



**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY**

**THIRD ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)**

**NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

**VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS**

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, 2023 AT 2.30 P.M.**

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

**QUORUM OF THE ASSEMBLY**

The Temporary Speaker (Hon. Anthony Kimemia, MCA) having confirmed that there was no Quorum at the commencement of the Assembly caused the bell to rung for 10 minutes.

The Speaker having confirmed that there was a Quorum at the expiry of 10 minutes called the Assembly to order.

**3. PETITION: -**

The following petition was read: -

- i. Petition regarding Elizabeth Wanjiru on Nairobi Water and Sewerage Company Ltd. ***(The Petition was Committed to the Sectoral Committee on Labour and Social Welfare)***

**4. PAPERS: -**

The following Paper was laid: -

- I. THE 4<sup>TH</sup> REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON SELECTION ON NOMINATION OF MEMBERS TO ASSEMBLY'S SELECT AND SECTORAL COMMITTEES.**

*(Leader of Majority)*

**5. REQUEST FOR STATEMENTS.**

The following statements were requested pursuant to Standing Order 47(2)(c): -

- i. The Hon. Shadrack, MCA requested for a Statement from the Chairperson of the Sectoral Committee on Water and Sanitation regarding the sewer system in Umoja2. **(Response 14 days)**

- ii. Hon. Redson Otieno, MCA Chairperson Water gave response to statement requested by Hon. Oyugi, MCA regarding Water pollution Within the County. **(Response was satisfactory)**

## **6. MOTION - CONSTRUCTION OF MARKET AND A PERIMETER WALL IN TOI MARKET, KIBERA WARD**

Motion made and Question Proposed;

**THAT**, aware that Paragraph 2 of Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides for the functions of the County Government that include trade development and regulation of markets; **FURTHER AWARE** that Toi Market is one of the largest open-air markets in Nairobi with over 5000 traders on the outskirts of Kibera slums in Nairobi. **DEEPLY CONCERNED** that the rise of arson attacks on informal markets in the County including Toi Market often suspected to be through human malicious act has led to significant economic losses, social unrest, and endangering the lives of traders and residents in Toi Market; **CONCERNED THAT** for the livelihoods of traders who have suffered significant losses due to repeated arson attacks and emphasizing the necessity of creating a safe and sustainable trading environment for their economic well-being. **NOW THEREFORE** this Assembly urges the County Executive to allocate sufficient funds from the County budget in the coming FY 2023/2024 or seek alternative funding sources, including public-private partnerships, grants, or development loans, to finance the construction of the market, ensuring its timely completion and sustainability to undertake the construction of a well-planned, purpose-built market in the affected area, with the following objectives:

- i. Enhancing safety and security measures to prevent arson attacks, such as installing advanced fire suppression systems, robust security cameras, and employing adequate security personnel.
- ii. Providing proper infrastructure and facilities, including sheltered stalls, storage areas, sanitation facilities, and utilities, to ensure a conducive trading environment.
- iii. Collaborating with administrative authorities, community leaders, and stakeholders to ensure the design and construction of the market are inclusive, meeting the specific needs of the traders and the community.

*(Hon. Majority Leader)*

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put & Motion agreed to.

## **7. MOTION - APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO COMMITTEES**

Motion made and Question Proposed;

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 171 (1), this Assembly approves the appointment of the following Members to various Select and Sectoral Committees: -

- i. Hon. Jane Wanjiru, MCA be appointed to the Select Committee on County Finance, Budget and Appropriations;
- ii. Hon. Patrick Karani, MCA be appointed to the Sectoral Committee on Labour and Social Welfare;
- iii. Hon. Patrick Karani, MCA be appointed to the Sectoral Committee on Water and Sanitation; and
- iv. Hon. Cyrus Mugo, MCA be appointed to the Sectoral Committee on Environment and Natural Resources.

*(Hon. Majority Leader)*

Debate ensued;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

There being no other business and the time being Twelve minutes past Four O'clock the Speaker adjourned the Assembly without Question put pursuant to the Standing Orders.

**8. ASSEMBLY ROSE** - at Twelve Minutes past Four O'clock.

**MEMORANDUM**

The Speaker will take the Chair on  
Thursday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 at 2.30 p.m.