

# **COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY**

# THIRD ASSEMBLY - (FIRST SESSION)

## NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

#### **VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

## THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2022 AT 2.30PM

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

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

The Speaker having confirmed that there was a Quorum at the commencement of the Assembly called the Assembly to order.

### 3. PETITIONS

The Speaker issued the following petition:-

I. PETITION BY TRADERS OF WAKULIMA MARKET IN CENTRAL WARD ON GRABBING OF PUBLIC LAND L.R NO. 239 ON PLOT NO. 209/2154, NAIROBI BLOCK 41 PARCEL NO. 180 BETWEEN KPCU AND WAKULIMA WITHIN NAIROBI CITY COUNTY.

(Petition committed to Lands, Planning & Housing Committee)

II. PETITION BY MARY WANJIRU GITHARA REGARDING JOB DISMISSAL DUE TO ALLEGED FORGERY OF OFFICIAL DOCUMENT.

(Petition committed to Implementation Committee)

## 4. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45(2) (c)

The following statement were requested: -

i. The Hon. Peter Mwangi, MCA requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources regarding the County mitigation plan on global warming. (Response due in 21 days).

- ii. The Hon. Redson Otieno, MCA requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources regarding regulation of garbage collection and disposal in the County, particularly in Ngei Ward. (**Response due in 21 days**).
- iii. The Hon. Fiunifiu Kamau Thuo, MCA requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Trade, Tourism and Cooperatives regarding a private wholesale and retail food market that is alleged to be operating at City Park. (Response due in 21 days).

# 5. MOTION - COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SUB-CONTRACT YOUTH SACCOS AT THE WARD LEVEL FOR SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT IN THE COUNTY.

Motion made and question proposed: -

**AWARE THAT**, Article 42 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides that every person has a right to a clean and healthy environment; **FURTHER AWARE** that Paragraph 2 (g) of Part 2 of the Fourth schedule of the same constitution provides for refuse removal, refuse dumbs and solid waste disposal as a County function; **ACKNOWLEDGING** that Section 5 of the Nairobi City County Solid Waste Management Act, 2015 provides that every person within the County is entitled to a clean and healthy environment; **FURTHER ACKNOWLEDGING** that Section 16 of the same Act dictates that the County Government may directly or indirectly undertake the collection of solid waste from the streets and any other public spaces within the County; **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that despite the aforementioned provision, solid waste collection in the County remains a great challenge, more so at the Ward Level, which has seen organized youth groups resulting to collection of solid waste in the estates at a fee; **APPRECIATING** that such informal opportunities have deterred many youths from drugs and substance abuse, crime and hopelessness arising from unemployment; **FURTHER APPERCIATING** the need by the County Executive to empower such registered youth outfits through award of contracts for solid waste management service in the County to enable them earn a livelihood; this **ASSEMBLY THEREFORE** resolves that pursuant to provision of Section 38 of the Nairobi City County Solid Waste Management Act, 2015, the County Executive to urgently develop regulations that would enable award of Solid Waste collection service contracts granted to registered Youth SACCOs and Community Based Organizations (CBOs) at the Ward level to enable residents access effective solid waste management services.

Question put Motion agreed.

7. ASSEMBLY ROSE

at two minutes past Five O'clock.

**MEMORANDUM** 

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, November 8th, 2022 at 2.30 p.m.