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#### Glendale Police Arrest Homicide Suspect from March Shooting

**GLENDALE, AZ.** – On March 19, 2021, just after 8:30PM, near 59<sup>th</sup> Ave and Bethany Home Rd patrol officers responded to a 911 call of a shooting at an apartment complex. Upon arrival, officers located an adult male with several gunshot wounds and immediately used their issued trauma kits to provide lifesaving first aid. The victim was transported to a local valley hospital in critical condition. It was reported that the initial trauma first aid provided by officers on scene helped in the victim's survival for a month beyond the shooting. The victim was identified as 69-year-old Hubert Moore (Glendale resident) and he was pronounced deceased on April 26, 2021.

While the victim was alive, he was able to speak with detectives. Moore had identified his assailant and said the man came to Moore's apartment with a gun, confronting him about a battery charger, then shooting him several times. The shooter was identified as 38-year-old Dion Trent Walton (Phoenix resident). On May 3, 2021, Walton was located by detectives in Phoenix and taken into custody. Walton had the firearm on his person when arrested and admitted to the shooting.

Walton was arrested and booked for one count of 2<sup>nd</sup> degree murder and one count of weapons misconduct for prohibited possessor. A photo has been included below of both individuals.

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 $*Spanish\ translation\ available$ 

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