



Lagos announces road closure as Buhari sets to visit [See affected routes]

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portion of Mobolaji Bank-Anthony shall be closed to traffic on three (3) occasions within the specified period as they are central to the President's itinerary.

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