

### **COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY**

## SECOND ASSEMBLY - (SECOND SESSION)

## NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

#### **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

## WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 2018 AT 2.30 P.M.

- **1.** The Assembly assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock.
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer

#### **QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY**

The presiding Chair (Hon. Evans Otiso, MCA) having confirmed that there was no Quorum caused the Bell to be rung for Ten minutes.

And there being a Quorum at the expiry of the five minutes, the presiding Chair called the Assembly to order.

#### 3. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45 (2) (C): -

# Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c) the following Member requested for Statement: -

i) Hon. Mwangi Njihia requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Water and Sanitation regarding the disconnection of water supply at Toi Market and Fort Jesus Estate within Woodley Ward – *response due in two weeks* 

#### 4. <u>MOTION - REHABILITATION OF STREETS AND LANES TO PROVIDE</u> SPACE FOR STREET VENDORS IN THE COUNTY

**THAT** AWARE, that Article 175(b) of the Constitution on the principles of devolved government provides that county governments shall have reliable sources of revenue to enable them govern and deliver services effectively; NOTING that street vendors or business people commonly referred to as hawkers have the potential to contribute immensely to the City's revenue streams and create job opportunities if the sector is well managed; DEEPLY CONCERNED that frequent violent confrontations between City askaris and hawkers has not solved the challenges

associated with the sector and only worsened the situation; FURTHER NOTING that various back streets and avenues remain underutilized in terms of the potential for street vending e.g. Aru Lane, Gaberone, Taveta and lanes joining Kirinyaga and Lower Kirinyaga roads; this Assembly urges the County Executive to rehabilitate these streets and lanes and utilize them to provide space for street vendors within certain strict parameters per planning requirements and operating timelines for instance from 5.30pm to 5.30am at least two days a week etc.

(Motion deferred to the next Sitting due to the absence of the Sponsor)

And the time being five minutes to Three O'clock, the presiding Chair adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**5.** <u>ASSEMBLY ROSE</u> - at Five Minutes to Three O'clock.

#### MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018 --x--