

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

FIRST ASSEMBLY - (SECOND SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, JUNE 19, 2014

- **1.** The House assembled at ten minutes past Three O'clock.
- **2.** The Proceedings were opened with Prayer.

3. NOTICE OF MOTION – (Hon. Kamau Thuo)

THAT, aware that under the Article 186 (1) of the Constitution of Kenya, and Fourth Schedule, the functions and powers of County Government, among others, covers roads, street lighting, electricity, water and sanitation provision; further aware that County Governments can impose taxes and rates under section 109(3) of the constitution, a function which hasn't been devolved to other entities; deeply concerned that the Runda Residents Association and Runda Water Ltd have been demanding gate passes, and charging for them and for road use, and erecting barriers preventing some vehicles from accessing public roads in Runda Estate, which is a clear breach of the Constitution and conditions under which Runda Association/Runda Water Ltd were allowed to operate the barriers by the defunct Nairobi City Council; this Assembly resolves that the County Government remove or order the removal of all the barriers erected on public roads by the Runda Residents Association and illegal levy of charges by the said Association and Runda Water Ltd with immediate effect.

4. NOTICE OF MOTION - (Hon. Elizabeth Manyala, MCA)

THAT, aware that menstrual hygiene management is quite a challenge that is confronting millions of girls in the informal settlement and schools within Nairobi City County; further aware that most of these girls are from poor and vulnerable families while some of them are orphans, therefore they are unable to afford to buy sanitary pads/towels on a monthly basis forcing most of them to use rags, feathers and other inappropriate products that can result to infection; deeply concerned that during menstruation periods most of these vulnerable girls often choose to skip school every month and at times some of them are forced or lured into extra marital sex in order to get resources to purchase sanitary towels; this Assembly urges the County Government to consider partnering with non-governmental organizations and sanitary towel manufacturing Companies in order to provide free sanitary towels to vulnerable girls living and studying in the informal settlement.

5. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 41(2)(c)

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(2) (c), the following Members sought statements –

- i. The Member for Karura Ward (Hon. Kamau Thuo) from the Chairperson, Sectoral Committee on Agriculture, Environment and Natural Resources on the relationship between Nairobi City County Environment Department and the Better Best Enterprise.
- ii. The Member for Mabatini Ward(Hon. Wilfred Odalo) from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing regarding the ownership of the undeveloped land adjacent to City Market, Nairobi Central Ward.

6. MOTION - TO ADOPT THE REPORT OF BUDGET AND APPROPRIATION COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR THE FINANCIAL 2014/15

Motion made and question proposed:-

THAT, this County Assembly adopts the Report of Budget and Appropriations Committee on the Budget Estimates for the Nairobi City County Government and County Assembly for the Financial Year 2014/2015, laid on the table of the county assembly on Tuesday 17th June, 2014.

Debate arising; Mover replied; Question put and <u>agreed to</u>

7. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at Two Minutes past Five O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, June 24th, 2014 at 2.30p.m

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