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Glendale Police Officer Involved Shooting

GLENDALE, **AZ.** – Glendale Police identify 28-year-old Maxwell Jerome Davis as the suspect involved in a weekend officer involved shooting. Maxwell died as a result from his injuries during the shooting, which took place on Sunday, May 09, 2021.

On Sunday May 09, 2021 officers responded to a robbery at a convenience store near 51st Ave and Bethany Home Road. Maxwell committed an armed robbery at the store while simulating a handgun and threating to shoot the clerk and others in the store. Maxwell grabbed some items from the counter and left on foot.

An officer located Maxwell near the 49-hundred block of west Bethany Home Road. Maxwell threatened to shoot the officer and ran into a mobile home community. A second officer located Maxwell hiding between two cars and again told the officer he was going to shoot him while making a move toward his waistband and then raising his hands in a motion of pointing a gun at the officer. Maxwell was seen with an object in his hand and that's when the officer drew his duty weapon and fired at Maxwell striking him.

Officers used trauma kits to provide aid to Maxwell, who was transported to a local hospital where he was pronounced deceased. Detectives processed the scene and located a dark green sharp object near where Maxwell fell. There were no other injuries reported. The officer



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who discharged his weapon has been placed on administrative leave, which is standard practice in this situation. The investigation is on-going at this time.



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