



### COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NAIROBI CITY

NAIROBI CITY COUNTY ASSEMBLY

## PROGRAMME OF ASSEMBLY BUSINESS

**WEEK COMMENCING;** 

# WEDNESDAY, 1ST MARCH, 2023



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PROGRAMME OF ASSEMBLY BUSINESS FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING WEDNESDAY, 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH, 2023

WEDNESDAY: Communication from the Chair, Petitions, Papers 01/03/2023 Laid, Notices of Motions, Messages and Statements.

Wednesday, 1st March, 2023 at 2.30 p.m.

#### MOTION - HON. WAITHERA CHEGE, MCA

**Subject:** Establishment of car parks for taxis in the C.B.D

**THAT,** aware that Article 186 (1) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, and paragraph 5 of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provide for the functions and powers of County Government on County transport including county roads, street lighting, public road transport traffic and parking; further aware that the City has designated preferential parking zones and bus termini throughout the City with parking restrictions for each zone; noting that recent years have witnessed a marked increase in the number of vehicles in the County; concerned that there are limited number of parking slots specially for taxis in the Central Business District making it difficult for motorists to get a slot especially during working hours; further concerned that some of the available parking slots are in a dilapidated state giving motorists option of using private parking services thus denying the County revenue; noting that some areas designated as parking slots have been converted into walkways; further noting that Section 55 of the Nairobi City County Transport Act prohibit taxi cab operators from parking upon any roadway other than within a taxi zone; acknowledging that a good percentage of County revenue is from parking services, this Assembly urges the County Executive to establish and designate more parking slots for taxicabs and picking and dropping areas for online taxicabs within the Central Business District and revamp the existing ones in order to ease the pressure on the available spaces, provide efficient parking services to taxicabs and boost revenue collection for the County.

## Thursday, 2<sup>nd</sup> March, 2023 at 2.30 p.m.

#### MOTION – HON. PERPETUA MPONJIWA, MCA

**Subject:** Deployment of traffic marshals near Schools for school going children's safety

**THAT,** aware that Article 26 (1) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that every person has the right to life; Further Article 53 (2) of the Constitution states that a child's best interests are of paramount importance in every matter concerning the child; **concerned** that there is increased rate of road accidents involving school going children in Nairobi City County especially in public schools; **further concerned** that many schools children travel longer distances to access the few available education facilities that are affordable; **cognizant** of the vulnerability of unaccompanied school children crisscrossing Nairobi highways and busy roads to access the few affordable education institutions endangers their lives; **acknowledging** that the National Transport and Safety Authority (NTSA) has put in place measures to ensure road safety performance in line with international best practice, this Assembly urges the County Executive to:-



- 1. erect or put bumps and signals along County roads that are near schools and other social amenities to save vulnerable schools children from accidents on roads; and
- 2. deploy traffic marshals at all zebra crossing lanes on all major roads in Nairobi City to help school children in Nairobi safely cross the road to and from school, on or before the beginning of the new 2023 School calendar.

## Tuesday, 7th March, 2023 at 2.30 p.m.

### MOTION - HON. DAVIDSON DNG NGIBUINI, MCA

Subject: Control of Noise Pollution from Bars, Nightclubs and Religious Buildings

**THAT**, aware that paragraph 3 of Part Two of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides for the functions and powers of County Government on control of air pollution, noise pollution, and other public nuisances; further aware that the County Assembly passed the Nairobi City County Public Nuisance Act, 2021 which provides for the control of public nuisance within the County, Section 20 of the Act provides that a person shall not upon other premises play, operate, cause or allow to be played or operated, any musical instrument, wireless, gramophone, amplifier or similar instrument thereby making, causing or authorizing noise to be made which is loud and continuous or repeated as to constitute a nuisance to the occupants or dwellers of any premises in the neighborhood or to passersby on the street; concerned that in recent years there has been an upsurge in noise pollution especially from bars, nightclubs and religious buildings near residential areas which has caused discomfort and lack of peace among residents; further concerned that such noise has health effects which include but are not limited to impairing cognitive functioning in children, affecting people's sleep and concentration levels, as well as biological stress among others; acknowledging that the National Environment Management Authority developed the Environment Management and Coordination (Noise and Excessive Vibration Pollution Control) Regulations, 2009 that prohibit the production of loud, unreasonable, unnecessary or unusual noise which annoys, disturbs, injures or endangers the comfort, repose, health or safety of others and the environment; further acknowledging that Paragraph 10 of Part Two of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution requires the County to implement specific national government policies on environmental conservation, this Assembly resolves that the County Executive to:-

- 1. Implement all the legislations both at the County and National Levels on noise pollution to control all forms of public nuisance which has resulted in public outcry;
- 2. Develop regulations on noise mitigating measures pursuant to provisions of Section 35 of the Nairobi City County Public Nuisance Act, 2021 to curb all forms of noise pollution in residential areas in the County; and
- 3. Mandate proprietors to effect and install noise reduction and containment measures such as soundproofing, cut-offs, installing glass shields, repositioning of speakers and internal self-regulation mechanisms to minimize noise within the County.

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