



**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY**

**THIRD ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)**

**NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2023 AT 2.30PM**

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

**QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY**

The Hon. Speaker having confirmed that there was no quorum, ordered the bell to be rung for ten minutes.

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

**3. COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR**

The following communication was issued:-

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN COUNTY BUDGET DOCUMENTS**

“Hon. Members, as you are aware, the Nairobi City County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP) for the period 2023-2027, the Nairobi City County Annual Development Plan (ADP) for the FY 2023/2024 and the Nairobi City County Fiscal Strategy Paper (CFSP) for the FY 2023/2024 were laid on the floor of the Assembly and committed to the Select Committee on County Finance, Budget and Appropriations and other Sectoral Committees for consideration and thereafter reporting to the Assembly.

Hon. Members, Article 196 (1) (b) of the Constitution provides that ‘a County Assembly shall facilitate public participation and involvement in the legislative and other business of the Assembly and its Committees.’ In this regard, the County Assembly has organized public participation exercises to

collect views of the public on the aforementioned budget documents in all the seventeen (17) Sub- counties as follows:-

<b>Date</b>	<b>Sub-County</b>	<b>Venue</b>
<b>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> April, 2023</b>	Roysambu	Kahawa West Market Parking
	Makadara	Jericho Social Hall
	Embakasi East	Embakasi Social Hall
	Ruaraka	Babadogo Calvary Church
	Dagoretti North	St. John's Catholic Church Riruta
	Embakasi North	Dandora III Social Hall
	Embakasi West	Umoja I Ward Office Grounds
	Dagoretti South	Waithaka Social Hall
<b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> April, 2023</b>	Kasarani	Maji Mazuri Grounds
	Westlands	City Park
	Langata	Uhuru Gardens Primary School
	Embakasi South	Redeemed Gospel Church Kware
	Kibra	Woodley Green
	Kamukunji	Eastleigh North Social Hall
	Mathare	Undugu Social Hall
	Embakasi Central	Kayole Social Hall
	Starehe	Kariokor Social Hall

Hon. Members, the public participation meetings shall be spearheaded by Members of the Finance, Budget and Appropriations Committee and are scheduled to commence as from 9.00 am on the appointed day. However, all Hon. Members are **invited to attend the meetings especially elected Members in each of the sub-county** who will be expected to mobilize their constituents to attend the meetings and air their views. The office of the Clerk has put in place measures to ensure that the exercise is successful.

I thank you Hon. Members.”

#### **4. PETITIONS:-**

The following petition was issued by the Speaker: -

- i) THE PETITION BY RESIDENTS OF PUMWANI ON ALLOCATION OF PUBLIC LAND ALONG GENERAL WARUNGE ROAD.**

**5. PAPERS LAID:-**

The following paper were laid on the table of the Assembly;

**I. THE REPORT OF THE SECTORAL COMMITTEE ON TRADE ON THE SECOND INDUCTION WORKSHOP HELD FROM 27<sup>TH</sup> TO 30<sup>TH</sup> MARCH 2023 AT MAXLAND HOTEL, KIAMBU COUNTY.**

*(Chairperson Sectoral Committee on Trade, Tourism and Cooperatives)*

**6. MOTION – INSTALLATION OF WATER HYDRANTS IN THE INFORMAL SETTLEMENTS TO FIGHT THE RAMPANT FIRES.**

Motion Made and Question Proposed;

**THAT**, aware that the functions of firefighting services and disaster management are vested in the County Governments pursuant to provisions of Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution of Kenya; **FURTHER AWARE** that informal settlements are generally characterized by poor infrastructural development, including lack of access roads and in the majority of cases, informal settlements face fire disasters with late response from the County Fire and Disaster Management team. **CONCERNED THAT** even where some assistance is provided, firefighting equipment generally arrives too late, after the fire has consumed properties or wiped out the entire settlement; **OBSERVING THAT** the County Government has in the recent past purchased a number of Quad Bikes to improve the response time when there is a fire outbreak in the informal settlements. However, several of the bikes have not been functional in the informal settlements due to their small capacity for carrying water and lack of hydrants within the settlements to refill them; **NOTING THAT** the National Government in-conjunction with the Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation embarked on the construction of the Northern Collector Tunnel in 2015, that is set to pump 140 million litres of water daily into Nairobi and other environs, therefore improving the supply of water in the County and specifically in informal settlements; **REALIZING THAT** Nairobi City County has a number of water hydrants distributed within the County, however, majority of them are inaccessible or not functioning; **NOW THEREFORE** this Assembly urges the County Executive to:

- i. Conduct an assessment on the number of Water hydrants in the County and conduct continuous routine inspection and repairs of water hydrants;
- ii. Construct/Install water hydrants in all the informal settlements that lack water hydrants; and
- iii. Immediately submit the Fire Rescue and Services Policy and Bill to the County Assembly for approval.

*(Hon. Eutyclus Mukiri Muriuki, MCA)*

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and **agreed to;**

And the time being thirty minutes Past Four O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

7. **ASSEMBLY ROSE** - at Thirty minutes past four O'clock.

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

The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Wednesday, April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at 2.30 p.m