



## COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

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### NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

### PROGRAMME OF ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

WEEK COMMENCING;

**THURSDAY, 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2021**



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**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY  
COUNTY ASSEMBLY SECOND ASSEMBLY  
(FIFTH SESSION)**

**PROGRAMME OF ASSEMBLY BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING  
THURSDAY, 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2021**

**Thursday:                      Communication from the Chair, Petitions, Papers  
14/10/2021                      Laid, Notices of Motions, Messages and Statements.**

**Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 at 2.30 p.m.**

**A. \*MOTION – HON. MARY ARIVIZA MWAMI, MCA**

***Subjects: Allocation of Business Spaces to Persons with Disabilities***

**THAT**, aware that Article 27 of the Constitution of Kenya (2010) provides the citizens of this republic comprehensive equality and freedom from discrimination where every person is equal before the law and has the right to equal protection and benefit of the law; further aware that Article 56 of the Constitution provides that the State shall put in place affirmative action programmes designed to ensure that minorities and marginalized groups are provided special opportunities in economic fields and are provided special opportunities for access to employment; concerned that people living with disabilities have not been given priority in allocation of business space within the Nairobi City County; further concerned that few traders who managed to secure a space have faced harassment from County Government officers which has led to protests by such traders; noting that there are many persons with disability with potential to do business effectively without depending on well-wishers across the County; acknowledging that Article 27 (6) of the Constitution requires the State to take legislative and other measures including affirmative action programmes and policies designed to redress any disadvantage suffered by individuals or groups because of past discrimination, this Assembly urges the County Government to set aside at least five percent of all business spaces within the Central Business District, specific points in the City streets, County Markets and Trading Centres for people living with disability and ensure adherence to the provisions of the Constitution, the Persons with Disabilities Act, 2003 and the Nairobi City County Persons with Disabilities Act, 2015 on the rights of persons with disability.

**B. \*MOTION – ADJOURNMENT OF THE ASSEMBLY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE  
CALENDAR OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

***Subject: Adjournment of the Assembly (Regular Sessions)***

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Orders 28 and 29 (3), this Assembly adjourns until **Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 at 9.30a.m.** in accordance with the Calendar of the County Assembly (Regular Sessions).



Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 at 9.30 a.m.

**MOTION – HON. MBUGUA KABIRO, MCA**

***Subjects: Development County Older Persons Welfare Policy***

**THAT**, aware that Part Three of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides for specific rights including the rights of older members of the society where the State is to take measures to ensure the rights of older persons to live in dignity and respect and be free from abuse, receive reasonable care and assistance from their family and the State; further aware that Article 43 of the Constitution provides for economic and social right of every person including the right to the highest attainable standard of health, accessible and adequate housing, reasonable standards of sanitation, free from hunger amongst others; concerned that majority of older people in Nairobi are faced with a host of problems that vary from economic, health, social and other personal problems most of which are not addressed conclusively; acknowledging that the County Government is committed to care for the elderly as evidenced by the establishment of Mji wa Huruma Home for the Elderly in Runda; further acknowledging the commitment by the National Government to provide monthly stipends for the elderly across the Nation, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop a County Policy on Older Persons to provide for a comprehensive framework for guiding issues of older persons and establish a full-fledged Department to work hand in hand with National Government agencies in ensuring the protection of Older Persons rights, welfare and related concerns within County.

Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 at 2.30 p.m.

**\*MOTION – HON. BENSON MWANGI MACHARIA, MCA**

***Subject: Establishment of a Street to School program for the street children.***

**AWARE** that Article 21 (3) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that all State organs and all public officers have the duty to address the needs of vulnerable groups within society, including women, older members of society, persons with disabilities, **children**, youth, members of minority or marginalized communities, and members of particular ethnic, religious or cultural communities” **FURTHER AWARE** that Article 53 (1) of the same constitution dictates that every child has a right *inter-alias*;- (b) to free and compulsory basic education; (c) to basic nutrition, shelter and health care; (d) to be protected from abuse, neglect, harmful cultural practices, all forms of violence, inhuman treatment and punishment, and hazardous or exploitative labour; **CONCERNED** that according to the 2019 Kenya Population and Housing Census Report for the exercise conducted from 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> April, 2018 indicated that Kenya had a total of 46,639 street persons, out of whom the majority of the street persons being 21,550 were age 10 to 34 years, and below 19 years being 15,752, **FURTHER CONCERNED** that the highest concentration of street persons according to the said report was found in Nairobi (15,337 persons), Mombasa (7,529), Kisumu (2,746), Uasin Gishu (2,147) and Nakuru (2,005). **DISTURBED** that street children population in Nairobi County has increased over the years which has seen them thrust into a bleak, harsh and depraved environment often fraught with constant and sustained danger in various forms such as; Harassment, Violence, Drug abuse and trafficking, Sexual exploitation, Loneliness and fear, Physical and emotional abuse and neglect, Starvation, Exposure to the elements, Early pregnancy and Poor hygienic and sanitation conditions; **FURTHER DISTURBED** that most of the street children lack basic needs including education despite the Government intervention towards free Education system; this Assembly therefore resolves that the County Executive undertake the following measures;-



- i. Initiate a **“Street to School”** campaign programs towards eliminating children from the streets to school with a proper guideline for the same;
- ii. The County Executive to establish a street-children rescue center for learning through a Public Private Partnership with non-state agencies and equip it with personnel;
- iii. A one-month Public Notice be issued to the General Public on removal of all homeless children from the street and enroll them on the Street to School Program forthwith; and,
- iv. Homeless children that shall upon the expiry of the removal notice be promptly nabbed and directed to Ruai Rehabilitation Center for rehabilitation and subsequently enrolled in the **“Street To School”** program.

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