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(045)

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF TAITA TAVETA



COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF TAITA TAVETA  
SECOND ASSEMBLY – SIXTH SESSION  
ORDER PAPER

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2022 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. MOTION: DEVELOPMENT OF COUNTY PROGRAMS FOR THE YOUTH IN THE COUNTY (HON. OMAR NGUZO, MCA CHALLA WARD, CHAIRPERSON COMMITTEE ON TRADE INDUSTRY & COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT)**

**THAT, AWARE THAT** Part Two of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution provides for the functions of the County Government which include ensuring and coordinating the participation of communities and locations in governance at the local level and assisting communities and locations to develop the administrative capacity for the effective exercise of the functions and powers and participation in governance at the local level;

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**CONCERNED THAT** a majority of young people in Taita Taveta County have high hopes and ambitions, however, poor macroeconomic performance, lack of labor market opportunities, an education system that suffers from problems of access, quality, and relevance, and a society that negates the self-expression of young people mean that many young people are unable to translate their aspirations into a productive and fulfilling future;

**FURTHER CONCERNED THAT** high expectations, disappointing employment and life prospects, and marginalization among young people fuels frustration and desperation.

**FURTHER AWARE THAT,** Approaches used by the National Government have not successfully and completely addressed the threat especially in Taita Taveta County which has the highest rate of inequality that exists between young community members and community leaders in urban settlements, **THEREFORE** this County Assembly urges the County Executive in partnership with local stakeholders such as community and faith-based organizations: -

- a) develop programs that address poverty and unemployment by incorporating vulnerable and at-risk groups in such programs; and
- b) develop programs that identify and empower trusted influencers with the skills and tools they need to provide concrete solutions to help at-risk individuals in their surrounding which makes them feel that they have more options than turning to a violent group,
- c) allow for more information sharing and coordination of strategies in preventing violent groups in the County.

APPENDIX

STATEMENTS

1. STATEMENT: DRAINAGE SYSTEM OF DAWIDA HOTEL IN MWATATE MUNICIPALITY (HON. CHRISTOPHER MWAMBINGU, NOMINATED MCA)

**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,** Article 42 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 stipulates that every person has the right to a clean and healthy environment, while the Fourth Schedule, Part 2 (3) stipulates that the functions and powers of the county are; Control of air pollution, noise pollution and other public nuisances.

**MR. SPEAKER, SIR,** in view of the above I rise to seek a statement regarding the drainage system of Dawida Hotel in Mwatate Municipality.

**MR. SPEAKER, SIR,** there is public outcry from residents of Mwatate Municipality over the foul smell emanating from the Dawida Hotel drainage system which has become a public nuisance and an environmental and health hazard.

**MR. SPEAKER, SIR,** in view of the foregoing, I would like the Chairperson of the Administration, Security, Devolution, Public Participation, Community Services And Drugs Control Committee to furnish this House with the following information or give a directive respectively as follows;

1. What measures has the Public Health Department taken to address the matter?
2. That the Mwatate Municipality issues a 14 days notice to the Hotel management to rectify the drainage system or be sued pursuant to Article 70 of the Constituion of Kenya, 2010.



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