REPUBLIC OF KENYA

FIRST ASSEMBLY- (THIRD SESSION)

MURANGA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2015

- 1. The House assembled at Forty Three minutes past Nine O'clock.
- 2. The proceedings were opened with a prayer.
- 3. PRESIDING The Speaker (Hon. Nduati Kariuki)

(Quorum Bell rung and quorum attained)

4. COMMUNICATION FORM THE CHAIR

"Hon. Members as far as section six is concerned of Public Appointments Parliamentary Approval Act revised edition 2012, section 86 of National Land Act 2012 and standing order number 46 the Assembly received notification for nomination of Sarah Muthoni Gichaga, a physical planner, as a member of Murang'a County Land Management Board.

Upon receipt of notification the lands, housing, physical planning and settlement committee held a vetting on 23rd January 2015 and thus is required to table its report in the Assembly for adoption.

Further on 23rd January 2015 pursuant to the provision of section 45(1) Of the County Governments Act 2012 the Assembly received notification for nomination of the following; Damaris Wairimu Mina nominee as a chief officer Environment and Natural resources, Daniel Obonga nominee as chief officer Lands, Housing, Settlement and Physical planning.

Upon receipt and in accordance to Public Appointments Parliamentary Approval act revised edition 2012 and standing order number 46, the water, energy, forestry, environment, natural resources and cooperative committee and lands, housing, physical planning and settlement committee respectively held approval hearings on February 4th 2015 and are required to table their reports in the Assembly for adoption.

Further, I wish to remind you that having resumed our third session of the Assembly, it is important to note that order papers, adopted reports and important information will be sent to your respective tablets through your Emails as we endeavor towards digitalization of Assembly operations, especially, plenary and committee operations, so I do urge the Hon. members to always open their Emails as there will be a lot of information.

Now as Hon. Members of this House I also urge you to scrutinize every paper that will be laid in this House, every motion that will be moved, every budget that will be approved and every report that will be adopted.

Items that are approved by this house have the force of law, members should not be heard expressing ignorance of items they have approved in this Hon. House, budgets approved by this House, as items approved by this House cannot be amended other than by way of a supplementary budget estimates, we should therefore not have cases where members bring a motion, or a budget for a specific item, only later to bring a motion that has not been informed, let us take our work seriously and serve the people of Murang'a County with all our strength, mind and caution,

Thank you

4. PAPERS LAID

The following papers were laid on the table of the Assembly

- 1. Report of the Lands, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committees report on the vetting of the Physical Planner, Ms Sarah Muthoni Gichangi to the Land Management Board.
- Report of the Land, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committee, on vetting of the nominee to the position of Chief Officer, Land, Housing and Physical Planning (Daniel Rukunga Kithunka).

(Hon. Samson Kago, MCA Mugoiri Ward)

3. The Finance & Economic Planning Committee Report on the Annual Financial Report for the FY 2013/2014.

(Chairperson Finance and Economic Planning Committee)

4. The Budget and Appropriations Committee Report on the County Budget Review Outlook Paper for FY 2014/2015.

(Hon. Peter Mweri Maina)

5. NOTICE OF MOTION - (Hon. Samson Kago, Member Lands, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committee)

THAT; this Assembly adopts the report of the Lands, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committees report on the vetting of the Physical Planner, Ms Sarah Muthoni Gichangi to the Land Management Board, laid on the table of the Assembly today February 10, 2015.

6. NOTICE OF MOTION – (Hon. Samson Kago, Member Land, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committee)

THAT; this Assembly adopts the report of the Land, Housing, Physical Planning and Settlement Committee, on vetting of the nominee to the position of Chief Officer, Land, Housing and Physical Planning (Daniel Rukunga Kithunka), laid on the table of the Assembly today 10/02/2015.

7. NOTICE OF MOTION – (<u>Chairperson Finance and Economic Planning Committee</u>)

THAT; this Assembly adopts the Finance & Economic Planning Committee Report on the Annual Financial Report for the FY 2013/2014, laid on the table of the Assembly today February 10, 2015.

8. NOTICE OF MOTION – (Chairperson Budget and Appropriation Committee)

THAT; this Assembly adopts the Budget and Appropriations Committee Report on the County Budget Review Outlook Paper for FY 2014/2015, laid on the table of the Assembly today February 10, 2015.

9. STATEMENT PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 45 (2) (C)

Pursuant to Standing Order 45 (2) (c), a request for statement from the Chairperson Finance and Planning on payment of Kshs. 370,000, Valuation fee debt in regard to valuation of plots within Maragua Town Council, owed to Muiyuro Muiruri and Co, was issued by Hon. Joseph Kimani Machiri.

10. THE MURANG'A COUNTY TEA BILL, 2014

Order for first reading made

Bill read a first time

11. **HOUSE ROSE** – at Two minutes past Ten O'clock.

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MEMORANDUM

The Speaker will take the Chair on Tuesday, February 10, 2015 at 2.30 p.m.

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