

Country/entity	Kenya
Region	Africa (excl MENA)
Agreement name	Resolutions of the Peace Agreement between Samburu North, Samburu East, Loyangalani and Laisamis Sub-Counties attended by National and County Government Officials together with Elders, Peace Committee Members and other Stakeholders held at Sportsman's Arms Hotel, Nanyuki
Date	15 Mar 2019
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.

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Kenyan Post-Electoral Violence (2007 - 2008)

Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Inter-group
Peace process	Kenya Local Agreements
Parties	Listed in the agreement preamble as: representatives of Samburu North, Samburu East, Loyangalani and Laisamis Sub-counties including Elders, National and County Government officials, Political Leaders, Peace Committee members and other stakeholders.

Third parties 'with facilitation from the National Steering Committee on Peacebuilding and Conflict Management/Peace Building and Conflict Management Directorate'

Witnessed by:

Chairman, Peace Committee, Samburu East Sub-County [signed]

Chairman, Peace Committee, Samburu North Sub-County [signed]

Chairperson, Inter-Faith Council, Marsabit County [signed]

Mr. John Korir, County Commissioner, Samburu County [signed]

Mr. Gilbert Kitiyo, County Commissioner, Marsabit County [signed]

Mr. Solomon Gubo, Deputy Govenor, County Government of Marsabit, for Governor Marsabit County

Mr. Daniel Lesaigor, Chief Officer, Special Programs, County Government of Samburu, for Governor Samburu County

Mr. Isaiah Nakoru, Regional Commissioner, Eastern Region

Mr. Mongo Chimwaga, Regional Commissioner, Rift Valley Region

Mr. Peter K. Thuku, EBS, Secretary, Peacebuilding and Distaster Response, State Department of Interior

Description This agreement sets a framework for ongoing specific issue inter-communal agreements. It includes commitments to address political incitements, boundar disputes and insecurity, cattle rustling and banditry, natural resource management, illegal firearms, highway banditry, encroachment of livestock into conservation areas, illiteracy levels, and economic empowerment.

Agreement document [KE_190315_Resolutions of the Peace Agreement between Samburu North, Samburu East, Loyangalani and Laisamis Sub-Counties.pdf \(opens in new tab\)](#) | [Download PDF](#)

Local agreement properties

Process type Formal structured process

Rationale The agreement was facilitated by the National Steering Committee on Peacebuilding and Conflict Management/Peace Building and Conflict Management Directorate, to address conflict between communities in an area that has an established practice of signing formal agreements.

Is there a documented link to a national peace process?

No

Link to national process: articulated rationale The agreement does not make any reference to a national process, and there are not accessible publicly available reports to suggest that there is a link.

Name of Locale Samburu North, Samburu East, Loyangalani and Laisamis Sub-counties

Nature of Locale Region

GPS Lat/Long (DD) 1.870780, 37.269255

Participant type Central state actor
Local state actor
Domestic religious organisation/leader or other elder
Local community/civilian group(s)/civil society organisations
Regional state actor

Mediator, facilitator or similar Mediator or similar referred to

Mediator (references) 'with facilitation from the National Steering Committee on Peacebuilding and Conflict Management/Peace Building and Conflict Management Directorate'

Type of mediator/facilitator/similar Central state actor

Local issues

Ritual/prayer and process (including use of scripture) No specific mention.

Grievance List No specific mention.

Cattle rustling/ banditry Page 2-3, 3. On Cattle Rustling and Banditry:
(a) The bordering Sub-Counties were encouraged to engage in inter-communal dialogues regularly to reduce tensions and avert further attacks and retaliatory counter-attacks
(b) Law enforcement units were encouraged to take action against such offenders;
(c) County Governments of Samburu and Marsabit to formulate policies on livestock branding;

Social cover No specific mention.
