REPUBLIC OF KENYA

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY – (FIFTH SESSION)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

THURSDAY, JULY 30, 2026 AT 2.30 P.M.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

1. Administration of Oath
2. Communication from the Chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion
7. Questions and Statements

8. *MOTION – HON. DAVIDSON DNG NGIBUINI, MCA

Subject: ***Need for Nairobi City County Executive to settle accrued pending bills owed to suppliers and contractors.***

AWARE THAT Article 201 (a) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 dictates on the principles that guides on all aspects of Public Finance in the republic, which includes *inter-alias,* openness, accountability, prudent and responsible use of public funds; **FURTHER AWARE THAT** Section 104 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and regulation 55(2)(b) of the County Public Finance Management Regulations made thereunder requires County Governments to prioritize the settlement of all eligible trade payables being the pending bills as **first charge** on the budget of a county government in its subsequent fiscal year which the liability is recognized; **DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT**, according to the Report of the Office of the Controller of Budget for the for the First Nine Months of the FY 2025/2026; Nairobi City County led in trade payables ageing, also referred as pending bills, at **Kshs.81.79 billion**, accounting for 53% of **ALL** County Governments' payables, and notably, **61.61 billion** out of the payables are debt that are over 3 years old, constituting 75% of the total trade payables ageing; **GREATLY DISTURBED THAT** the unresolved pending bills owed to contractors, suppliers and service providers by the County Government of

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Nairobi City has continued to accumulate over successive fiscal years, consequently exposing the county to litigation, penalties, interest charges, auctions and undermining the confidence of private sector in doing business with the County; **FURTHER DISTURBED THAT** the delayed payables have adversely affected contractors, suppliers and service providers, many of whom are Small and Medium Enterprises (SMEs) leading to cash-flow constrains, business closure, loss of employment and irreversible financial distress in some cases; **COGNIZANT THAT** the County Government ought to embrace and work towards the "zero pending bills" policy direction enforced by the National Treasury towards eliminating outstanding government arrears; **NOW THEREFORE,** this Assembly **RESOLVES** that the County Government of Nairobi;-

i) Undertakes immediate and comprehensive verification and validation of all pending bills owed to contractors, suppliers and other service providers, and where necessary, with independent auditors to ascertain authenticity, accuracy and amounts claimed;

ii) Prioritizes and treats the verified pending bills as a first charge against the County budget for the current and subsequent fiscal years and in strict adherence to the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 and its regulations;

iii) Develops and publishes a clear payment plan and timelines **within 90 days** of adoption of this substantive motion and copy of the plan shared with County Assembly;

iv) Submits quarterly reports on to the Assembly through the County Executive Committee Member for Finance and Economic Planning Sector on the status of the pending bills, amount settled, outstanding and reasons thereof; and

v) Administrative controls to be instituted including disciplinary measures against any officers found to have to have contributed to irregular accumulation of pending bills and non- adherence to the laid-down procurement process and procedures.

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N O T I C E S

I. The Assembly resolved on Wednesday, 17th February, 2026 as follows: -

a) **THAT,** each speech in a debate on any **Motion**, including a Special motion be limited in the following manner:-A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and ten (10) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of fifteen (15) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover shall be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Sectoral Committee, in that Order.

*** Denotes Orders of the Day***

NOTICE PAPER I

Tentative business for Tuesday, 4th August, 2026 at 2.30 p.m.

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 41(1))

IT IS NOTIFIED that the Assembly Business Committee, at its last meeting, approved the following ***tentative*** business to appear in the Order Paper for Tuesday, 4th August, 2026 at 2.30 p.m.: -

1. *BILL– THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY YOUTH EMPOWERMENT AND SERVICE BILL, 2026 (ASSEMBLY BILL NO.4 OF 2026)

Subject: *Second Reading*

The Nairobi City County Youth Empowerment and Service Bill, 2026 (Assembly Bill No.4 of 2026)

(Hon. Thuo Fiunifiu, MCA)

(Second Reading)

2. *MOTION – HON. KENNEDY OYUGI, MCA

Subject: *Sensitization campaign and rehabilitation programs for youth on drugs and substance abuse in liaison with NACADA*

AWARE that, Article 55 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides *inter-alia* that the State shall take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that youth are protected from harmful cultural practice and exploitation; **DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT** drug and substance abuse remains a significant and growing challenge among the youth within Nairobi City County, adversely affecting their health, productivity, security, and overall socio-economic well-being; **DISTURBED THAT** the prevalence of drug abuse has contributed to increased cases of crime, school dropouts, unemployment, mental health disorders, and family disintegration within the County; **NOTING THAT** Part 2 of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, provides for the functions and powers of the County Governments, which includes *inter-alia* Control of drugs and pornography; **COGNIZANT THAT**, the National Authority for the Campaign Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse (NACADA) is mandated to coordinate a multi-sectoral approach in preventing, controlling, and mitigating drug and substance abuse in Kenya; **RECOGNIZING THAT**, effective sensitization, early intervention, and rehabilitation programs are critical in addressing the root causes and consequences of drug abuse among the youth; **FURTHER RECOGNIZING THAT**, reformed youth who have successfully overcome drug addiction can play a vital role as peer educators and role models in community-based prevention efforts; this **ASSEMBLY THEREFORE RESOLVES** that;-

i) The County Government of Nairobi collaborates with NACADA and other relevant national government agencies, non-governmental organizations, and community-based organizations to design and implement comprehensive programs aimed at: - Sensitizing, promoting preventive education in schools, community centers, and informal settlements to the youth on the dangers of drug and substance abuse, and enhancing access to counseling and rehabilitation services within the County;

ii) The County Government identifies and supports reformed youth to serve as **"Drug-Free Youth Champions"**, who shall act as peer educators and advocates against drug abuse, participate in mentorship and outreach programs and share lived experiences to inspire behavior change among fellow youth;

iii) The County Government develops a sustainable framework for reintegration of rehabilitated youth into society through skills development, vocational training and access to employment and entrepreneurship opportunities; and,

iv) The County Executive submits an annual report to the County Assembly detailing the progress made in combating drug and substance abuse, number of youth reached through sensitization programs and outcomes of rehabilitation and reintegration initiatives.