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PRESS RELEASE

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Homicide

Location of Incident: 3300 Block of W. 5th Street– Yuma, AZ

On Sunday, October 16, 2022, at approximately 6:31 PM, the Yuma County Sheriff's Office responded to a report of a gunshot victim in the 3300 Block of W. 5th Street.

Upon arrival, Deputies located the victim who had an apparent gunshot wound and was unresponsive. Rural Metro Fire Department responded and the victim was pronounced deceased on scene.

The victim was identified as Luis Castro, 40, of Yuma, AZ. Next of kin notification has been made.

The Yuma County Sheriff's Office Criminal Investigations Bureau responded and assumed the investigation.

This case remains under investigation at this time.

Anyone with information regarding this case, please contact the Yuma County Sheriff's Office at 928-783-4427 or 78-CRIME to remain anonymous. You can also visit our website at www.yumacountysheriff.org to submit an anonymous tip.

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