

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF TAITA TAVETA



COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF TAITA TAVETA  
SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FOURTH SESSION)

ORDER PAPER

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 24<sup>TH</sup>, 2020 AT 2:30 P.M

ORDER OF BUSINESS

**PRAYERS**

1. Administration of Oath
2. Communication from the Chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion
7. Statements (*as listed in the Appendix*)
8. \*The Taita Taveta County Appropriations Bill, 2020, (*Bills No. 5*)  
(*First Reading*)

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\*Denotes Orders of the Day

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APPENDIX  
STATEMENTS

**1. STATEMENT: MEASURES PUT IN PLACE TO CURB HUMAN  
WILDLIFE CONFLICT (HON. NEWTON KIFUSO, MCA,  
WWUMINGU KISHUSHE WARD, CHAIRPERSON  
IMPLEMENTATION COMMITTEE)**

**Mr. Speaker, Sir,** in line with the provisions of the Taita Taveta County Assembly Standing Order No. 42 (2) (c), a Member of the House can seek a statement requiring availability of information, clarification or appearance on any substantive issue, circumstances, situations and matters appertaining to the attention of County Governments, the National Government, or any Public Entity where such mandates related to the management of service and leadership to the citizens and institutions, as per the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, and our current laws are concerned. In view of the above, I stand to seek a statement on the status on measures taken by the Kenya Wildlife Services KWS to curb Human Wildlife Conflict in Taita Taveta County.

Mr. Speaker, Sir, while one of the prime roles of the Kenya Wildlife Services is to manage, control and ensure that wildlife animals are confined away into the National Parks and Reserves in order to avoid endangering humanity in our Republic, article 29 and 40 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 provides for the fundamental rights of persons to security protection of property and compensation incidental therefrom;

Mr. Speaker, Sir, human wildlife conflict have been a Constant problem to the residents of Taita Taveta especially to my residents in Kishushe Ward.

Mr. Speaker, Sir, elephants have encroached villages in Kishushe Ward, homes and farms have been destroyed, lives been endangered as we speak the economic damage being experienced by my people will take long to recover.

Mr. Speaker, Sir, we have raised concerns and filed complaints to the Kenya Wildlife but as we speak no redress has been received.

Mr. Speaker, it is in this regard therefore I seek a statement from the Chairperson Lands, Housing and Human Wildlife Conflict resolutions Committee on the measures that the Kenya Wildlife Service, The County Commissioner and the CECM Lands are they planning to take to prevent further encroachment, destruction and compensation of the affected families.