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HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION 215 E CONGRESS STREET

*****UPDATE – NOVEMBER 19, 2016*****

The victim has been identified as 38-year-old Joseph Robert Lundberg. Next of kin has been notified.

Detectives are still asking anyone with information to please call 911 or 88-CRIME.

Sergeant Pete Dugan – November 19, 2016

The Tucson Police Department is actively investigating a homicide that occurred late last night at the Ronstadt Transit Center (RTC) downtown.

On November 19, 2016, just after 12:30 a.m., officers in the Downtown District and members of the Tucson Fire Department responded to the RTC reference a report of an injured male on the ground. Upon arrival, an adult male subject was located near a bus bench with obvious signs of trauma. Tucson Fire immediately began medical treatment, however the victim passed away and was pronounced deceased on scene.

Homicide Detectives from the Tucson Police Department responded to continue the investigation. They were able to determine that the victim and an unknown male were involved in a physical confrontation near the bus benches at approximately 11:30 p.m. (November 18, 2016). During the confrontation, the male suspect stabbed the victim and then fled northbound from the area on foot.

Detectives have information that other people were in the area at the time of the stabbing and may have seen what happened. They are encouraging anyone with information to please call 911 or 88-CRIME. You can remain anonymous.

Detectives are still in the process of attempting to identify the victim. Additional details about this incident will be provided as they become available.

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