



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

KIAMBU COUNTY ASSEMBLY

FIRST ASSEMBLY – (SECOND SESSION)

ORDERS OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY JULY 30, 2014 AT 9:00AM

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

1. Administration of Oath
2. Communication from the Chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion
7. Statements

8*. MOTION – HON. MURUGAMI JOSEPH, MCA
(Sectoral Committee on Planning)

THAT, aware that Section 111 of the County Governments Act, 2012 gives provision for the establishment of municipality plans for each municipality, in particular, Sections 111(4) and (5) provides that the municipal land use plans and building plans shall be binding on all public entities and private citizens operating within the particular municipality and that these municipal land use plans and zoning plans shall be the regulatory instruments for guiding and facilitating development within that municipality. Further aware of the apparent need to establish these plans in the County taking into account any guidelines, regulations or laws as provided for under Article 67(2)(h) of the Constitution,; Deeply concerned that currently the County is operating without such municipal plans or even any other county plans as contemplated in section 110(b) of the County Governments Act, which has led to poor planning across the County and does not take into considerations key factors such as,

zoning, location of recreational and public facilities, land-use suitability and development controls amongst other important aspects; this Assembly therefore urges the County Government to hasten the process of developing the County Spatial Plans and Municipal Plans as is provided for in the County Governments Act 2012 and the plans be submitted to the County Assembly for approval.

NOTICES

I. The Assembly resolved on Thursday, February 6, 2014 as follows:-

THAT, notwithstanding the resolution of the Assembly on Wednesday April 24, 2013 limiting each speech in a debate on any motion, this Assembly resolves that notwithstanding the provisions of the Interim Standing Order 94(4), this Assembly orders that, on Wednesday morning, each speech in a debate **on any Motion**, be limited in the following manner:- A maximum of three hours with not more than twenty (20) minutes for the Mover and five (5) minutes for each other Member speaking, except the Leader of the Majority Party and the Leader of the Minority Party, who shall be limited to a maximum of ten (10) minutes each, and that ten (10) minutes before the expiry of the time, the Mover be called upon to reply; and that priority in speaking be accorded to the Leader of the Majority Party, the Leader of the Minority Party and the Chairperson of the relevant Departmental Committee, in that Order.

NOTICE PAPER

Tentative Business for **Wednesday (Afternoon) July 30, 2014**

(Published pursuant to Standing Order 35(1))

It is notified that the following tentative business will appear in the Order Paper for Wednesday (Afternoon) July 30, 2014 at 2.30pm –

MOTION – (HON. CHARLES NJUGUNA MWAURA, MCA)

(Sectoral Committee on Transport and Public Works)

THAT, aware that the County Government has recently embarked on the construction and rehabilitation of roads across the County thus spending a considerable amount of money on the exercise; fully aware that part of the construction or rehabilitation include the installation or repair of culverts as an essential part of the drainage system on most roads. Noting that culverts help alleviate roadway flooding, reduce erosion and avert more serious drainage-related problems and that culvert works constitute a significant part of both rural road construction and maintenance. Alive to the fact these culverts are manufactured on site or purchased from suppliers of pre-fabricated building materials/road contractors, transported and laid to site on completion thus consuming time as well as escalating the cost of road maintenance.; noting with deep concern that continued sourcing of weak designed culverts from contractors that are not keen on key aspects such as proper culvert design, size, materials and procedures for safe travel to the sites and ditches resulting to installation of poor quality culverts posing a threat of floodwaters eroding culvert entrances or outlets and road embankments, thus a full or partial washout or misalignment of the culvert. Deeply perturbed that this has been occasioned by insufficient design capacity or end treatments, inadequate slope protection, or inadequate protection from floating debris; this Assembly therefore urges the county government to establish a precast concrete culvert plant that will ensure inter-alia that;

- i) The concrete culverts are produced and cured in a controlled environment, transported to the construction site and lifted into place hence creating jobs for the young people in Kiambu County;

- ii) Subsequent culvert supplemental maintenance checks are carried out to identify and schedule necessary improvements on a timely and cost-effective basis to mitigate on damages and cost thereof.