

**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF MAKUENI**



**MAKUENI COUNTY ASSEMBLY**

**SECOND ASSEMBLY – SECOND SESSION**

**ORDERS OF THE DAY**

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2018 AT 2:30 P.M.**

**PRAYERS**

1. Administration of Oath.
2. Communication from the Chair.
3. Messages.
4. Petitions.
5. Papers (as listed in the Appendix).
6. Notices of Motion (as listed in the Appendix).
7. Statements (as listed in the Appendix).

**8\* MOTION:- FORMULATING AN APICULTURE POLICY**

*Hon. Justus Masesi, MCA.*

**THAT, AWARE** that apiculture is a valuable and largely unexploited livelihood diversification option for small scale farmers, **APPRECIATING** that Kenya has a potential of producing 100,000 metric tons of honey annually although only 20% of the potential is tapped, **FURTHER APPRECIATING** that Makueni County currently produces 110 metric tons of honey annually according to the 2018-2022 Makueni County Integrated Plan, **NOTING** that the County is located in a region that experience arid and semi-arid climatic conditions which are ideal for the apiculture industry, **FURTHER NOTING** that although the County Government of Makueni has invested in Agriculture, climate change has adversely impacted the mainstream agricultural activities and increased vulnerabilities within

the 78% of Makueni population involved in agricultural activities, **COGNIZANT** of the fact that agricultural activities are devolved functions as per the Fourth schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, **APPRECIATING** that the apiculture industry is pro-forest as it enhances protection of the environment hence making it a climate change resilient/adaptation economic activity, **COGNIZANT** that apiculture is a source of income, food and medicine which lead to an improved sense of well-being to the citizenry, **CONCERNED** that despite the existence of markets within and outside the County, honey yields and returns are still low compared to the County's potential, **FURTHER CONCERNED** that apiculture has been extensively practiced traditionally and the County has not intensified value addition in apiculture to make it commercially viable for farmers, **FURTHER COGNIZANT** that the County Government has not developed an apiculture policy to guide the development of the industry in Makueni County, **AWARE** that the theme of Makueni Vision 2025 is **economic empowerment for sustainable livelihoods with focus on youth empowerment**, **COGNIZANT OF THE FACT** that formulation and implementation of strategic interventions by the department of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries can promote value addition in the apiculture industry, **NOW THEREFORE** this County Assembly urges the County Department of Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries to formulate an apiculture policy to institute production, value addition, trade and commercialization of the apiculture industry in Makueni County.

9\*. **MOTION: THE BIANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON LANDS AND URBAN PLANNING, FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY TO JUNE 2018**

*The Chairperson, Committee on Lands and Urban Planning.*

**THAT**, this Assembly adopts the Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on Lands and Urban Planning, for the period January to June 2018, laid on the Table of the Assembly on 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

**10\*. MOTION:- THE BIANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRADE, INDUSTRY, TOURISM AND COOPERATIVES, FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY TO JUNE 2018**

*The Chairperson, Committee on Trade, Industry, Tourism and Cooperatives*

**THAT**, this Assembly adopts the Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on Trade, Industry, Tourism and Cooperatives, for the period January to June 2018, laid on the Table of the Assembly on 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

**11\*. MOTION:- THE BIANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE LIVESTOCK AND FOOD SECURITY, FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY TO JUNE 2018**

**THAT**, this Assembly adopts the Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on Agriculture Livestock and Food Security, for the period January to June 2018, laid on the Table of the Assembly on 19<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

*The Chairperson, Committee on Agriculture Livestock and Food Security.*

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\* Denotes Orders of the Day.

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## **APPENDIX**

### **PAPERS:-**

- i. Business for the Coming week.

*The Leader of the Majority Party.*

- ii. The Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on Water, Irrigation and Sanitation, for the period January to June, 2018.

*The Chairperson, Committee on Water, Irrigation and Sanitation.*

- iii. The Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on ICT, Early Childhood Education and Vocational Training for the period January to June, 2018.

*The Chairperson, Committee on ICT, Early Childhood Education and Vocational Training.*

### **NOTICES OF MOTION:-**

- i. **THAT**, this Assembly adopts the Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on Water, Irrigation and Sanitation, for the period January to June, 2018, laid on the Table of the Assembly on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

*The Chairperson, Committee on Water, Irrigation and Sanitation.*

- ii. **THAT**, this Assembly adopts the Biannual Progress Report of the Committee on ICT, Early Childhood Education and Vocational Training for the period January to June, 2018, laid on the Table of the Assembly on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> September, 2018.

*The Chairperson, Committee on ICT, Early Childhood Education and Vocational Training.*

### **STATEMENTS:**

- i. Business for the Coming week.

*The Leader of the Majority Party.*

- ii. Request for a Statement (No. 69/2018) from the Chairperson, Committee on Water and Sanitation regarding the acute water shortage in Malili.

*Hon. Bernadette Mutisya, MCA*

- iii. Request for a statement (No. 70/2018) from the Chairperson, Committee on Transport and Infrastructure, regarding lack of traffic signs and marking of bumps on the Wote-Makindu road.

*The Member for Kitise / Kithuki Ward.*

- iv. Response to a Statement (No. 51/2018) as requested by Hon. Elizabeth Mutindi, regarding the operations of the County Community Radio (ENE FM).

*Chairperson, Committee on Devolution and Public Service.*

- v. Response to a Statement (No. 57/2018) as requested by the Member for Kilungu Ward, regarding payment of fees for land search by the Lands offices.

*Chairperson, Committee on Finance and Socioeconomic Planning.*

- vi. Statement regarding the renovation of the defunct Mtito Andei County Council chambers

*Chairperson, Committee on Devolution and Public Service.*

- vii. Statement regarding the delayed expansion, rehabilitation, piping and distribution of KIMAWASCO Water project through Kalimakoi, Munyenze, and Kiange lines in Masongaleni Ward

*Chairperson, Committee on Water, Irrigation and Sanitation.*

- viii. Statement regarding the living deplorable conditions of the employees of Subati Flower Farm in Mtito Andei .

*Chairperson, Committee on Health Services.*

- ix. Statement regarding planning of Kikima town in Mbooni Ward

*Chairperson, Committee on Lands and Urban Planning.*

- x. Statement regarding the funds allocated for the upgrade of Utangwa CTTI in Kithungo/Kitundu Ward

*Chairperson, Committee on ICT, Early Childhood Education & Vocational Training.*

- xi. Statement regarding the status of sand utilization and conservation in Makueni County.

*Committee on Environment and Climate Change.*

- xii. Statement regarding the status of Elderly development support programme.

*Committee on Culture, Gender, Disability, Youth and Community Development.*

- xiii. Statement regarding the status of Mau Mau Support Programme.

*Committee on Culture, Gender, Disability, Youth and Community Development.*

- xiv. Statement regarding business enterprises in Mtito Andei Town.

*Committee on Finance and Socioeconomic Planning.*

- xv. Statement regarding licensing of nightclubs, pubs and wines and spirits joints in the country.

*Committee on Devolution and Public Service.*

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