

Boko Haram kills 97 in Borno

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SUSPECTED Boko Haram insurgents shot dead "many" people, possibly

as many as 97, late on Wednesday, in a town in Musram villages of Borno State, several sources said.

A former local official in the town of Kukawa, near Lake Chad, said many had

been killed after the suspected Islamist militants attacked in the early evening.

A member of a local defence group said the death toll could be as high as 97.

"Many people were killed," said the military source, adding that the casualty figure "may be very high."

Residents of the villages, located in Monguno Local

