



NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

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The House met at 2.30 p.m.

[Hon. Speaker (Ms. Beatrice K. Elachi) in the Chair]

PRAYERS

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

VISITING DELEGATION FROM WAJIR COUNTY ASSEMBLY

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Members, I have the following Communication to make. Hon. Members, our sitting this afternoon is graced by Members of Wajir County Assembly's Committee on Implementation, who are here with us on a benchmarking exercise with its counterpart Committee.

Accordingly, I wish to recognize the presence of:-

- 1) The Hon. Dahab Yussuf Farah, MCA, and Chairperson.
- 2) The Hon. Asha Hussein, MCA - Member
- 3) The Hon. Ibrahim Abass Abdulla, MCA – Member
- 4) The Hon. Haretha Adan, MCA –Member
- 5) Mr. Abdullahi Bashir Maalim – Committee Clerk
- 6) Mr. Ahmed Alas Daud – Legislative Clerk
- 7) Mr. Birik Dakane – Clerical Officer

Hon. Members, the Committee is with us on a benchmarking exercise with its counterpart Select Committee on Implementation on matters relating to the operationalization of the County Acts and implementation of the Assembly Motions.

Hon. Members on behalf of the City County Assembly family, I wish to extend our warm welcome to our Hon. Members of Wajir County Assembly Committee on Implementation, may your endeavors benefit the residents of your great County. Feel welcomed and enjoy your experience in Nairobi. Thank you.

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STATEMENTS

RISK POSED TO RESIDENTS BY GROUNDED VEHICLES PARKED ON PEDESTRIANS' FOOTPATH IN MANY PARTS OF NAIROBI COUNTY

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Peter Wanjoike the Chairperson Transport is he around, he has a Statement for Peter Wanyoike regarding the request to residents. Proceed.

Hon. Joyce Kamau: Hon. Speaker, on 30th July 2019, Hon. Peter Wanyoike rose on the floor of the Assembly pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c), and requested the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Transport and Public Works regarding, the risk posed to residents by grounded vehicles parked on pedestrians' footpath in many parts of Nairobi County especially, in Kwa Mbao area along Komarock road in Dandora 1 Ward.

In the statement, the member requested that the chairperson should inquire into and report on -

1. Whether the County Executive has instated any measures to have vehicles towed away from the Pedestrian footpaths;
2. Safety measures put in place by the County Executive for its residents;
3. Whether there is a policy in place on encroachment on pedestrian footpaths; and
4. Measures the County Executive is taking in protecting public spaces.

Hon. Speaker, the committee wrote to the County Executive Committee Member responsible for Public Works and Transport inviting him to a meeting of the Committee that was held on Wednesday, 7th August 2019 at the County Assembly pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (d).

The purpose of the meeting was to enable the CEC Member to furnish the Committee with the response to the statement requested by the Member. The Committee further wrote to Hon. Peter Wanyoike inviting him to attend the said meeting of the Committee. With this regards Hon. Speaker, I wish to report to the Assembly as follows:

The Sector acknowledged and reported vehicles parked on pedestrian walkways, footpaths and road reserves to be a common phenomenon throughout the County particularly County residential estates. In view of the foregoing observation, the Committee was informed that the County was working on a strategy, which will culminate, into the issuance of a three weeks' notice to all owners of such vehicles to remove them on footpaths.

Failure to remove them will lead to the County undertaking a removal exercise by towing them to various yards of the County and at the owners cost. In the event, the owner fails to claim and pay for the towed vehicles the County, will subsequently auction the vehicles as scrap metals without further communication to owners and money forfeited to the County.

Hon. Speaker, Hon. Wanyoike was satisfied with the response, a copy of the detailed response has been given to him, who requested for it, and a further copy is hereby attached to this report. Hon. Speaker, I beg to lay this statement.

RISK POSED TO RESIDENTS BY LACK OF GUARD RAILS ALONG THE KOMAROCK BRIDGE IN DANDORA 1 WARD

I also have another statement for Hon. Wanyoike in the statement the Member requested that the Chairperson should inquire into and report on:

1. Steps the County Executive has taken to replace the guard rails on Komarock bridge; and
2. Measures the County Executive is taking for maintenance of Public bridges.

Hon. Speaker, the Committee wrote to the Executive committee Member responsible for Public Works and roads inviting him into a meeting that was held on Wednesday 7th August 2019 at the County Assembly pursuant to Standing Order 35 (2) (d). The purpose of the meeting was to enable the CEC Member to furnish the Committee with the response to the statement requested by the Member.

Hon. Speaker, the Committee wrote to Hon. Wanyoike inviting him to a meeting of the Committee. In this regard, Hon. Speaker, I wish to report to the Assembly as follows:

The Sector acknowledged that the absence of guard rails along Komarock Bridge is likely to compromise the safety of both the pedestrian and the motorist who are users of the facility.

The Committee was informed that the sector was making necessary arrangements to construct concrete guard rails to enhance the safety of the users of the bridge.

However, the sector noted that the said road was constructed and maintained by Kenyan Urban Road Authority, (KURA) which the sector would liaise with to have the guard rail installation expedited.

Hon. Speaker, Hon. Wanyoike attended a meeting of a joint sitting and was satisfied with the response. A copy of a detailed response has been given to Hon. Wanyoike who requested the statement and a further copy is hereby attached to this report. Hon. Speaker, I beg to lay this statement. Thank you.

THE DEPLORABLE STATE OF ROADS IN THE COUNTY

Hon. Speaker, there is another statement for Hon. Mwangi Njihia who rose on the floor of the Assembly Pursuant to standing order 45 (2) (c) and requested the Chairperson should inquire into and report on:

1. Measures the County Executive has put in place to rehabilitate the Jamuhuri Court Road and Langiri road in Woodley Ward;
2. Steps that the County Executive is taking to ensure that the contractor is on-site and begin the construction works.

Hon. Speaker the Committee wrote to the County Executive Committee Member responsible for Public Works Roads and Transport inviting him to a meeting of the committee that was held on 7th August 2019 at the County Assembly Pursuant to standing order 45 (2) (d). The purpose of the meeting was to enable the CEC Member to furnish the committee with the response to the statement requested by the Member.

Hon. Speaker the committee further wrote to Hon. Mwangi Njihia inviting him to attend the said meeting of the Committee.

Hon. Speaker, I wish to report to the Assembly as follows:

The sector acknowledged the poor state of the roads in the county attributed this to heavy rains and inadequate budgetary allocation.

However, the sector reported that it is undertaking the following measures to address the issues:

1. Routine maintenance of roads through the road maintenance fuel levy, which will be in 100km;
2. Partnership with National Government in the Nairobi Eastlands Regeneration Programme which will be 66km; and
3. Implementation of a Capital Project Funded through the County Budget, which will be 117.55km.

Hon. Speaker, Hon. Mwangi Njihia attended the meeting and was satisfied with the response. A copy of the detailed response has been given to Hon. Mwangi Njihia who requested the statement and a further copy is hereby attached to the report. Hon. Speaker, I beg to lay this statement. Thank you.

Hon. Peter Wanyoike: Thank you Madam Speaker, the affected area that is Kwa Mbao along the Komarock road, which was affected by, the grounded vehicles. I would like to report to this House that I thank the Committee, so much as the vehicles were removed and now the pedestrians are moving freely without any danger. Hon. Madam Speaker, I am satisfied with that statement. Thank you.

Hon. Madam Speaker, on the second statement, the rails of the bridge along Komarock Road, were vandalized and when we met with the committee, together with the sector, they promised that they would come up with concrete rails to safeguard the danger.

Now that they have promised to put the concrete rails, I urge the committee to follow up with the sector so that the concrete rails can be put. Thank you Madam Speaker, I am satisfied with the statement

Hon. Speaker: You are satisfied but you want them to assure you that they will put the concrete rails. You had two statements. Hon. Joyce, had you combined the two statements?

Hon. Joyce Kamau: Yes.

Hon. Speaker: So we are done with that. There was a response to Hon. Njihia also do you have it?

Hon. Joyce Kamau: Madam Speaker I have read the response for Hon. Njihia also.

Hon. Abraham Njihia: Thank you Madam Speaker. It is true that I attended the meeting of the Public Works Committee concerning Rang'iri Road and Jamhuri Amani Court. We agreed with Chief Officer and the CECM that they are going to move to the site but they gave me routine maintenance through the Roads Fuel Levy partnership with the national government and the Nairobi Eastland Generation.

Hon. Speaker, as you can see this was in August and we agreed that they are moving to the site, I can confirm to you up to now I have not seen anything. However, today I met the Clerk of the Public Works and we agreed that he records them by next week Wednesday. Thank you, Hon. Speaker.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Esther, you have something. You have to stand up because I have no idea what you are saying when you are doing this. There is no Standing Order that does this.

Hon. Esther Nyangweso: Thank you Madam Speaker. I have not pressed the mike.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Kabiro, I know you want to---

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: Thank you very much Madam Speaker for according me---

Hon. Speaker: Approach the Chair so that I understand what you want to do. On the other hand, are you ready?

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: With your guidance, I can approach.

Hon. Speaker: If you are ready, you can proceed but you have to use the standing orders.

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: I am ready Madam Speaker.

Hon. Speaker: Proceed.

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: Madam Speaker I would like to rise on Standing Order No. 34, I am so sure that the Clerks on this bench can advise you well.

Hon. Speaker: Approach the Chair, so that you can get this copy and proceed in a procedural manner.

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: Thank you Madam Speaker. I wish to stand on Standing Order No. 34 because of what has happened today in this great city of Nairobi specific leaders have held a meeting and spoke about this county in a bad light. I would like this House to adjourn its business so that Members can rise and support that we talk about an issue that affects this county; one that is been raised in the streets. Things that would allow Nairobian to understand what is bedeviling Nairobi and how we can seek it. Madam Speaker I would like the House to stand in support for us to discuss a motion that I am giving.

(Point of Order)

Hon. Speaker: Yes, Hon. Imwatok.

Hon. Peter Imwatok: As much as I respect my learned friend, Hon. Kabiro, Standing Order No 34 speaks about a motion of great importance to the county. Standing Order No. 34 (2) stipulates that this motion should be brought before the attention of the Speaker two hours before and in moving the motion, the member should be blatant as it should be. What is this matter of importance? Not just telling the Hon. House that, what has happened today? Today many women in Pumwani Hospital gave birth; today some people succumbed to death at Mbagathi hospital, in Kenyatta Hospital some were taken in after accidents. What is this that the Hon. Member is telling us what happened today?

Madam Speaker, some of us are in mosques and churches supplicating our prayers to God to give us peace in this House. What is it that has happened? Has this motion come to the attention of the Speaker two hours before? Because as the opposition side we will want to debate this when the assembly adjourns. But saying what has happened today honestly, today I was having a girlfriend, is that an episode to discuss in this House Madam Speaker?

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Kabiro, can you substantiate properly what happened.

Hon. Mbugua Kabiro: Thank you Madam Speaker I was confused by the fact that you asked me to approach the Chair yet I was very well prepared. I respect my Whip, but I would like to rise on Standing Order No 34 (1), on an issue that there are leaders within the confines of Nairobi who have held a press conference. This is an issue that I had notified you before; regarding the fact that Nairobi is heading in the wrong direction. This is what I would like us to guide and discuss so that we can get direction and say that Nairobi is riding in the right direction.

Members of Parliament and Senators within Nairobi have held a press conference and they have insinuated or rather said that Nairobi City County should be dissolved for not leading in the right direction. Moreover, we as the Hon. Members charged with the responsibility to steer and oversight Nairobi, it is our duty to make sure that they know that it is heading in the right direction.

Madam Speaker, I hope the Hon. Whip has understood my point and I request the House to rise in support of this motion. I hope you now understand.

Hon. Speaker: I think he has explained. I do not know what else we need to understand from this.
(Members stood in their places in support)

Hon. Speaker: What I heard is that the County is to be dissolved. Do you agree with that Hon. Minority Whip?

(Hon. Minority Whip speaks off record)

Hon. Speaker: Order! Press conferences do not solve the problems of Nairobi. Let us come up with solutions. Yes, Hon. Kados

Hon. Paul Kados: Madam Speaker, I listened to--- *(Inaudible)*

Hon. Speaker: Just a minute

Hon. Paul Kados: Madam Speaker, I listened to the press conference but did not hear anything to do with dissolving Nairobi County. If the member heard that, I do not understand because personally, I did not

Hon. Speaker: I will leave that for debate. Let us finalize the business that we have then we can resume that debate. Are we in agreement?

(Silence)

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Members, let us switch to our supplementary order papers. Clerk!

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO COMMITTEE ON SELECTION

Hon. Speaker: Deputy Majority Leader!

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker. I rise to lay the procedural motion with amendments and I believe that whatever we are going to table here is for the good of the people of Nairobi. Pursuant to provisions of standing order 164, this Assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the select committee on selection.

1. Hon. Charles Thuo – Majority Leader
2. Hon. David Mberia – Minority Leader
3. Hon. Millicent Mugadi – Deputy Majority Leader
4. Hon. Mark Ndungu
5. Hon. Millicent Jagero
6. Hon. John Kamangu
7. Hon. Juliet Ndegwa
8. Hon. Mbugua Kabiro

I beg to move Madam Speaker and call my deputy Speaker to second the motion.

Hon. John Kamangu: I support.

(Question proposed)

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker. Through this process, we are giving members a chance to serve in various committees and not remain dormant in one so that they can best serve the people of Nairobi. We want to grow and also have Nairobi grow as a County. Thank you.

(Question put and agreed to)

Hon. Peter Imwatok: Madam Speaker, I wish to thank the House for approving members of the selection committee. However looking at the composition of the committee, it should be passed with amendments because some of the names from my coalition have not been included

Hon. Speaker: Yes. It is with amendments.

Hon. Peter Imwatok: It is with amendments.

Hon. Speaker: Yes. She said that they would finalize on Tuesday.

Hon. Peter Imwatok: Okay.

Hon. Speaker: I noted the same and was wondering why the number is eight.

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO FINANCE, BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker. Pursuant to the provision of standing order number 199/1, this Assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the select committee on County Finance, Budget and Appropriations:

1. Hon. Robert Mbatia
2. Hon. Anita Thumbi
3. Hon. Millicent Mugadi
4. Hon. Anthony Ngaruiya
5. Hon. Elijah Mputhia
6. Hon. Nancy Muthami
7. Hon. Patrick Karani
8. Hon. Mwaura Samora
9. Hon. Paul Ndungu
10. Hon. Millicent Jagero
11. Hon. Susan Makhungu

I would like to call on Hon. June Ndegwa to second.

Hon. June Ndegwa: Hon. Speaker, I would like to second this motion on the composition of the Budget committee because it looks great, the members have a lot of experience, and that they will do justice to this Assembly and the County at large. Thank you and I beg to second.

(Question to the motion with an amendment proposed)

Hon. Kennedy Obuya: Hon Speaker I thank you for recognizing that I am in the house but I didn't have a point although earlier I wanted to contribute on Hon Kabiro point.

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker, we are experiencing members to experience and earn new different committee so that we can be able to tap our talents and serve Nairobians and understand what all the committee entails, rather than holding in one committee. Thank you, I beg to lay.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO SELECT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you madam Speaker pursuant to Standing Order 197 (1) this assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the select committee on Public Accounts

1. Hon Fredrick Njogu
2. Hon. Mbugua Kabiro
3. Hon. Petter Wanyoike
4. Hon. Charles Thuo
5. Hon. Joyce Muthoni
6. Hon. Juliet Ndegwa
7. Hon. Doris Kanario
8. Hon. Petter Warutere
9. Hon. Joseph Wambugu
10. Hon. Mark Ndung'u
11. Hon. Abdikadir Hassan

I call on Hon. Pius Mbono to second.

(Hon. Pius Mbono bowed to second)

(Question with amendments proposed)

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker, as I was saying we are giving members and Nairobians an experience to understand what each committee has to offer and as you can see we have senior members who we believe have got enough experience and maturity of handling the Public Accounts Committee and they will guide our members on how to go through when it comes to being accountable on public funds and accountability on county assembly and executive. I beg to move.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO SELECT COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC INVESTMENTS

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker, pursuant to a provision of Standing Order 198 this assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the select committee on Public Investments.

1. Hon. Jacinta Wairimu
2. Hon. Abdi Hassan Ibrahim

3. Hon. Muchemi Kabiru
4. Hon. Anthony Karanja
5. Hon. Silas Matara
6. Hon. John Nga'nga
7. Hon. Mark Mugambi Macharia
8. Hon. Peter Wahinya
9. Hon. Raira Mwendu
10. Hon. Julius Maina
11. Hon. Mary Njambi

Madam Speaker I would like to call Hon. Peter Njihia to second.

Hon. Abraham Njihia: I second.

(Question of motion with amendments proposed)

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Madam Speaker we are confident with the team of members. We are confident with those appointed to that committee and we pray and hope they get the wisdom to lead the committee and Nairobian to greener pastures. I beg to reply.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO SELECT COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTATION

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you Madam Speaker. Pursuant to a provision of Standing Order 201 (1) this assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the select committee of Implementation:

1. Hon. Pius Mbono
2. Hon. Samuel Mwangi
3. Hon. John Kamau
4. Hon. Jayendra Malde
5. Hon. Daniel Ngengi
6. Hon. Waithera Chege
7. Hon. Beatrice Gakuru
8. Hon. Paul Kados
9. Hon. Anthony Kimemia
10. Hon. Hassan Abdikadir
11. Hon. Peter K. Wahinya

I would like to call on Hon. Mwangi Njihia to second.

Hon. Abraham Njihia: Hon Speaker I second.

(Question to the motion with amendments proposed)

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Madam Speaker I wish to reply with the confidence that the Hon. Members will deliver for themselves and for Nairobi. I wish to reply.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO DELEGATED COUNTY LEGISLATION COMMITTEE

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: That pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 202(1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the Select Committee on Delegated County Legislation: -

1. The Hon. Peter Wahinya Kimuhu, MCA
2. The Hon. Mwangi Njihia, MCA
3. The Hon. Jeremiah Themendu, MCA
4. The Hon. Benson Mwangi MCA
5. The Hon. Osman Adow, MCA
6. The Hon. Sylvia Moseiya MCA
7. The Hon. Geoffrey Nganga, MCA
8. The Hon. Asli Mohamed Mohamud, MCA
9. The Hon. Stephen Gikonyo, MCA
10. The Hon. Ruth Ndumi, MCA
11. The Hon. Kariuki Wanjiru, MCA

I call upon the deputy Speaker to second.

(Hon. John Kamangu stood to second)

(Question proposed)

Hon. Speaker: Mover, reply.

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Hon. Ndegwa, I beg to reply, having confidence in the Hon. Members.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO WDF

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: That, pursuant to the provision of Section 35(1) of the Nairobi City County Wards Development Fund Act, 2014, this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the Select Committee on Wards Development Fund: -

1. The Hon. Sylvia Moseiya, MCA
2. The Hon. Chege Mwaura, MCA
3. The Hon. Elizabeth Nyambura, MCA
4. The Hon. Patricia Mutheu, MCA
5. The Hon. J.M Komu, MCA
6. The Hon. Leah Supuko Naikane, MCA

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I call upon Hon. Wanyoike to second.

Hon. Peter Wanyoike: Thank you Madam Speaker. I beg to second.

(Question proposed)

Hon. Speaker: Mover, reply.

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Madam Speaker, I am very happy with this committee. I can see that it has very brilliant Hon. Members. I am sure they will be able to move us forward and deliver to Nairobians. I beg to reply.

(Question put and agreed to)

PROCEDURAL MOTION

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO SECTORAL COMMITTEES

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: That, pursuant to the provision of Standing Orders 203(1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the following Sectoral Committees as listed in the Third Schedule to the Standing Orders: -

A. Sectoral Committee on Environment & Natural Resources

1. The Hon. Jeremiah Themendu, MCA
2. The Hon. Elijah Mputhia, MCA
3. The Hon. Peter Wahinya Njau, MCA
4. The Hon. Laura Mwendu, MCA
5. The Hon. Osman Adow, MCA
6. The Hon. Joyce Muthoni, MCA
7. The Hon. Mwaura Samora, MCA
8. The Hon. James Kiriba, MCA
9. The Hon. John Kamau, MCA
10. The Hon. Susan Makungu, MCA
11. The Hon. Hassan Abdikadir, MCA

B. Sectoral Committee on Transport & Public Works

1. The Hon. Fredrick Njogu, MCA
2. The Hon. Mark Mugambi Macharia, MCA
3. The Hon. John Kamangu, MCA
4. The Hon. James Mwangi Wambui, MCA
5. The Hon. Mark Ndungu, MCA
6. The Hon. Patricia Musyiimi, MCA
7. The Hon. Anthony Ngaruiya, MCA
8. The Hon. Joyce Muthoni, MCA
9. The Hon. Muchene Kabiru, MCA
10. The Hon. Margaret Mbote, MCA

11. The Hon. John Ngángá Mukiri, MCA

C. Sectoral Committee on Culture & Community Services

1. The Hon Mwangi Njihia, MCA
2. The Hon Paul Kados, MCA
3. The Hon Millicent Jagero, MCA
4. The Hon Patrick Karani, MCA
5. The Hon Leah Supuko, MCA
6. The Hon Nancy Muthami, MCA
7. The Hon Joseph Wambugu, MCA
8. The Hon Benson Mwangi, MCA
9. The Hon Anthony Nganga, MCA
10. The Hon Anthony Karanja, MCA
11. The Hon. Jacinta Wanjiru, MCA

D. Sectoral Committee on Justice & Legal Affairs

1. The Hon. Peter Wahinya Njau, MCA
2. The Hon. Juliet June, MCA
3. The Hon. Julius Njoka, MCA
4. The Hon. Elizabeth Nyambura, MCA
5. The Hon. Mwaura Samora, MCA
6. The Hon. Sylvia Moseiya, MCA
7. The Hon. Doris Kanario, MCA
8. The Hon. Jayendra Malde, MCA
9. The Hon. Daniel Ngengi, MCA
10. The Hon. Elijah Mpathia, MCA
11. The Hon. Wanjiru Kariuki, MCA

E. Sectoral Committee on Labour & Social Welfare

1. The Hon. Peter Wanyoike, MCA
2. The Hon. Susan Mukungu, MCA
3. The Hon. Millicent Jagero, MCA
4. The Hon. Peter K. Wahinya, MCA
5. The Hon. Anthony Nganga, MCA
6. The Hon. John Kamau, MCA
7. The Hon. Anthony Kimemia, MCA
8. The Hon. Mbugua Kabiru, MCA
9. The Hon. Silas Matara, MCA
10. The Hon. Samwel Mwangi, MCA
11. The Hon. Benson Mwangi, MCA

F. Sectoral Committee on Planning & Housing

1. The Hon. Anthony Karanja, MCA

2. The Hon. Geoffrey Nganga, MCA
3. The Hon. Daniel Ngengi, MCA
4. The Hon. June Ndegwa, MCA
5. The Hon. Charles Thuo, MCA
6. The Hon. Anita Thumbi, MCA
7. The Hon. Patricia Musyimi, MCA
8. The Hon. Joseph Wambugu, MCA
9. The Hon. Paul Ndungu, MCA
10. The Hon. Nancy Muthami, MCA
11. The Hon. Mark Ndungu, MCA

G. Sectoral Committee on Trade, Tourism & Cooperatives

1. The Hon. Chege Mwaura, MCA
2. The Hon. Abdikadir Hassan, MCA
3. The Hon. Charles Thuo, MCA
4. The Hon. Naphtaly Mathenge, MCA
5. The Hon. Solomom Magembe, MCA
6. The Hon. Jayendra Malde, MCA
7. The Hon. Mary Njambi, MCA
8. The Hon. Paul Ndungu, MCA
9. The Hon. Millicent Mugadi, MCA
10. The Hon. Jeremiah Themendu, MCA
11. The Hon. Fredrick Njogu MCA

H. Sectoral Committee on Water & Sanitation

1. The Hon. Paul Kados, MCA
2. The Hon. Leah Supuko Naikanae, MCA
3. The Hon. Mark Mugambi, MCA
4. The Hon. Mary Njambi MCA
5. The Hon. John Kamangu, MCA
6. The Hon. Laura Mwendu, MCA
7. The Hon. Peter Wanyoike, MCA
8. The Hon. Pius Mbono, MCA
9. The Hon. Charles Thuo, MCA
10. The Hon. Stephen Gikonyo, MCA
11. The Hon. Anthony Kimemia MCA

I. Sectoral Committee on Agriculture, Livestock & Fisheries

1. The Hon. Muchene Kabiru, MCA
2. The Hon. Asli Mohammed, MCA
3. The Hon. Elizabeth Nyambura, MCA
4. The Hon. Patrick Karani, MCA

5. The Hon. Beatrice Gakuru, MCA
6. The Hon. Eunice Marimbi, MCA
7. The Hon. Ruth Ndumi, MCA
8. The Hon. Peter K. Wahinya, MCA
9. The Hon. J.M Komu, MCA

J. Sectoral Committee on Health Services

1. The Hon. Peter Warutere, MCA
2. The Hon. Ann Thumbi, MCA
3. The Hon. James Kiriba, MCA
4. The Hon. Julius Maina, MCA
5. The Hon. Naphtali Mathenge, MCA
6. The Hon. Mbugua Kabiru, MCA
7. The Hon. Asli Mohamed Mohamud, MCA
8. The Hon. Geoffrey Ngang'a, MCA
9. The Hon. Pius Mbono, MCA
10. The Hon. Stephen Gikonyo, MCA
11. The Hon. John Nganga, MCA

K. Sectoral Committee on Children, Early Childhood Education & Vocational Training

1. The Hon. Anthony Nganga Gatune, MCA
2. The Hon. Millicent Mugadi, MCA
3. The Hon. Abdi Ibrahim Hassan, MCA
4. The Hon. Samuel Mwangi, MCA
5. The Hon. Waithera Chege, MCA
6. The Hon. Nafthally Mathenge, MCA
7. The Hon. Peter Warutere, MCA
8. The Hon. Margaret Mbote, MCA
9. The Hon. Chege Mwaura, MCA

L. Sectoral Committee On Energy & Information, Communications & Technology

1. The Hon. J.M Komu, MCA
2. The Hon. Silas Matara, MCA
3. The Hon. Esther Waithera Chege, MCA
4. The Hon. Solomon Magembe, MCA
5. The Hon. Anthony Ngaruiya, MCA
6. The Hon. Abdi Ibrahim Hassan, MCA
7. The Hon. Doris Kanario, MCA
8. The Hon. Kariuki Wanjiru, MCA
9. The Hon. James Mwangi, MCA
10. The Hon. Osman Adow, MCA
11. The Hon. Mwangi Njihia, MCA

I would like to call upon the Deputy Speaker, Hon. John Kamangu to second.

Hon. John Kamangu: Thank you Madam Speaker, I second.

(Question proposed)

Hon. Speaker: Mover.

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Madam Speaker, I wish to reply with the confidence that I have in the Members.

(Question put and agreed to)

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO POWERS & PRIVILEGES COMMITTEE

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: THAT, pursuant to the provision of Section 15 of the County Assemblies Powers and Privileges Act, 2017 and Nairobi City County Assembly Standing Order 169(1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to the Select Committee on Powers and Privileges:

1. The Hon. Beatrice Gakuru, MCA
2. The Hon. Solomon Magembe, MCA
3. The Hon. James Mwangi, MCA
4. The Hon. Naftali Mathenge, MCA
5. The Hon. Jacinta Wanjiru, MCA
6. The Hon. Margaret Mbote, MCA
7. The Hon. Mary Njambi, MCA

Madam Speaker, I wish to call Hon. Njogu to second the motion.

Hon. Frederick Njogu: Thank you, Madam Speaker, I rise to second the motion.

(Question proposed)

Hon. Peter Imwatok: Hon. Speaker, being born in Teso and raised in Makongeni, which is a cosmopolitan ward, I believe that these are committees of the House. I am wondering, why is it that every person who is seconding these motions come from the Jubilee Party? Are they not House committees and should have decorum and respect? These committees will oversight and legislate on behalf of the County Assembly. May I not use the word, 'too tribalistic' but let me say we need to have a handshake. These are House committees but not Jubilee Party committees. If it were Jubilee committees, you would have created your own House and table it there. However, this House of rules and procedures encompasses both the Majority side and Minority side.

Madam Speaker, this is a very pertinent observation. Going this way, it means next time when my leader is tabling names from the Minority side, the Majority side will not be in the House. Therefore, it will be a pointer that whenever they will need this side, we will not be there.

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Minority Whip, I remember giving your member, Hon. Obuya but he said he did not want to deal with it. That was the end. *(Laughing)*

Hon. Peter Imwatok: *(Inaudible)* ---the button on. However, you see it is upon the Leader of Majority to request Hon. Obuya to second. I have no contention whatsoever from this side what the Jubilee Party tables. I also expect when my Minority Leader is tabling the committee names next week, there will be no

contention from the Jubilee side, unless there is contention from the Minority side. That is in-house. Stand guided, Majority Leader, we need a national leadership here.

Hon. Speaker: Let them answer for themselves. Hon. Whip.

Hon. June Ndegwa: Madam Speaker, I would like to ask the Minority Whip that even when we were making these discussions, as you can see, the committee that has been reshuffled has the Majority side only. We did not think they wanted to get involved. Now that we are cooking in our house, may the boy child not be provoked. I beg that he seconds all procedural motions that the Majority Leader brings from now henceforth for him to be calm. Not forgetting that yesterday was his birthday, *atulie tu kidogo*, Madam Speaker. Thanks.

Hon. Peter Imwatok: Madam Speaker, I was not crying for me to second, but I was just saying in the spirit of the handshake. Unless the other side is not in the spirit of the handshake. I wanted us to be a harmonious House that Hon. Jared Okode and Hon. Akama can stand and support so that we can become one House. One unison, one journey, and one party.

(Applause)

Hon. Speaker: The mover to reply.

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Thank you, Madam Speaker, I am happy that the Minority Whip is taking note of what we are tabling on this floor. He is so interested in trying to give us a shoulder to lean on. I beg to reply.

Hon. Speaker: In the spirit of the handshake.

(Question put and agreed to)

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO LOANS MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: THAT, pursuant to the provision of the Nairobi City County Loans and Mortgage Regulations, this Assembly approves the appointment of the following members to the Select Committee on Loans Management:

1. The Hon. Charles Thuo, MCA
2. The Hon. Margaret Mbote, MCA
3. The Hon. James Kiriba, MCA
4. The Hon. Ruth Ndumi, MCA

Madam Speaker, I wish to call Hon. Defao to second the motion.

Hon. Jared Okode: I second.

(Question proposed)

Hon. Speaker: Mover?

Hon. Millicent Mugadi: Madam Speaker, I am confident with the hon members in the Loans and Mortgage Committee. I beg to reply.

(Question put and agreed to)

MOTION

POLICY TO PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A KITTY TO SUPPORT NEEDY STUDENTS IN
POLYTECHNICS

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Oyugi?

Hon. Kennedy Oyugi: Thank you, Madam Speaker. I want to believe that this is a very important motion to the Nairobian. I may be wrong, but if I look at the House, I am seeing that there is no quorum. This motion is very important and I would have loved if there was a quorum. I stand guided before I proceed.

Hon. Speaker: Do you want us to defer?

Hon. Kennedy Oyugi: Order for the bell to be rang so that we get members.

Hon. Speaker: But you know it is your motion. Somebody else needed to have checked for you the quorum.

Hon. Kennedy Oyugi: Madam Speaker, I can proceed.

Hon. Speaker: No, you have already said there is no quorum. You cannot proceed; I want to see whether there is a quorum. Clerk, determine for us if there is a quorum.

QUORUM

Indeed, we are less by 17 members. Serjeant-at-Arms, ring the bell for five minutes so that we can see whether we can get a quorum.

(Quorum bell was rang)

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Oyugi, since you are the one who is the owner of the motion and you have told us there is no quorum, I defer your motion back to the House Business. They will decide the day it will come.

(Motion deferred)

ADJOURNMENT

Hon. Speaker: Hon. Members, since there is lack of quorum, the House stands adjourned to next week, Tuesday 26th November 2019 at 2:30 p.m.

(The House rose at 4:18 p.m.)