

## ***Interactive comment on “Actors and networks in resource conflict resolution under climate change in rural Kenya” by G . W. Ngaruiya and J . Scheffran***

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The manuscript is relevant to the scope of the journal and i find it interesting. The manuscript articulates important issues on conflict resolution on matters subject to climate change. Climate change related conflicts ought to continue among vulnerable societies and understanding how different societies are able to handle their conflict resolution through either traditional or modern approaches through case studies such like this will further inform future policies. It also has a good background on traditional conflict resolution in Africa. In order to enhance this manuscript i have a number of suggestions: 1. Line 12 change the word 'into' to 'to' 2. Statement 56-55 'Adaptation measures...' is misplaced in the paragraph or rather lacks connection to the ideas ar-

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ticulated in the paragraph. It fits better as an opening statement for the next paragraph 3. Statement on line 221 is incomplete. 4. It will be of significance to cite few studies that have applied your methodology and or that have focused on your theme. 5. Finally in your conclusion line 573 you have mentioned and affirmed about existence of few studies. Are you able to cite some of them in order to guide further reading? 6. Further more you need to guide your discussion in relation to other studies in the region or focusing on the theme. 7. Also line 574-575 statement also needs affirmation by providing examples of those studies. 8. It would also be of interest to have your opinion on how formal judicial mediation and traditional approaches may be strengthened through collaborative efforts. Just a thought

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