

MURANG'A COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THE HANSARD

Wednesday, 8th July 2015

The House met at 2:41 p.m.

(The Speaker Hon. Nduati Kariuki in the Chair)

PRAYERS

COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR

The Speaker: Hon. members once again I appeal to the chairmen and members of the various committees to up their act and deal with issues that are before them so as to bring business in this House.

As you can see today we only have a few statements which means this Assembly will last not more than ten minutes and that is not the way it should be Hon. members. There are so many issues in this county and in this country and these should be brought into this house so that we can be seen to actually and actively be serving this county and it's people, thank you.

STATEMENTS

DEVELOPMENT OF ECDE FACILITIES FOR DISABLED CHILDREN IN NURSERY SCHOOLS

The Speaker: Chairperson Education committee

(Hon. John Gitau was not in the Chamber)

Not in? Next order.

GITHAGARA-KIUMBA-MITARAKWA COFFEE FACTORY ROAD

The Speaker: Chair Public Works, Roads and Transport committee.

(Hon. Eliud Gitau was not in the Chamber)

Not in? Next order.

STATUS OF KAGIRA DISPENSARY PROJECT

The Speaker: Chairperson Health Services committee.

(Hon. Bonface Njihia was not in the Chamber)

Not in, next.

OWNERSHIP OF KIRIA-INI POST OFFICE PARCEL OF LAND

The Speaker: Chairperson Land, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement committee?

(Hon. Duncan Njuguna was not in the Chamber)

Very unusual but he is also not in, next.

CO-ORDINATION OF FOOTBALL LEAGUE IN THE SUB-COUNTIES

The Speaker: Chairperson Youth, Culture and Social Services committee?

(Hon. Caroline Njoroge was not in the Chamber)

Wow! Not in. Sorry? You can respond. If you have the information to respond continue.

Hon. Peter Kariuki: Mr. Speaker sir, I request the Hon. Members to give us six working days to respond.

(Loud Consultations)

The Speaker: I am sorry the House seems not to understand what you said can you repeat it?

(Laughter)

Hon. Peter Kariuki: Mr. Speaker I do withdraw.

(Laughter)

The Speaker: Thank you, next.

LACK OF POLYTECHNICS IN ITHANGA WARD

The Speaker: Chairperson Education and Child Welfare, Research, Information Technology and E-Government committee.

(Hon. Danson Mburu rose)

The Speaker: Are you standing to reply?

Hon. Danson Mburu: Yes

The Speaker: Can you do that.

Hon. Danson Mburu: I am the vice-chair of education committee and I understand the response has not yet been received

The Speaker: Any comment from Hon. Nyakio, did you hear what he said? That was your question.

Hon. Esther Nyakio: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I did not hear him.

The Speaker: You should be paying attention. I will ask the Hon. Member to repeat what he said.

Hon. Danson Mburu: Mr. Speaker, I said that we have not yet received the response from the CEC's office, thank you.

The Speaker: Are you satisfied with that answer Hon. Nyakio.

Hon. Esther Nyakio: Thank you Mr. Speaker, I am not satisfied because I have been longing to receive positive information and I will still wait because I do not have the information. He should confirm from the CEC when the project will commence urgently.

The Speaker: You heard it. Hon. Members before we move on, we just cannot go on like this and I will ask the House Business Committee next time they meet to formulate what kind of disciplinary action should be taken against chairmen who have answers or statements to respond to and either they continuously come to the House without the answers or like today absent themselves because I regard coming late as absconding or absenting oneself, when one knows that he has business in the House.

(Applause)

I think we must be seen to be serious and we must start thinking of what kind of disciplinary action should be taken to such members, thank you, next.

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker: That being the unfortunate position the House is adjourned until tomorrow at 2.30 p.m. Thank you.

The House rose at 2:49 p.m.