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RESIDENTS of Anguwar Kwakwashe in Suleja local government were thrown into mourning on Friday when a gang of suspected armed robbers killed two security



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guards in the area.

A witness who put the time of the incident at around 2 am, said the robbers shot sporadically and left some residents seriously wounded.

He said security barricades in the area made it difficult for the robbers to penetrate the place easily, which made them spray bullets at security guards patrolling the area.



Photo: Vanguard

Lagos State Police

Our reporter gathered that the robbers fled the scene after causing commotion in their vehicle but they abandoned their tools. The witness said that the two security guards have been buried according to Islamic rites, while the injured residents are at Suleja General Hospital.

Our reporter further gathered that a suspected armed robber was gunned down during an encounter with a police patrol team at Old Kutunku community last Thursday in Gwagwalada after a robbery operation in the area.

Police officers at Suleja and Gwagwalada police stations confirmed both incidents to journalists. At Gwagwalada Police Station, a police officer disclosed that one of the suspects was arrested with bullet wound and is receiving treatment at an undisclosed hospital.

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