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"Vandalism would have caused part of these problems.

they are doing by carrying out maintenance of Area 1 and Area 3 all these years," he said.

## Boko Haram Kills Four in Borno Highway Ambush

**Michael Olugbode** in Maiduguri

Members of the Boko Haram sect yesterday laid ambush on the Borno State highway, killing four persons, injuring three others and abducting two, a member of the youth vigilance group, Abba Yusuf, told THISDAY on phone in maiduguri.

He said the notorious militants ambushed commercial motorists at a remote village, Nwajurko near Sabon Gari in Damboa Local Government Area, south of the troubled state, killing four persons, abducting two young men and leaving three persons with sustained

gunshot wounds.

Yusuf said: "Boko Haram in a highway ambushed and killed four persons, abducted two, and injured three others on the Maiduguri-Damboia-Biu highway."

A source at the Biu General Hospital who did not want his name mentioned, said three persons were brought to the hospital and they were in critical condition because they sustained serious gunshot injuries.

Sabon Gari village is located in southern part of the state. It is about 125 kilometres away from Maiduguri, the state capital and epitome of Boko Haram insurgency.

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