COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY



THIRD ASSEMBLY THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY (THIRD SESSION)

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR No. 11 of 2024

Parking area Members of the County Assembly

Hon. Members, I have the following communication to convey; -

Hon. Members,

You will recall that at the Assembly Sitting held on 13th February, 2024, I issued a comprehensive communication regarding parking of your vehicles in the designated parking slots.

In my aforementioned communication, I informed you of my receipt of a complaint letter from a public lobby group called RLO Associates accusing the Honorable Members of parking their vehicles on pedestrian walkways and /or lanes on carriage ways thus denying pedestrians their right of free and safe movement along Wabera Street.

Hon. Members, the County Assembly is in receipt of a Constitutional Petition No. 145 of 2024 suing the County Government on improper parking of vehicles along Wabera Street and Mama Ngina Street.

Hon. Members, the County Assembly was allocated parking slots along City Hall Way, Mama Ngina Street, Wabera Street and a section of Taifa Road which clearly marked and labelled.

Hon. Members, I want to reiterate my earlier communication that it is inappropriate and unfortunate for Members to continue parking on the pedestrian walkways despite being allocated well labelled parking slots on the aforementioned Streets.

Hon. Members, I also reiterate on change of strategy by parking boys/men who have resorted to ushering members of the public into parking slots designated for the County Assembly thus hindering the Honorable Members from accessing the parking slots.

Hon. Members, Section 16 of the County Assemblies Powers and Privileges Act, 2017 provides for breach of privileges if a Member conducts himself or herself in a manner which, in the opinion of the Committee on Powers and Privileges, is intended, or is likely to reflect adversely on the dignity or integrity of a County Assembly, or of the Members or to be contrary to the best interests of a County Assembly or its Members. It shall be considered a breach of privileges should a Member park at undesignated places and relevant action shall be taken pursuant to the provisions of the County Assemblies Powers and Privileges Act, 2017.

Hon. Members, I therefore direct the office of the Directorate of Security Services through the office of the Clerk to: -

- Ensure that all Members of the County Assembly and staff park their vehicles in the designated parking slots;
- 2. Ensure that the designated parking slots are only used by the Members of the County Assembly and staff of the County Assembly; and
- 3. Liaise with the County Inspectorate Department to ban and enforce the ban of assisted parking propagated by parking boys/men.

It is so directed

Thank you.

THE HON. KENNEDY O. NG'ONDI, MCA

SPEAKER OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

To also 10th March 2024

Tuesday, 19th March, 2024