

Mob burns two suspected armed robbers to death in Kano

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TWO suspected armed robbers have been burnt to death by a mob in Rimi village of Sumaila Local Government Area of Kano State.

According to an eyewitness, the incident occurred on Tuesday night when three suspected armed robbers, who were said

to have been terrorising some villages in the local government area, entered Rimi village to operate.

It was gathered that two of the three suspects were then apprehended by some residents, while the last one escaped.

After being caught, the two suspects were beaten up by youths, who later placed tyres on their necks

and set them on fire.

The state Police Public Relations Officer (PPRO), Abdullahi Haruna Kiyawa, confirmed the incident to newsmen.

Kiyawa disclosed that the command received a distress call that a mob had set two armed robbers on fire, while one of them escaped.

The police spokesper-

son said the robbers, who had been terrorising Rimi and Magami villages, met their Waterloo when they stormed Rimi for an operation.

He said when police operatives got to the scene, they found that the robbers had been burnt to death, and their remains were evacuated to the hospital.