

**Third Assembly  
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**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF TAITA TAVETA**



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**ORDER PAPER**

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2022 AT 9:30 A.M**

**ORDER OF BUSINESS**

**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;
8. Motions and Bills;

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\*Denotes Orders of the Day

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**APPENDIX**

**PAPERS**

1. REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON THE VETTING OF JOHN MWAKIO MWANG'OMBE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF COUNTY ATTORNEY
2. REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON THE VETTING OF NOMINEES FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITIONS OF COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

**NOTICES OF MOTION**

1. **NOTICE OF MOTION: ADOPTION AND APPROVAL OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON THE VETTING OF JOHN MWAKIO MWANG'OMBE FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF COUNTY ATTORNEY (HON. ANSELM MWADIME, DEPUTY SPEAKER, MCA MWANDA MGHANGE WARD)**

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of the Article 179 (2) (b) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 as read together with Section 30 (2) (d) of the County Governments Act, 2012; Section 5(1) of the Office of County Attorney Act, 2020; Section 9 of the Public Appointments (County Assemblies Approval) Act, 2017 and the Taita Taveta County Assembly Standing Order No. 187 (4), this Third County Assembly adopts and approves the report on the vetting of John Mwakio Mwang'ombe for appointment to the position of County Attorney by the Committee on appointments laid on the table of this House on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2022, Morning Sitting No. 011.

**2. NOTICE OF MOTION: ADOPTION AND APPROVAL OF THE REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS ON THE VETTING OF NOMINEES TO THE POSITIONS OF COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (HON. ANSELM MWADIME, DEPUTY SPEAKER, MCA MWANDA MGHANGE WARD)**

**THAT**, pursuant to the provisions of the Article 179 (2) (b) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 as read together with Section 35 of the County Governments Act, 2012; Section 9 of the Public Appointments (County Assemblies Approval) Act, 2017 and the Taita Taveta County Assembly Standing Order No. 187 (4), this Third County Assembly adopts and approves the report by the Committee on Appointments on the vetting of nominees to the positions of County Executive Committee laid on the table of this House on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> November, 2022, Morning Sitting No. 011.

**3. NOTICE OF MOTION: APPROVAL OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICE BOARD NOMINEES TO THE POSITIONS OF COUNTY ASSEMBLY SERVICE BOARD EXTERNAL MEMBERS (HON. ANTHONY MNG'AMBWA, MAJORITY PARTY LEADER, MCA BURA WARD)**

**THAT**, pursuant to the provision of Section 12 (3) (d) of the County Governments Act, No. 17 of 2012 and Section 8 and 9 of the County Assembly Services Act, No. 24 of 2017, this Third County Assembly approves the recommendation by the County Assembly Service Board on the nomination of Hon. Daniel Omar Nguzo and Ms. Rhodah Malemba Mwashighadi to the positions of County Assembly Service Board External Members.

**4. NOTICE OF MOTION: DROUGHT MITIGATION MEASURES BY THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT (HON. ANSELM MWADIME, DEPUTY SPEAKER, MCA MWANDA MGHANGE WARD)**

**THAT**, noting that Article 43(1) (9) (c) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, provides that every person has the right to be free from hunger, and to have adequate food of acceptable quality as one of the economic and social rights guaranteed under our Constitution;

**FURTHER NOTING THAT**, disaster management is a function of the County Government as stipulated in Part 2 of the Fourth Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010;

**CONCERNED THAT**, drought was declared a National disaster by the immediate Former President H.E Uhuru Kenyatta on **Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> September, 2021** and that since then, the famine situation in Taita Taveta County has worsened due to persistent failed rains, which is taking a toll on both people and livestock;

**FURTHER CONCERNED THAT** an assessment Report by the National Drought Management Authority (NDMA) of mid this year indicated that over **75,000** residents of this County are food insecure, posing a danger to their lives, health and productivity, among other dangers of drought and famine;

**AWARE THAT** arid and semi-arid areas in Wundanyi, Mwatate, Voi and Taveta, which are the most affected, are in need of food and water; further giving rise to persistent human-wildlife conflict which has had negative impact on food security and people's livelihoods in the region;

**NOW THEREFORE**, this House **RESOLVES THAT** the County Government should do the following:

- i. Unlock utilization of the Emergency Fund in addressing this unforeseen drought, in particular supply of relief food and water to the most vulnerable families, and other nutritional supplements to children under the age of five.
- ii. Furnish the County Assembly with a well laid out response plan for famine mitigation, targeting the worst hit families or groups of persons; the implementation matrix for the plan and regular reports of the same;
- iii. In preparation for the anticipated short rains, provide farm input to farmers in form of seeds;