



# McAllen Police Department

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### McAllen Police Investigates Homicide

Nature of CFS: Aggravated Assault

Date: 01/27/2022

Time: 10:07 PM

Location: 2900 block of W. Pecan Ave McAllen, Tx.

CFS Summary: Reporting Persons (RPs) called the McAllen Police Department and reported a male had been shot at location.

McAllen police officers responded to a residence at the 2900 block of W. Pecan Ave in McAllen, Tx., in regards to a male that had been shot. McAllen Police officers confirmed the victim had suffered gunshot wound, and was transported to a local hospital where he died.

The victim was identified as Rosendo Benitez, 53 years of age with a last known address in McAllen, Tx. The assailant(s) are unidentified at this time.

Anyone with information about the crime is urged to call **McAllen Crime Stoppers at 956-687-TIPS (956-687-8477)**. If the information leads to an arrest you may be eligible for a cash reward. You may also submit an anonymous tip through the smart phone app "P3 Tips."

Update to follow.

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