



**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA
THE HANSARD**

Tuesday, 19th September, 2023

**Third Assembly – Second Session
SIXTY FOURTH SITTING**

*[The County Assembly met at 10:04a.m at the County Assembly Buildings]
[The Speaker (Honourable Aharub Ebrahim Khatri) in the Chair]*

PRAYERS

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Honourable Members, you may be seated. Clerk, please confirm if there is a quorum.

[No quorum]

Serjeant-At-Arms, please ring the bell for ten minutes under Standing Order 31 (2).

[Quorum bell rung]

Clerk, please confirm if we have the quorum?

[No quorum]

Serjeant-At-Arms, please ring the bell for a further five minutes.

[Quorum Bell rung for a further five minutes]

Clerk, please confirm if we have quorum?

[Quorum confirmed]

Thank you. Next Order please?

PETITIONS

INACCESSIBILITY OF THE PUBLIC BUILDING IN MOMBASA COUNTY BY PERSONS LIVING WITH
DISABILITY

Honourable Members, pursuant to Standing Order 201(1), the Petition on Inaccessibility of Public Building in Mombasa County by Persons Living with Disability, stands Committed to the Committee on Lands, Housing and Urban Planning for consideration and pursuant to Standing Order 201 subsection (2) *The Committee shall in not more than 60 calendar days respond to the petitioners by the way of a Report, addressed to the petitioner and lay the same on the Table of the County Assembly.* Yes Clerk, next Order?

DHOME COMMUNITY LAND

Honourable Members, we have another Petition, pursuant to Standing Order 20 (1) the Dhome community land petition stands committed to the Committee on Lands, Housing and Urban Planning for consideration. Honourable Members, pursuant to Standing Order 201(2) *the Committee shall in not more than 60 Calendar days respond to the petitioners by the way of a Report addressed to the petitioner and lay the same on the Table of the County Assembly.* Yes Clerk, next order?

PAPER

BUDGET CIRCULAR 2024/2025

Yes, Honourable Fadhili Makarani, please lay the Paper?

Hon. Fadhili Makarani: Mr. Speaker Sir, on behalf of the Majority Leader, I stand to lay the Paper on the Budget Circular of the year 2024/2025.

[Paper Laid]

Honourable Members, the Budget Circular 2024/2025 stands committed to the Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriation for consideration.

NOTICE OF MOTION

FORMULATION AND INTEGRATION OF THE BLUE ECONOMY RELATED ACTIVITIES AND PROGRAMS IN COUNTY LEARNING INSTITUTIONS AND SOCIAL PROGRAM

Yes, Honourable Mbelle Patrick, MCA Bamburi Ward, please issue the Notice of Motion?

Hon. Mbelle: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker Sir, I wish to lay notice of Motion in the Formulation and Integration of Blue Economy Activities and Programs in the County Learning Institutions and social programs. Mr. Speaker Sir, I again beg to give a notice of Motion of the following Motion;

THAT AWARE THAT, the Blue Economy sector presents significant opportunities for employment, economic growth and sustainable development in Mombasa County;

FURTHER AWARE THAT, the integration of Blue Economy programs into the education system at all levels can enhance awareness, understanding and appreciation of the marine environment, maritime activities, and related industries; Mr. Speaker Sir,

NOTING THAT, the current absence of the Blue Economy programs in learning institutions and social programs in Mombasa County limits the potential for children, youth and the community at large to engage in and benefit from the Blue Economy;

CONCERNED THAT, the lack of integration of Blue Economy programs in the Education system hinders the development of skills and knowledge required for sustainable Blue Economy practices, reducing the capacity to effectively utilize marine resource and protect the coastal environment and denies our people employment opportunities;

I, therefore, urge this Assembly to RESOLVE; THAT,

1.The Department of Education and Digital Transformation in consultation with the Department of Blue Economy, Agriculture and Livestock and in collaboration with relevant stakeholders, formulate policies and guidelines for the integration of Blue Economy programs into the ECDEs and Village polytechnics, adhering to National and County Laws on Laws on Education matters in Kenya;

2.The Department of Education and Digital Transformation to allocate sufficient resources to support the implementation of Blue Economy programs in ECDEs and Village Polytechnics including curriculum development, training of teachers and educators, provision of necessary materials and equipment, and establishment of partnerships with Blue Economy stakeholders,

3.The County government of Mombasa to promote collaboration between learning and social institutions, industry players, research institutions and community organizations to facilitate experiential learning, internships, and mentorship opportunities in the Blue Economy sector,

4.The Department of Education and Digital Transformation to conduct regular monitoring and evaluation of the implementation of Blue Economy programs to ensure their effectiveness and make necessary adjustments based on the feedback received;

5.The County government of Mombasa engages in public awareness campaigns to promote the importance of the Blue Economy sector and encourage active participation and responsible practices among the residents of Mombasa,

6.The County Assembly to petition Parliament to integrate Blue Economy Programs into the education system at all levels to enhance awareness, understanding, and appreciation of the marine environment, maritime activities and related industries.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker Sir.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Patrick Mbelle. Yes Clerk, next Order please?

NOTICE OF MOTION

SPONSORSHIP OF TEAMS PARTICIPATING IN FOOTBALL KENYA FEDERATION (KFF) LEAGUE

Yes, Honourable Bernard Ogutu, Member of County Assembly (MCA) Changanwe Ward please issue the notice of Motion?

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to give notice of the following Motion;

THAT AWARE that part two (4) (h) of the Fourth Schedule of the constitution of the republic of Kenya, 2010 mandate the County government to take charge of sports, cultural activities and facilities;

FURTHER AWARE that sports are source of livelihood and one of main contributions our economy;

CONCERNED THAT many of our youths cannot achieve their dreams in sports especially football due to lack of support to football clubs from relevant authorities;

NOTING THAT lack of support will continue affecting the growth of talents, economic reliability and a result, many youths may engage in unlawful activities to make ends meet;

Mr. Speaker, I therefore urge this Honourable House to RESOLVE THAT:

The County government of Mombasa through the Department of youth, gender sports and social services to partner with Constituency Development Fund (CDF) Committee, sponsors and other well-wishers to cater for participation fee, security fee, transport fee and wages for referees to all the football Kenya Federation (FKF) registered teams in Mombasa County.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Khatri): Thank you very much Honourable Bernard Ogutu. Yes Clerk, next Order?

ADJOURNMENT

Honourable Members, this House Stands Adjourned until 19th of September, 2023 at 2:30p.m.

The House rose at 10:30a.m.