



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FOURTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2020 AT 9:30 AM

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 no Quorum caused the bell to be rung for Ten minutes.

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

3. MOTION – DEVELOPMENT OF A POLICY OF ARTS AND TALENTS MANAGEMENT IN THE COUNTY

Motion moved and question proposed:-

THAT, aware that Article 55 of the Constitution provides for the State to take measures, including affirmative action programmes to ensure that the youth 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** 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; **concerned that** there is mass joblessness among sprightly and innovative youth with enormous talents in the County which is a drag on the economy as it forces unemployed adults to depend on small working class thus stretching family resources and summing savings for future investment; **concerned that** the creative Arts and Talents Sector is overlooked, under-appreciated window of opportunity for youth in the County where youth with talents can be invigorated

to discover, unfurl and build up their capacities; **noting that** high expectations, disappointing employment and life prospects, and marginalization among young people fuels frustration and desperation and in response, some of these youths have turned to socially and legally unacceptable vices such as violence, substance abuse, commercial sex work and even suicide, which have negative repercussions on the young people themselves and contribute to growing security, moral and psychological instability in the society; further noting that in many developed countries creative arts such as films, music, dance, painting amongst others have proved to be well-paying and good revenue earnings, this Assembly urges the County Executive to develop a policy to establish for development and management of arts and talents in the County.

(Hon. Sylvia Museiya, MCA)

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and **agreed to**

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

There being no other business and the time being Twenty minutes past Ten O'clock, the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders

M E M O R A N D U M

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Thursday, November 17th, 2020, at 2: 30p.m

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