REPUBLIC OF KENYA MURANG'A COUNTY ASSEMBLY THE HANSARD

Tuesday, 25th February 2025. The Assembly met at 2:58 p.m. [*The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha) in the Chair*]

PRAYER

PAPERS

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON VETTING OF NOMINEES TO THE SELECTION PANEL FOR RECRUITMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Hon. Ruiru Benard: Thank you, Mr. Speaker. Hon. Speaker, pursuant to section 58 (a) of the County Governments Acts, 2012 and section 9 of the Public Appointments County Assemblies Approval Act, 2017, I beg to lay on the Table of the Assembly; -

A Report of the Committee on Appointments on the vetting of nominees to the selection panel for recruitment of members of the County Public Service Board.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON MURANG'A COUNTY YOUTH FUND FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2024.

Hon. John Munyua: Thank you, Hon. Speaker. I beg to lay the following Paper;-

That, the Report of the Auditor General on Murang'a County Youth Fund for the year ended 30th June 2024, in accordance with the provisions of Article 229 (7) of the Constitution of Kenya, be laid on the Table of the Assembly today February 25, 2025.

Thank you, Hon. Speaker.

REPORT OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL ON FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 2024

John Munyua: Thank you again, Hon. Speaker. I beg to lay the following Paper;

- That, the Report of the Auditor General on the following audited financial statements for the year ended 30th June 2024 in accordance with the provisions of Article 229 (7) of the Constitution of Kenya be laid on the Table of the Assembly, today 25th February 2025, that;

- a. Murang'a County Education Scholarship Fund.
- b. Murang'a County Small Traders Empowerment Program Fund.
- c. Murang'a County Emergency Fund.
- d. Murang'a County Climate Change Fund.
- e. Murang'a County Agricultural Farm Inputs Subsidy and Incentives Fund. Thank you, Hon. Speaker.

(Hon. John Munyua laid the Paper on the Table)

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): Thank you, next order.

NOTICE OF MOTION

ADOPTION OF REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON VETTING OF NOMINEES TO THE SELECTION PANEL FOR RECRUITMENT OF MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD

Hon. Benard Ruiru: Thank you, Mr. Speaker, I am the Vice Chairperson, Committee on Appointment. I beg to give the following notice of Motion;-

That, pursuant to Section 58 (a) of the County Governments Act (CGA), 2012, and section nine of the Public Appointments County Assemblies' Act, 2017, this Assembly adopts the Report of the Committee on Appointments on the vetting of nominees for the selection panel for recruitment of Members of the County Public Service Board (CPSB), laid on the Table of the Assembly today, Tuesday 25th February 2025.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): Next Order.

BILLS

MURANG'A COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2025- FIRST READING

(The Bill was read a First Time)

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): Next Order.

MURANG'A COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2025-SECOND READING

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you Hon. Speaker, I beg to move that Murang'a County Supplementary Bill 2025, be now read a second time.

Thank you.

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): Very well Chair, you need to get a seconder.

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you very much Hon. Speaker, I beg that The Murang'a County Supplementary Bill 20205 be read for the second time. I ask Hon. Sharleen to Second.

Hon. Sharleen Wambui: Thank you Hon. Speaker I second the Motion.

Thank you, Sir.

(Question proposed) (No Debate Arose)

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): In the absence of the debate, I would want mover to respond to himself.

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you very much. I would want to thank the members for accepting the same.

(Question Put and Agreed To)

[COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE] (Hon. Speaker left the Chair) (The Macew was lowered) [The Chairperson (Hon. Gachui Mungai) on the Chair]

The Chairperson (Hon. Gachui Mungai): Thank you Hon Members, you may get seated. Hon Members I think we are now in the Committee of the Whole and it is a clear indication that there was a wide consultation and I think that is why the Bill has passed without a lot of debate maybe the Chair budget was able maybe to convince. Hon Members I want to recap on the sequence on how we are going to absorb the Bill on the Committee of the whole. We are going to start with clauses as printed, excluding the clause providing for a citation of the Bill and the commencement if any and interpretation.

B, we are going to consider new clauses, we go to schedules, we go to new schedules, interpretation, preamble if any, and title of the Bill and the clause providing for the citation of the Bill. That is just a brief.

On the third reading; on the adoption of the Report on the Bill, the third reading may, with the leave of the Speaker, be taken forthwith and if not so taken forthwith, shall be ordered to be taken on a day named by the House Business Committee in consultation with the Member in charge of the Bill. That is just a recap of how the Bill is taken. Hon. Members I now call the House to order and we move straight to our Business of the day and we are going to start with clause 3

CLAUSE 3

(Question that clause 3 be part of the Bill proposed)

The Chairperson (Hon. Gachui Mungai): Members I am sure you have the Bills with you. Order! Hon Member for Rwathia. This is the point where Members you can be able to debate, if any proposal, and having said that, I can see there is no debate on that, I now put the Question that clause three be part of the Bill.

(Question that clause 3 put and agreed to)

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CLAUSE 4

(Question that clause 4 be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that clause 4 put and agreed to)

CLAUSE 5

(Question that clause 5 be part of the Bill proposed)

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you chairperson, I propose that clause five of the Bill be amended by deleting D-04 appearing after R-17 and D-03. Thank you chair

(Question that clause 5 as amended be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that clause 5 as amended put and Agreed to)

FIRST SCHEDULE

(Question that the first schedule be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that first schedule be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

SECOND SCHEDULE

(Question that second schedule be part of the Bill proposed)

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you chairperson, I propose that second schedule be amended in development expenditure (additions) by deleting the word 'sports' appearing immediately after the word 'and' and substituting thereof with the word 'special programs.'

Thank you

(Question that the second schedule as amended be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that second schedule as amended be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you chairperson I propose that second schedule be amended in development expenditure (reductions) by deleting the sentence '2211007 agriculture

input subsidy program' and substituting thereof with the sentence of '020200 road development program.' Thank you

The Chairperson (Hon. Gachui Mungai): Members, I want to repeat again what we are talking about is the Bill that we have, the yellow copy that we have, so you can make a follow up there so that you can be able to follow what the chairperson budget is proposing to amend or substitute.

(Question that second schedule as amended be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that second schedule as amended be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

CLAUSE 2

(Question that clause 2 be part of the Bill proposed) (Question that clause 2 be part of the Bill put and agreed to)

CLAUSE 1

(Question that clause 1 be the short title of the Bill proposed) (Question that clause 1 be the short title of the Bill put and agreed to)

LONG TITLE

(Question that the long title be the long title of the Bill proposed) (Question that the long title be the long title of the Bill put and agreed to)

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you chairperson, I beg to move that the Committee do report to the Assembly its consideration of the Murang'a County Supplementary Appropriation
Bill No. 1 of 2025 and its approval thereof with amendments. I request Hon. Sharleen to second.
Hon. Sharleen Wambui: Thank you very much. I second the Motion.

(Question proposed) (Question put and agreed to)

[REPORTING] [The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha) in the chair] (Mace was raised)

Hon. Gachui Muigai: Hon. Speaker, I beg to report that the Committee of the Whole Assembly has considered the Murang'a County Supplementary Appropriation Bill No. 1 of 2025 and its approval thereof with amendments.

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you, Hon. Speaker. Hon. Speaker, I beg to move that the Assembly do agree with the Committee in the said Report. I ask Hon. Sharleen to second.

Hon. Sharleen Wambui: I second the Motion.

(Question proposed) (Question put and agreed to)

Hon. Charles Machigo: Thank you. I beg to move that the Murang'a County Supplementary Appropriations Bill number 1 of 2025 be now read the third time, thank you. I call upon Hon Sharleen Wambui to second the Motion.

Hon. Sharleen Wambui: I second the Motion

(Question proposed) (Question put and agreed to)

MURANG'A COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2025-THIRD READING

(The Bill was read the Third time)

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker (Hon. Johnson Mukuha): There being no other Business this House stands adjourned until tomorrow Wednesday 26, 2025 at 9:30 a.m.

The House rose at 3:21 p.m.