

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

FIRST ASSEMBLY - (FOURTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2016

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

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

The Member of the Speaker's Panel (Hon. Samuel Nyang'wara) having confirmed that there was no Quorum caused the Bell to be rung for Ten minutes.

There being no Quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the bell was rung for further five minutes.

There being a Quorum at the expiry of the five minutes, the Hon. Nyang'wara called the Assembly to order.

3. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 41(2)(C)

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

i. Hon. Diana Kapeen requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing regarding construction of motorable bridge at Al-mukaran in South C Ward;

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 41(2) (c), the following responses to statements were given-

- i. The Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs gave a response to statement requested by Hon. Mike Obonyo regarding the improper use of Nairobi City County logo;
- ii. The Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs gave a response to statement requested Hon. Erastus Mburu regarding impounding of motorcycles belonging to Nairobi residents stored at City Hall precincts

iii. The Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Justice and Legal Affairs gave a response to statement requested Hon. Osman Adow regarding impounding of motorbikes

4. NOTICE OF MOTION - ADJOURNMENT OF THE HOUSE UNDER STANDING ORDER 30 TO DISCUSS A MATTER OF DEFINITE COUNTY IMPORTANCE REGARDING HEALTH CARE SERVICES INCLUDING THE ONGOING MEDICS' STRIKE

Rising in her place on order 6, Hon. Marion Githinji gave a notice of Motion for the adjournment of the Assembly under the provisions of Standing Order 30 in order to discuss a definite matter of County importance regarding health care services including the ongoing medics' strike.

And the Member of Speaker's Panel (Hon. Nyang'wara) having acceded to the notice;

And there being sufficient number of Members rising in their places in support of the notice;

Thereupon, Hon. Nyang'wara directed that the Motion be moved after Order No.9.

5. MOTION - (DRILLING OF PUBLIC BOREHOLES IN THE 85 WARDS

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, aware that Article 43 (1) (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 paragraph 11 (b) of the Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution stipulates that 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 Accompany has continuously rehabilitated various sources of its water to ensure clean and 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 to drill public boreholes in all the 85 Wards to ensure availability of adequate, clean and safe water for the residents of Nairobi City County.

(Hon. Elizabeth Manyala, MCA)

Debate Arising; Mover replied; Question put and **Negatived.**

6. ADJOURNMENT OF THE ASSEMBLY UNDER STANDING ORDER NO.30 TO DISCUSS A MATTER OF DEFINITE COUNTY IMPORTANCE REGARDING THE CHALLENGE OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES INCLUDING THE ONGOING MEDICS' STRIKE

Motion made and Question proposed,

THAT, aware that Article 43 (1) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya (2010) states that every person has the right to highest attainable standards of health including the right to health care services; further aware that pursuant to paragraph 2 of Part 2 of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution, the County Government is mandated to promote primary health care including county health facilities; concerned that the ongoing strike by doctors across the County has paralyzed delivery of services in the county health facilities, thus infringing to the right to health care by residents of the County; acknowledging that the issue of medics have been on strike in different occasions due to various factors such as lack of salary even up to six months, this Assembly adjourns pursuant to Standing Order 30 to discuss the challenge of health care services including the ongoing medics' strike as a matter of definite urgent County importance.

(Hon. Marion Githinji, MCA)

Debate Arising;

And the time being five minutes to Five O'clock, the Member of the Speaker's Panel (Hon. Samuel Nyang'wara) interrupted the proceedings and adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

7. ASSEMBLY ROSE - At five minutes to Five O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Thursday, September 29th, 2016 at 2.30 p.m.