

MIAMI POLICE DEPARTMENT



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Subject:

ARREST MADE IN HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION

The Miami Police Department completed a thorough investigation related to a fatal shooting that occurred on Saturday, December 27, 2025, as well as a separate shooting incident that occurred on January 22, 2026, involving some of the same subjects.

On December 27, 2025, at approximately 11:56 p.m., Miami Police officers responded to reports of a female shot in front of a mini market, located at 1810 SW 3rd Street. Officers located the victim, identified as Desiree Gonzalez, D.O.B. 3/13/1986 suffering from an apparent gunshot wound. Miami Fire Rescue transported her to Jackson Memorial Hospital's Ryder Trauma Center where she was pronounced deceased.

The investigation determined the victim was not the intended target. Surveillance footage depicted four subjects on motorized bikes, with one operator and one passenger on each bike, exchanging words with two unknown males outside the store before opening fire. During the shooting, the victim was struck, and several nearby vehicles were damaged by gunfire. The suspects fled the area following the incident.

Through extensive investigative efforts, detectives identified multiple suspects connected to the homicide.

During the course of the homicide investigation, detectives from the Crime Gun Unit also linked the same subjects to a separate shooting that occurred on January 22, 2026.

On January 22, 2026, at approximately 3:14 p.m., officers responded to reports of shots fired near the intersection of NW 2nd Avenue and NW 75th Street. Witnesses reported observing several teenage males fighting before hearing gunshots. Real Time Crime Center footage showed a red Hyundai Elantra arriving at the scene, with multiple masked individuals exiting the vehicle, some armed with handguns. A physical altercation occurred, followed by gunfire directed toward another group of males. The suspects then fled the area in the vehicle.

Detectives later located the vehicle and conducted a traffic stop where a juvenile subject was detained. Investigators determined the incident stemmed from an ongoing feud with individuals in the area.

The subjects involved are facing multiple felony charges.

For more detailed information, please see the attached redacted Arrest Affidavits.

Anyone with information is urged to contact the Miami Police Department's Homicide Unit at (305) 603-6350. Those with information that wish to remain anonymous can contact Miami-Dade Crime Stoppers at (305) 471-TIPS (8477), visit www.crimestoppersmiami.com and select "Give a Tip" or Send a text message to 274637. Enter CSMD followed by the tip information and press send.

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