

REPUBLIC OF KENYA

FIRST ASSEMBLY-(SECOND SESSION)

MURANGA COUNTY ASSEMBLY

ORDERS OF THE DAY

(SPECIAL MORNING SITTING)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 02, 2014 AT 10.00 A.M

ORDER OF BUSINESS

PRAYERS

- 1. Administration of Oath
- 2. Communication from the Chair
- 3. Messages
- 4. Petitions

5* PAPERS - (Chairperson Budget and Appropriation Committee)

THAT; the report of the Budget and Appropriation Committee on the first Supplementary Budget **2014/2015**, be laid on the table of the Assembly.

6* NOTICE OF MOTION - (Chairperson Budget and Appropriation Committee)

THAT; this Assembly adopts the report of the Budget and Appropriation Committee on the first Supplementary Budget **2014/2015**, laid on the table of the Assembly today January 02, 2015.

7* NOTICE OF MOTION - Chairperson Water, Energy, Forestry, Environment, Natural Resources and Cooperative Management Committee)

AWARE, that the Assembly adopted the report of the Committee on Water, Energy, Forestry, Environment, Natural Resources and Cooperative Management, on the Northern Water Collector Tunnel project in Murang'a, and desirous that the recommendations on the report be implemented. Regretting that some rivers in Murang'a are under the Tana River Water Service Board including Mathioya, Maragua, Sagana and Irati, while other Rivers are

managed by the Athi Water Service Board including Thika, Chania, Gikira making management of water service duplicated and confused; This Assembly urges

- a) The Speaker of Murang'a County Assembly to convene as soon as possible a forum of all stakeholders of the project including and not limited to Athi Water Services board, County Government of Murang'a, the Members of County Assembly, the Water Resource Management Authority, Natural Environmental Management Agency (NEMA) among others to discuss the following issues
 - i) Develop a common stand on the project and in particular to address the key issues raised in Committees report.
 - ii) Guaranteeing that water flows in Murang'a County as well as underground water levels will not be affected
 - iii) Guaranteeing against any adverse environmental and economic effect.
 - iv) Developing the programme to provide for benefits and water schemes for the people of Murang'a to be implemented alongside the Northern Water Contribution Tunnel.
- b) That the CEC in-charge of Water establishes a Technical Committee to evaluate and advice the County Assembly and the County Executive on the design and implementation of the project.
- c) That all the Rivers of Murang'a be transferred and managed under the Athi Water Services Board as soon as possible to remove the confusion and duplication of having two Water Services Boards managing the waters of Murang'a County
- 8. Statements
- 9. Motions
- 10. Bills