

Country/entity	Kenya
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Resolutions of the Meeting to Discuss the Conflict between the Communities living along the Garissa and Wajir Border
Date	15 Jun 2016
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/conflict level	Intrastate/local conflict Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008)

The conflict emerged as post-election violence. After the incumbent President Kibaki was declared the winner of the Kenyan presidential elections in December 2007, complaints of fraud and a structural disadvantage affecting his competitor Raila Odinga lead to outbreaks of severe ethno-political violence. After the first incidents in the Rift Valley region, mainly directed against the Kikuyu ethnic group – the traditional powerbase of Kibaki – the fighting spread to the cities of Nairobi and Mombasa. After two months, Kibaki and Odinga agreed on a power-sharing agreement that granted Odinga the post as a Prime Minister and ended the violence.

Close
Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008)

Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Inter-group
Peace process	Kenya Local Agreements
Parties	Wajir South Elders Mohamed Hassan Abdi Sarat, Mohamed Garissa Elders Osma Harel (signature unclear) Hamed Machter (signature unclear)

Third parties

WITNESSED BY:

1. Hon. M.Y. HAJI Senator Garissa County
2. Hon. A. A. HASSAN Senator Wajir County
3. Hon. SHUKRAN H. GURE County MP Garissa
4. Hon. M.M SHIDIYE, MP Lagdera
5. Hon. A. DIRIYE, MP Wajir South

Description

An agreements between Wajir and Garissa communities to address inter-communal conflict. The agreement provides for a ceasefire and arms control, and other measures. It calls for the government to delineate the boundary between Wajir and Garissa.

Agreement document

[KE_160615_Garissa-Wajir Community Resolutions.pdf \(opens in new tab\)](#) | [Download PDF](#)

Local agreement properties

Process type	Formal structured process
Rationale	There is a tradition of signing local agreements in Garissa and Wajir, and this agreement is supported by the National Cohesion and Integration Commission.
Is there a documented link to a national peace process?	No
Link to national process: articulated rationale	The agreement makes no reference to the national peace process, although the meeting was supported and facilitated by the NCIC.
Name of Locale	Garissa County, Wajir County
Nature of Locale	Region
GPS Lat/Long (DD)	0.199042, 40.321344
Participant type	Central state actor Domestic religious organisation/leader or other elder Regional state actor
Mediator, facilitator or similar	Mediator or similar referred to
Mediator (references)	Meeting held 'under the chairmanship of the Hon. Senator M.Y Haji' (Senator Garissa County)
Type of mediator/facilitator/similar	Regional state actor

Local issues

Ritual/prayer and process (including use of scripture)	No specific mention.
Grievance List	No specific mention.
Cattle rustling/ banditry	Page 1, 7. We encourage communities on both sides to continue collaborating in return of lost livestock and support the resettlement of displaced persons and any other efforts towards peaceful co-existence.
Social cover	No specific mention.

