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Phoenix, Ariz. – On the afternoon of July 18, 2024, the U.S. Marshals East Valley Task Force was involved in an officer-involved shooting resulting in a fatality in Tempe, Arizona.

Members of the task force were attempting to apprehend a fugitive wanted by the Chandler Police Department on warrants for burglary, trafficking in stolen property, and felony flight. The subject also had an active probation violation warrant from Maricopa County.

No law enforcement officers were injured during the incident.

East Valley Critical Incident Response Team will be investigating the Officer Involved Shooting.

The Arizona WANTED Violent Offender Task Force is a U.S. Marshals Service led multi-jurisdictional fugitive apprehension unit responsible for more than 1748 arrests in the last year. The task force is comprised of 22 agencies bringing together the resources of federal, state and local law enforcement agencies to locate and arrest the community's most violent offenders and sexual predators. Additional information about the U.S. Marshals Service can be found at: www.usmarshals.gov.

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