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Country/ entity	Libya
Region	Middle East and North Africa
Agreement name	Closing statement from the reconciliation meeting between Zintan and Zawiyya
Date	17 Apr 2018
Agreement status	Multiparty signed/agreed
Interim arrangement	Yes
Agreement/ conflict level	Intrastate/local conflict (Libyan Conflicts (1969 - 1994) (2011 -))
Stage	Framework/substantive - partial
Conflict nature	Inter-group
Peace process	Libyan local processes
Parties	People of Zintan and Zawiyyah Two signatories, signed and stamped.
Third parties	-
Description	8-point agreement of principles agreeing to (1) unity of Libya, (2) sanctity of Libyan blood and working toward ending conflict, (3) national reconciliation; (4) fighting against extremism and organised crime; (5) unifying the security institutions; (6) forming a joint committee between the two cities; (7) unifying views on forming a single unity government; (8) returning IDPs.

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Local agreement properties

Process type	Informal but persistent process
Rationale	-> Link to national level; no external support mechanism; culture of signing Although it is unclear whether the agreement was supported by a formal and national mechanism, it is clearly embedded in a culture of signing (and supporting) agreements in this locale since early-2015.
Is there a documented link to a national peace process?	Yes
Link to national process: articulated rationale	The agreement aims to bring a unified position between two opposing cities in relation to the national level process, including "[agreeing on] the unity of Libya" and "[bringing] together the political points of view regarding the formation of a single national government". The agreement finishes with the phrasing "Long live a free and stable Libya.
Name of Locale	Zintan, Zawiyah
Nature Of Locale	Region
GPS Lat/ Long (DD)	32.542742, 12.282323
Participant type	Local state actor Domestic religious organisation/leader or other elder
Mediator, facilitator or similar	No mention of mediator or similar

Local issues

Ritual/ prayer and process (including use of scripture)	Page 1, Allah said: "The believers are but one brotherhood, so make peace between your brothers. And be mindful of Allah so you may be shown mercy." Page 1, And He said: "So be mindful of Allah and settle your affairs." Page 1, Long live a free and stable Libya, and peace and Allah's mercy and blessings be upon you.
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Grievance List Although the agreement does not refer to specific causes of the conflict, it lists eight provisions to address local grievances.

Page 1,

1. The unity of Libya

2. The sanctity of Libyan blood, and the importance of working to ensure that there are no

armed conflicts or threats of armed conflict

3. Calling for a comprehensive national reconciliation through a Libyan-Libyan dialogue

4. Fighting against extremism and organized crime, and taking a clear position against them

5. Working to support and unify the military and security institutions

6. Working to form a joint committee to solve the problems between the two cities

7. Working to bring together the political points of view regarding the formation of a single national government

8. Working to ensure the return of the forcibly displaced and the IDPs, inside and outside the area

Cattle rustling/
banditry No specific mention.

Social cover No specific mention.
