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Glendale Police Release Victim's Name in Overnight Homicide

GLENDALE, Ariz. – On Monday, January 5, 2015, just after 9:30pm, the Glendale Police

Department received a 911 call of shots fired in the 5400 block of West Ocotillo Road. Upon arrival,

Glendale Police Officers located a victim inside of a residence. They located 32 year old Glendale resident

Elena Gonzales inside the home. Elena had sustained gun shots to the body. She was treated at the scene by

Glendale Fire and transported to a local valley trauma center where she was later declared deceased.

Glendale Violent Crimes Detectives responded to the scene and assumed the investigation.

Detectives have been diligently working throughout the night. This investigation remains active. Detectives

have identified a person of interest in this investigation and are currently attempting to locate that person and

speak to them about the shooting. Detectives identified that person of interest as Max Quijada, 34 years old

of age. Max is approximately 6'00"/ 210 lbs with dark brown hair. Max is known to drive a newer model

gray Dodge Charger bearing Arizona license plate: BJL7714.

"Glendale Police Detectives are seeking the community's help finding the person (s) responsible

Elena Gonzales' death.   The Glendale Police Department encourages anyone that has information to call

Glendale Police Detectives at (623) 930-3173 or Silent Witness at 480-WITNESS."

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is to protect the lives and property of the people we serve."*

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