During that confrontation the suspect shot Xavier and fled in a black sedan. The motive for the shooting was unknown.

Violent Crimes Detectives responded to this location and assumed the investigation. Witnesses had provided a possible suspect and vehicle description after the shooting. Further investigation revealed that Alejandro Flores-Armenta, a 23 year old male, had been identified as the suspect. Through the investigation probable cause was established for Alejandro Flores-Armenta.

On the afternoon of Tuesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2016 officers were able to arrest Alejandro Flores-Armenta. Alejandro was interviewed and booked into Maricopa County Jail for second degree murder.

Attached is a booking photograph of Alejandro Flores-Armenta.

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*\*Spanish translation available*

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