

2) Gunmen kill 2 in Rivers community

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Gunmen in the early hours of Sunday invaded Ka-Bori community in Khana Local Government Area of Rivers State where they shot two people dead and injured another.

A community source said the victims were a woman and a man.

The third person, a woman, who sustained gunshot wounds, is in hospital.

The source accused people of Kono in Boue community of being responsible for the attack.

He said the police and other security agencies had moved into the community to restore normalcy and that no arrest was made.

A resident of Bori town who pleaded anonymity because of the tense security situation in the area told our reporter that residents heard gunshots in Ka-Bori communities close to Bori town around 6am, saying the shooting lasted for about 35 minutes.

In the meantime, the public relations officer of Kono/Boue community Development Committee, Golden Nwibakpo, has denied the allegation that the people of his community were behind the attack.

Nwibakpo, who said his community had been deserted, added that his people were roaming about Bori and did not have the time for such an attack.

3) On August 23, three persons were killed in Kono/Boue community.

When contacted, Rivers State Police Command Public Relations Officer, SP Nnamdi Omoni, promised to get back to our reporter on the incident.