

# Terrorists kill four, set communities on fire in Kebbi



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**Armed bandits carrying dangerous weapons attacked and set communities ablaze in the Gebbe District of Shanga Local Government Area of Niger State on Sunday night.**

**Reports indicate that the attackers emerged from their hideout in the Wawa Forest in Borgu Local Government Area, which borders the affected communities in Shanga.**

**The communities affected include Kalkami, Tungar Bori, and Kawara, among others.**

**Available information confirmed that, in addition to Kalkami, the bandits also burnt down Kawara village on Monday morning.**

**Across all the affected communities, an undisclosed number of deaths and casualties were recorded.**

**A resident of the area, who spoke to our correspondent on the condition of anonymity, said that four people have so far lost their lives as a result of the attack.**

**The Vice Chairman of Shanga Local Government Area, Adamu Gebbe, confirmed the incident, noting that this was not the first time bandits had attacked the area.**

**Also condemning the incident in a phone conversation with our reporter, the District Head of Gebbe, Alhaji Haruna Usman, said residents of the affected communities had fled.**

**According to him, some people are currently taking refuge on Gungu Island, while others remain in the forests in search of safety.**

**Shanga Local Government Area has continued to face persistent attacks by bandits, cattle rustlers, and kidnappers seeking ransom payments.**

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