

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF TAITA TAVETA



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

ORDER PAPER

TUESDAY, JUNE 2ND, 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. Bills

*The Taita Taveta County Community Land Administration Bill, 2020 (Bill.
No. 3)

(First Reading)

*Denotes Orders of the Day

APPENDIX
STATEMENTS

1. STATEMENT: STATUS OF VOI FIRE STATION. (HON, ANSELIM CHAO, MCA, MWANDA/ MGANGE WARD)

MR. SPEAKER, SIR, in line with the parliamentary best practices, precedents and conventions, and pursuant to the provisions of the Second Taita Taveta County Assembly Standing Order No. 42(2)c relating to the Sitting's ORDER NO. 7 (STATEMENTS), 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;

MR. SPEAKER, SIR, Aware that there has been frequent outbreaks of fire incidents in the County, more so the two fire incidents that occurred in Taveta Sub-County and destroyed properties worth millions. It is sad to note that the County Government up to date has not even constructed a fire station to ensure such occurrences of fire incident are well mitigated.

MR. SPEAKER, SIR, the Voi Fire station project has stalled for a long time despite the fact that an approximate amount of Sh. 7 million has already been spent for its construction. Voi town being the major economic hub in the County needs these essential services of the fire station for emergency purposes. Traders in Voi, Taveta, Mwatate and Wundanyi Sub-Counties operate their business with fear for loss of property as a result of cases of fire outbreaks.

MR. SPEAKER, SIR, in view of the above, I would like the CECM for Public Works, Transport and Infrastructure through the Chairperson of Public Works, ICT & Transport Committee to furnish this House with the following information;

1. Why was the construction of the fire station halted?
2. What plans does the department have to ensure the fire station is completed and equipped?
3. What plans does the department have to ensure each sub-county has a fully equipped fire sub-station?