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COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – FIFTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JULY 22, 2021 AT 2:30 PM

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

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

There being no quorum at the commencement of the sitting the temporary Speaker (Hon. Immapet Kemunto, MCA) ordered the bell be rung for ten minutes.

There being a quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the Temporary Speaker called the Assembly to order.

3. <u>NOTICE OF MOTION - STRATEGIC WATER POINTS ACROSS THE</u> <u>COUNTY</u>

THAT, aware that Article 43 (1) 9(d) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, states that every person has a right to clean and safe water in adequate quantities; further aware that pragraph11(b) of the Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution stipulates that the County Government is to provide County public works and services including water and sanitation services; concerned that most parts of the County especially informal settlements lack clean, safe, sufficient and affordable water, which has led to introduction of untreated water supply businesses within the County; acknowledging that the Nairobi City Water and Sewerage Company has adequate water supply; noting that the increasing population in the County implies increasing demand for basic amenities such as water supply, this Assembly urges the County Executive in conjunction with the Nairobi Metropolitan Services to establish strategic water points across the County to enable residents to have access to adequate, clean and safe water.

(Hon. Millicent Jagero, MCA)

4. <u>NOTICE OF MOTION – DEVELOPMENT OF PROGREHABILITATION AND</u> <u>RE-INTEGRATION PROGRAMMES FOR EX-CONVICT YOUTH IN THE</u> <u>COUNTY</u>

THAT, aware that Article 55 of the Constitution provides for the State to take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that the youth have opportunities to associate, be represented and participate in political, social, economic and other spheres of life, access employment and are protected from harmful cultural practices and exploitation; further aware that Part Two of the Government which include ensuring and coordinating the participation of communities and locations in governance at the local level and assisting communities and locations t develop the administrative capacity for the effective exercise of the functions and powers and participation in governance at the local level; concerned that most youth who are ex-convicts face scorn, ridicule, discrimination and isolation by the society are the major cause for the repeat offenses by the ex-convicts who get reformed while in correctional centres, the frustrations push them to the extreme, often pushing them back to crime; noting that the County has the potential to provide employment opportunities through programmes and trainings for such youths from environmental and garbage management to art and sports Sectors if well leveraged, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop programmes and trainings for rehabilitation and reintegration of ex-convict youth in the County.

(Hon. Millicent Jagero, MCA)

5. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45(2)(c)

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 45(2) (c), the following Member sought statement – $\space{-1.5}$

 i) Hon. Waithera Chege, MCA from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs Committee regarding the manhandling of hawkers by City Inspectorate Officers. (Response in 7 days)

6. <u>MOTION - RE-INTRODUCTION OF DISBURSEMENT OF BURSARIES</u> <u>THROUGH CHEQUES</u>

THAT, aware that since the establishment of the county governments in 2013, the Nairobi City County Government has set aside

a certain amount of money in the budgets to help the needy and yet bright students to access education through the bursary programmes, where such students apply for this bursaries and they are disbursed to their schools' accounts by the County Government, this has enabled many students to access education across the County; further aware that the County Government resolved to use Electronic Fund Transfer in disbursing bursaries instead of using cheques with the view to address the problems experienced in the past where funds meant for needy students went into wrong hands; concerned that introduction of vouchers in disbursement of bursaries has faced a series of challenges where monies deposited in various schools' accounts could not be verified by the County Accounts Department due to the discrepancies between the vouchers and the electronic transfer system; further concerned that various Schools have received the County monies without clear accountability records, this Assembly urges the County Executive to reintroduce the use of cheques in disbursement of funds which is reliable and dependable compared to the voucher system.

(Differed to Tuesday, 27th July 2021)

7. <u>ASSEMBLY ROSE</u> - at ten minutes past Three O'clock

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, July 27th, 2021, at 9.30a.m --x—