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COPA PROVIDES UPDATE ON FATAL OFFICER-INVOLVED SHOOTING NEAR 8200 S. DREXEL

On June 5th, 2025, COPA was notified of an officer-involved shooting that occurred in the 8200 block of South Drexel, that resulted in the tragic death of Officer Krystal Rivera. Over the weekend, COPA was made aware that the death of Officer Rivera was due to an unintentional discharge by Officer Rivera's partner. COPA will continue to investigate this incident and make information available, as necessary.

COPA recognizes the sacrifices made by those who serve, and we join the community in mourning the loss of a dedicated officer and mother and extend our heartfelt condolences to all who are grieving.