



**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY**

**SECOND ASSEMBLY – FIFTH SESSION**

**NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**TUESDAY, 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER, 2021 AT 2:30 P:M**

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

**QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY**

The Presiding Speaker (Hon. Emapet Kemunto, MCA), having confirmed that there was Quorum called the Assembly to order.

**3. PAPERS LAID: -**

The following papers were laid on the Table of the Assembly;

- I. **THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE REPORT AS AT 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2021.**
- II. **THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ANNUAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN (CADP) 2022/2023 REPORT.**
- III. **THE SESSIONAL PAPER NO. 2 OF THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY PROPERTY ADDRESSING AND STREET NAMING POLICY.**

(Hon. Paul Kados, MCA– Majority Whip)

**4. STATEMENTS PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45 (2) (C): -**

**Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c) the following Members requested for Statements: -**

- i. Hon. Mwangi Njihia, MCA requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Transport and Public Works regarding the status of the renovation works on various roads across the City particularly, service roads as such Kirichwa lane in Adams Arcade and Mbaruk Road etc. **(Response due in 2 weeks)**
- ii. Hon. Osman Adow, MCA requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing

regarding approval for construction of structures in the County, Specifically in Eastleigh 7<sup>th</sup> street, Eastleigh North Ward.  
**(Response due in 2 weeks)**

**5. THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY OPEN SPACE USE AND MAINTAINANCE BILL, (ASSEMBLY BILL NO.1 OF 2021)**

Order for first reading was read and committed to the Sectoral Committee on Planning and Housing.

**6. THE NAIROBI CITY COUNTY CULTURAL HERITAGE AMMENDMENT BILL (ASSEMBLY BILL NO.4 OF 2021)**

Order for first reading was read and committed to the Sectoral Committee on Culture and Community Services.

**7. MOTION – ESTABLISHMENT OF A STREET TO SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR THE STREET CHILDREN.**

**AWARE** that Article 21 (3) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that all State organs and all public officers have the duty to address the needs of vulnerable groups within society, including women, older members of society, persons with disabilities, children, youth, members of minority or marginalized communities, and members of particular ethnic, religious or cultural communities” **FURTHER AWARE** that Article 53 (1) of the same constitution dictates that every child has a right interalias;- (b) to free and compulsory basic education; (c) to basic nutrition, shelter and health care; (d) to be protected from abuse, neglect, harmful cultural practices, all forms of violence, inhuman treatment and punishment, and hazardous or exploitative labour; **CONCERNED** that according to the 2019 Kenya Population and Housing Census Report for the exercise conducted from 1st to 10th April, 2018 indicated that Kenya had a total of 46,639 street persons, out of whom the majority of the street persons being 21,550 were age 10 to 34 years, and below 19 years being 15,752, **FURTHER CONCERNED** that the highest concentration of street persons according to the said report was found in Nairobi (15,337 persons), Mombasa (7,529), Kisumu (2,746), Uasin Gishu (2,147) and Nakuru (2,005). **DISTURBED** that street children population in Nairobi County has increased over the years which has seen them thrust into a bleak, harsh and depraved environment often fraught with constant and sustained danger in various forms such as; Harassment, Violence, Drug abuse and trafficking, Sexual exploitation, Loneliness and fear, Physical and emotional abuse and neglect, Starvation, Exposure to the elements, Early pregnancy and Poor hygienic and sanitation conditions; **FURTHER DISTURBED** that most of the street children lack basic needs including education despite the Government intervention towards free Education system; this Assembly therefore resolves that the County Executive undertake the following measures;- i. Initiate a “Street to School”

campaign programs towards eliminating children from the streets to school with a proper guideline for the same; ii. The County Executive to establish a street-children rescue center for learning through a Public Private Partnership with non-state agencies and equip it with personnel; iii. A one-month Public Notice be issued to the General Public on removal of all homeless children from the street and enroll them on the Street to School Program forthwith; and, iv. Homeless children that shall upon the expiry of the removal notice be promptly nabbed and directed to Ruai Rehabilitation Center for rehabilitation and subsequently enrolled in the “Street To School” program.

(Hon. Benson Mwangi, MCA)

**(Motion Differed)**

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

**ASSEMBLY ROSE** - at Sixteen Minutes past Three O'clock.

---

**M E M O R A N D U M**

The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Wednesday, September 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021 at 2. 30p.m

--x--