

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

FIRST ASSEMBLY - (FOURTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

THURSDAY, MARCH 24, 2016

- **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 no Quorum caused the Bell to be rung for Ten minutes.

There being no Quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the Speaker caused the Bell to be rung for a further five minutes.

There being a Quorum at the expiry of the five minutes, the Speaker called the Assembly to order.

3. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR:-

The Speaker conveyed the following communication;

"Honorable Members,

On Wednesday 23rd March 2016, the Chair committed to issue a communication regarding the persistent absenteeism of Committee Chairpersons from plenary when required to report to the House on matters before their respective Committees.

Hon. Members, the Chair cannot reiterate enough the place of Committees in realizing the prerogatives of the County Assembly. As you are aware, committees, as an extension of the Assembly, perform the

bulk of the work that would otherwise be difficult to accomplish in an assembly of more than 100 members.

Hon. Members, it is therefore a grave disservice to this Assembly that business before this Assembly should suffer undue delays in consideration because Committee Chairpersons choose to absent themselves from plenary without due written notice.

Hon. Members, the Chair wishes to take this early opportunity to sternly warn Committee Chairpersons that this habit shall not be tolerated. I therefore direct the Liaison Committee to report on Tuesday 29th March, 2016, on measures the Committee has put in place to avoid this great disservice going forward. It is so directed.

Thank you."

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

Pursuant to Standing Order 41 (2) (c) the following Member requested for a Statement:-

 Hon. Maurice Gari requested for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Children, Early Childhood Education and Vocational Training regarding the disbursement of bursary funds within the County.

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

- a) Response to Statement requested by Hon. Michael Wainaina from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Health services regarding the disbursement of free maternity funds to County Hospitals pursuant to Legal Notice No. 10 of the County.
- b) Response to statement requested by Hon. Nancy Luchiri from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing regarding the perimeter wall of a mosque that collapsed following heavy rains in Fuata Nyayo slums, South B.
- c) Response to statement requested by Hon. Peter Isuha from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing regarding grabbing of public land in Kangemi Ward.

d) Response to statement requested by Hon. Osman Adow from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Water and Sanitation regarding Water Bills.

5. MOTION - TO IMPLEMENT ALL PENDING OR INCOMPLETE PROJECTS FROM FY 2014/2015 WITHIN THE NEXT 90 DAYS

THAT, aware that the 2014/2015 budget was passed and included allocations for capital projects, including the Wards Development Fund; deeply concerned that despite the allocation the said capital projects have suffered slowed implementation by the County Executive and thus hindered the delivery of services to Nairobi residents; noting that the biggest impediment to implementation of projects, including Wards Development Fund projects, remains endless delays in the procurement function; realizing that there are numerous incomplete projects from the preceding financial years that are yet to be completed, while the Assembly has moved ahead to allocate additional monies for FY 2015/2016, this Assembly resolves that the County Executive move with speed to implement all pending or incomplete projects from FY 2014/2015 within the next 90 days and report back to the Assembly on progress regarding the same at the lapse of the said period.

(Hon. Peter Imwatok, MCA)

(Speaker ruled Motion be withdrawn– Member absent)

There being no other business and the time being twelve minutes past Four O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

6. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at twelve minutes past Four O'clock.

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, March 29, 2016 at 2.30p.m