

Four feared dead in Delta boat mishap

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FOUR persons are feared dead following a boat mishap in Ebrohimi community, Warri North Local Government Area.

The Nation gathered that the boat was conveying 22 passengers who were returning home after Saturday's election.

Police spokesman Chuks Oresewezie said three policemen and 15 others were rescued. According to him, the victims were returning from Ward 3 in Ebrohimi to Koko jetty when their boat capsized at Ureju community about 01.20hrs.

He said in a statement: "18 passengers, including three policemen and 15 natives were rescued while four are still missing."

Two of the survivors were rushed to the hospital and no official of the Independent National Electoral Commission (INEC) or youth corps members was involved, he added.