



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – (THIRD SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2019 AT 2.30 P.M.

1. The Assembly assembled at thirty minutes past Two O'clock.
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

The Acting Speaker having confirmed that there was no Quorum caused the Bell to be rung for Ten minutes.

There being a Quorum at the expiry of the ten minutes, the Acting Speaker called the Assembly to order.

3. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

WELCOMING OF THE MEMEBERS OF THARAKA NITHI COUNTY ASSEMBLY SELECT COMMITTEE ON DELEGATED COUNTY LEGISLATION

‘Honourable Members, our sitting this afternoon is graced by Members of the Tharaka Nithi County Assembly’s Select Committee on Delegated County Legislation who are here with us on a benchmarking exercise with its counterpart Committee.

Accordingly, I wish to recognize the presence of;

1. The Hon. Kigwari Bonifacia Njeri, MCA and Chairperson
2. The Hon. Nderi Stanley Justine Kithinji, MCA and Vice Chairperson
3. The Hon. Kathenya Peterson Mwirigi , MCA – Member
4. The Hon. Muthitu Denis Mutwiri, MCA –Member
5. The Hon. Karangi Samuel Murithini, MCA – Member
6. Ms. Monicah Ndungu – Committee Clerk

Honourable Members, the Committee is with us on a Benchmarking exercise with its counterpart Committee, on matters relating to County subsidiary Legislations.

Honourable Members, on behalf of the Nairobi City County Assembly family, I wish to extend a warm welcome to the Honorable Members of the Tharaka Nithi County Assembly's Select Committee on Delegated County Legislation. May your endeavors benefit the residents of your great County. Feel welcomed and enjoy your experience in Nairobi.

Thank you”.

4. MOTION

Subject: Development of regulations and policies for civic education prior to any public participation

Motion made and Question proposed;

AWARE that Article 35 (1) (a) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that every citizen has the right of access to information held by the state; **FURTHER AWARE THAT** Section 7(2)(d) & (e) of the Nairobi City County Public Participation Act, 2015 provides that the County Government shall establish appropriate mechanism, process and procedures to enable the public participate in the affairs of the County and shall provide for, but not limited to; consultative sessions with locally recognized communities, organizations, and where necessary minorities, and report back to the local community in a timely manner; **APPRECIATING THAT** the County Government of Nairobi City has in the past been able to engage members of the general public on key decision making as the case is with budget making process in the County as provided for in Section 125(2) of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012; **CONCERNED THAT**, limited Constitutional timelines often hinder the level of engagement with the public and on dissemination of the required information that would facilitate an informed feedback and contribution by the general public on the subject matter in question; **FURTHER CONCERNED** that with the diverse academic background, there is need for the public to be informed on the decisions in question, its significance and effect of such decision in a civic education manner to enable the public to make an informed decision and add value to such process; this **ASSEMBLY URGES** the County Executive to urgently develop policy and regulations that will govern conduct of civic education in line with the Nairobi City County Public Participation Act, 2015 and the County Governments Act, 2012.

(Hon. Silas Matara, MCA)

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and **agreed to**

5. MOTION**Subject: Policy to regulate automobile artisans in the County**

Motion made and Question proposed;

THAT, aware that Article 55 of the Constitution 2010 provides for the State to take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that the youth have opportunities to access relevant education and training, have opportunities to associate, be represented and participate in political, social, economic and other spheres of life, access employment and are protected from harmful cultural practices and exploitation; further aware that recent years have witnessed increase of automobile (Jua Kali) garages in the County which are operated mostly by youths; concerned that most of these garages operates without clear regulations resulting in poor servicing of clients' vehicles hence increasing accidents in our roads; noting that most of these garages operates in poor working environment, where the operation area is not properly shielded from wind and dust; acknowledging the contribution of this important sector by youths in the County economy; further acknowledging that with well-organized automobile garages, youths operating in such garages may acquire funding more easily, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop a policy to regulate the establishment, management and operations of automobile mechanic (Jua Kali) garages in the County to ensure quality and safety services by automobile artisans.

(Hon. Kennedy Obuya, MCA)

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and **agreed to**

And the time being Forty Minutes past Three O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

6. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at Forty Minutes Past Three O'clock.

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Wednesday, September 18th, 2019

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