



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY
SECOND ASSEMBLY – SECOND SESSION)
NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY
VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS
TUESDAY, MARCH 16, 2021 AT 9:30AM

1. The Assembly assembled at Thirty Minutes past Nine O'clock.
2. The Proceedings were opened with Prayer.

QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. John Kamangu, MCA) having confirmed that there was Quorum called the Assembly to order.

3. NOTICE OF MOTION – HON. DANIEL NGENGI MUTURI, MCA

THAT, aware that Article 186 (1) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, and paragraph 5 of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provide for the functions and powers of County Government on County transport including county roads, street lighting, public road transport traffic and parking; further aware that the Country has since independence named and renamed roads and other public facilities in honour heroes and heroines who have contributed immensely to the development of the Republic; noting that the naming of roads and other public places after heroes and heroines bestows honor and shows gratitude to such people; concerned that there are heroines and heroes who have not had similar honors bestowed upon them despite their immense contributions to this Country; noting that the late Hon. Kenneth Matiba was a prolific industrialist in the hospitality and education sectors, and an accomplished public servant having served as the first indigenous African Permanent Secretary for Education in 1963; Permanent Secretary for Commerce; Chairperson of the Kenya Football Federation from 1974-78; a Member of Parliament for Kiharu constituency; Cabinet Minister for Health; Culture & Social Services; and Transport & Communications; further noting that the late Hon. Kenneth Matiba was part of

the opposition alliance that led the liberation struggle for the restoration of multi-party democracy through the Forum for the Restoration of Democracy (FORD), later founding FORD –Asili under which he ran for presidency in 1992 general election; recognizing that road names have been changed before to reflect names and places with significance to Kenyans e.g. Lord Delamere Avenue renamed Kenyatta Avenue, Government Avenue to Moi Avenue, Forest Road to Prof. Wangari Maathai Road amongst others, this Assembly urges the County Executive in conjunction with the Nairobi Metropolitan Services to rename Accra Road in Nairobi Central Ward to Kenneth Matiba Road in honour of the pro-democracy icon who was regarded as one of the pioneers of democracy evident by his heroic efforts in pressing for the return of multiparty democracy in 1990s.

4. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45(2)(c)

Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c) the following request to statement was issued:

- i) Hon. Silas Matara, MCA from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources Committee regarding the poor disposal of garbage in the County and particularly in Dandora II Ward.

And the time being twenty-three minutes past ten O'clock, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly

5. MOTION - DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTY PROGRAMS ON COUNTERING VIOLENT EXTREMISM IN THE COUNTY

THAT, aware that Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provides for the functions of the County Government which include ensuring and coordinating the participation of communities and locations in governance at the local level and assisting communities and locations to develop the administrative capacity for the effective exercise of the functions and powers and participation in governance at the local level; further aware that Kenya continues to face violent extremism by radical militarist groups, especially in areas along in Nairobi where drivers of violent extremism are localized and depend on the sociopolitical landscape of the communities which serve as recruitment hubs; concerned that a majority of young people in Nairobi have high hopes and ambitions, however, poor macroeconomic performance, a lack of labor market opportunities, an education system that suffers from problems of access, quality, and relevance, and a society that negates the self-expression of

young people mean that many young people are unable to translate their aspirations into a productive and fulfilling future; further concerned that high expectations, disappointing employment and life prospects, and marginalization among young people fuels frustration and desperation to the advantage of drivers of violent extremism who recruit such youth; noting that hard military and security approaches used by the National Government have not successfully and completely addressed the threat of violent extremism especially in Nairobi City County which has the highest rate of inequality that exists between young community members and community leaders in urban settlements, this Assembly urges the County Executive in partnership with local stakeholders such as community and faith based organizations:-

- a) develop programs that address poverty and unemployment by incorporating vulnerable and at-risk groups in such programs; and
- b) develop programs that identify and empower trusted influencers with the skills and tools they need to provide concrete solutions to help at-risk individuals in their surrounding which makes them feel that they have more options than turning to a violent extremist groups, and allow for more information sharing and coordination of strategies in preventing violent extremism in the County.

(Motion differed)

6. ASSEMBLY ROSE - at twenty-three minutes past ten O'clock

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Tuesday, March 16th, 2021, at 2. 30p.m

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