



COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FIFTH SESSION)

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER 2021 AT 9:30 AM

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

QUORUM OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. John Kamangu, MCA) having confirmed that there was quorum, proceeded with the Business as it was in the order paper.

3. MOTION : MEASURES TO EQUIP INFORMAL SETTLEMENTS WITH FIREFIGHTING FACILITIES

Motion moved and Question proposed:-

THAT, aware that Part 2 of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provides for firefighting services and disaster management as a function of the County Governments: **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that there is increasingly numerous cases of fire outbreaks, particularly affecting markets and informal settlements across the county; **NOTING** that these fire outbreaks have caused heavy losses for residents, some of whom have had these incidents affect them repeatedly; **RECOGNIZING** that if the County Executive were to take measures to ensure fire safety precautions are taken in all markets and informal settlements it would help curb the scope of damage caused by the repetitive fires since the response will be timely; **REALIZING** that these measures ought to include mapping out hot spots across informal settlements and markets where the repetitive fire outbreaks are notorious; **CONVINCED** that the County can do this by equipping Nyumba Kumi and select volunteers under it, with the necessary facilities such as fire extinguishers to act as first responders in case of fire or other emergency outbreaks; this Assembly urges the County Executive to urgently take measures to identify, train and equip Nyumba Kumi members and such

volunteers under them with the necessary skills and equipment as appropriate to enable them to respond faster to fire and emergencies in Nairobi City County especially the informal settlements where rescue services take longer to respond.

(Hon. Patriciah Mutheu, MCA)

Motion Deferred

And the time being Five minutes past Ten O'clock, the Temporary Speaker adjourned the Assembly without question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

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

MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on
Tuesday, November 30th, 2021 at 2.30pm

