

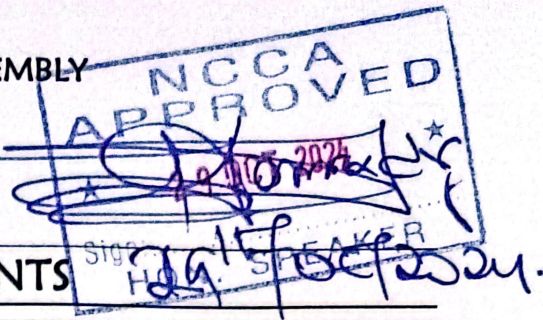


THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY

(THIRD SESSION)

REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS



Response due in Seven (7) days
PCA
29/10/2024

Subject: The Management and Conservation of the Nairobi River

Hon. Speaker,

Pursuant to Standing Order 47(2) (c), I wish to request for a statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources regarding the management and conservation of the Nairobi River.

Hon. Speaker, Paragraph 10 of Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution of Kenya (2010) provides for implementation of specific National Government policies on natural resources and environmental conservation, including soil and water conservation as a function of the County Government.

Hon. Speaker, the National Government established Nairobi Rivers Commission through a Gazette Notice Number 14891 on December 2nd, 2022 to reclaim the rivers of Nairobi as a spine to the City's blue and green infrastructure for a better urban environment and quality of life.

Hon. Speaker, in the statement, the Chairperson should inquire into and report on: -

- (i) Whether there is collaboration between the County Executive and the Nairobi Rivers Commission in the management and conservation of Nairobi River;
- (ii) Specific role of the County Government in the management and conservation of Nairobi River;
- (iii) Whether there is funding of the management and conservation of Nairobi River by the Nairobi Rivers Commissions; and
- (iv) Measures the County Executive is taking to ensure the County Government is fully included in the management and conservation of the Nairobi River.

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Hon. Waithera Chege, MCA
Deputy Minority Leader &
Member for Nairobi South Ward
NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

DATE: 29/10/2024