

Enugu

The #EndSARS protest started peacefully in Enugu with celebrities such as Flavour, Phyno, Zoro and others adding colour to the protest that also featured native musicians. By Wednesday October 21 the peaceful protest however turned violent as hoodlums hijacked it. Before, midday the roads were blocked while parents had hectic time fetching their wards from schools.

By noon, no less than two protesters were reportedly killed along Nike Lake road. Police also used armoured tanks on the surging crowd. Enugu North Local Government Secretariat was torched and the council hall looted. Bonfires were all over town while the state government imposed 24 hours curfew in the state capital.

On Thursday the curfew was ignored and it got worse with killing of no less than three persons, looting of banks, shops and vandalism of Public utilities. The Enugu Adoration ground of Rev Fr Ejike Mbaka was rumoured to have been burnt but this was discovered to be false.