



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FIFTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, JUNE 29, 2021 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 Hon. Speaker having confirmed that there was no quorum, ordered the bell to be rung for ten minutes.

At the expiry of the ten minutes there was a quorum, the presiding Chair (Hon. Emmamet Kemunto, MCA) having confirmed that there was Quorum called the Assembly to order.

3. PAPERS:-

The following papers were laid:-

- i. THE REPORT OF THE SECTORIAL COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES ON THE CONSIDERATION OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY SESSIONAL PAPER 2 OF 2020 ON AIR POLLUTION.**

(Hon. Millicent Okatch, MCA)

4. NOTICES OF MOTION – HON.MILLICENT OKATCH, MCA

The following notice was given:-

- ii. THE REPORT OF THE SECTORIAL COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES ON THE CONSIDERATION OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY SESSIONAL PAPER 2 OF 2020 ON AIR POLLUTION.**

5. STATEMENTS

The following statements were requested:-

- i. The Hon. Mark Mugambi, MCA requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing regarding land plot number Nairobi/Block 109/891/889 allegedly grabbed by a private developer in Umoja I Ward. (Response in due 2 weeks)**

- ii. Hon. Patrick Musili, MCA requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral committee of water and sanitation regarding the status of Ndakaini Dam and its environs and it aligned to rising cases of insecurity and provisional water to the locals' residents.
(Response in due 2 weeks)

6. MOTION – DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTY CHILDREN WELFARE POLICY TO PROVIDE A FULL FLEDGED CHILDRENS DEPARTMENT

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, aware that the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC), is the most complete statement of children's rights ever produced and is the most widely-ratified international human rights treaty in history, ratification which Kenya is party to; **Noting, that** the Convention has 54 articles that cover all aspects of a child's life and set out the civil, political, economic, social and cultural rights that all children everywhere are entitled to and also explains how adults and governments must work together to make sure all children enjoy all their rights; **Deeply, concerned** that ensuring child rights in Kenya is still a challenge, 26 years after the ratification of the treaty, and efforts by the State to enforce these rights has not been sufficient as evidenced by rampant cases of abuse and neglect; Children Act, 2001 states that it is the duty of local authority, in this case, the County Government, to safeguard and promote the right and welfare of children within its jurisdiction; **recognizing that** if County Governments do not supplement efforts to address Child Rights by National Government the implementation of the UNCRC charter will remain a mirage; Considering the huge mandate that the Nairobi City County has in respect to the Children, this Assembly urges that the County Executive Committee develop a County Children Welfare Policy to provide for a full-fledged Children's Department to work hand in hand with National Government agencies in ensuring the protection of Child rights, welfare and related concerns within County.

(Hon. Mbugua Kabiro, MCA)

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and **agreed to**

There being no other business and the time being ten minutes to Four O'clock, the presiding Chair (Hon. Emmamet Kemunto, MCA) adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

7. ASSEMBLY ROSE

- at ten minutes to Four O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Thursday, 1st July, 2021 at 2.30p.m.

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