## Banjar Region – Map Notes

Banjar Province is named after the mountain range that extends along the coast. The lands around this mountain range are very dry. Only a few plants manage to survive in this unfriendly climate. The same is true for animals and especially humans. The Banjar Province has only a small population, which is mostly spread along the coast and along the rivers that lead inland. Fishery and Trade allow for permanent settlements along the coast. The largest settlements are small towns with no more than around a thousand citizens. The villages in the slightly cooler valleys of the Banjar mountain range mostly live of small-scale farming and in some instances mining. The farmers use artificial irrigation to grow wheat and date. The permanent population of the towns and villages frequently interacts with Nomads who live in the desert regions around the mountains.

The life in the Banjar Region was mostly peaceful – until recently. Hostile Invaders have landed in the Bay of Aqesh and have started to conquer the coastal region. On their way along the shores they kill every living being and sack any settlement they encounter. There are many rumors about who these Invaders are and what they are looking for in this dry and unfriendly region. But nothing is known for certain, because no one who has encountered them got away to tell the story.

So far only two towns managed to resist the invaders: Ain Cirid has been under siege for two months now and Darqas is about to be enclosed. Messengers have left Darqas before the evil invaders arrived. But who will come for help?