

# C/River: 3 killed in communal clash

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Three persons were on Sunday killed in a communal clash in Nnaorokpa, Nta Ikom Local Government Area of Cross River State.

The victims were identified as Rejoice Nton

Anoka, 10, and a student, Mariam Akanya Mfono, 20. The third victim was a visitor to the area, according to residents.

The residents said the clash between Nnaorokpa in Nta Ikom LGA and Ofunokpan in Obubra LGA had persisted for 30 years and had claimed

many lives.

The said the violent conflict had continued despite the state government's intervention.

Police spokesperson in the state, Irene Ugbo, confirmed the latest incident, saying police were on top of the matter.