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Two Killed In Fresh Attack On Plateau Community

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A FRESH attack launched on the Bokkos community in Bokkos Local Council of Plateau State has led to the death of two residents.

The House of Assembly member from the Bokkos constituency, Titus Ayuba Alams, who confirmed the incident, gave the names of the victims as Mangut Dakwan and Magit Manaseh, aged 35 and 28 respectively.

An eyewitness from the community who is a member of a vigilante group said: "Unknown armed men suspected to be Fulani herdsmen in Riyas village, opposite Plateau State University (PLASU) in Bokkos invaded the village on Thursday at midnight."

The suspected armed Fulanis, numbering about 15, were said to have surrounded the village at about 12.30 am and shot sporadically.

The community vigilante group were said to have confronted the invaders and engaged them in a duel which resulted in the death of two members of the local security team.