

POLICE ARREST 2 SUSPECTS FOR MURDER IN RIVERS

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Operatives of the Rivers State Police Command have arrested two persons over the murder of a youth from Ogbogbo community in Okrika local government area of the state, Sampson Worianime.

Worianime had gone missing on November 11, 2025, after accompanying youths of Ogbogbo community to measure land at their old settlement.

The police public relations officer in the state, Grace Iringe-Koko, in a statement issued in Port Harcourt yesterday morning, said the suspects, Igwe Alex, male and aged 26 years as well as John Mikel, male and aged 24 years, are indigenes of Aletu community in Eleme local government area of the state.

Iringe-Koko stated that the arrest of the suspects followed a petition by the victim's mother, which prompted the Kidnapping Unit of the Command to launch investigation into Worianime's disappearance.

The statement revealed that during a preliminary investigation, the suspects confessed to abducting two youths from Okrika; including the victim, one escaped, while Worianime was killed by the suspects and his body dumped into a nearby river.

The statement reads, "The Rivers State Police Command has made significant progress in the investigation into the disappearance of Sampson Worianime, who was reported missing on November 11, 2025, after accompanying his Community Youth from Ogbogbo Community in Okrika to measure land at their old settlement.

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