COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF SAMBURU



THE HANSARD

Tuesday, 15th February, 2024

The Assembly met at the County Assembly Chambers at 2:30 pm

The Speaker, (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen), in Chair

PRAYER

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NOTICES OF MOTION

MCA Nachola Ward, (Hon. Lorunyei Lawrence): Thank you Hon. Speaker, pursuant to Standing Order No. 48 (1), I beg to give a notice of the following Motion **THAT**:

AWARE THAT, Samburu County has started the formation of Village Resource Distribution Unit and there is already an established Village Unit under the Samburu Village Delineation Act, 2015;

NOTING THAT, the village units are established pursuant to section 8 of County Government Act, 2012;

FURTHER NOTING THAT, section 3 of the County Government Act, 2012 establishes for each village unit a village council;

DISTURBED THAT, the establishment of Village Unit Resource Distribution Units formed by the County Government incurs unnecessary resource that could greatly help in executing, so many other important activities within the county especially the October- November El'nino rains that has wrecked and havocked across the county;

AWARE THAT, the responsibilities of the Village Resource Distribution Unit as same as those of the already established Village Units and Bursary Committee, hence distribution of roles;

FURTHER NOTING THAT, the County Government has established units that are not formed under any County legislation, so, no approval from the County Assembly.

ACKWOLEDGING THAT, the Village Delineation Unit needs capacity building to perform function as stipulated by the County Government Act;

CONCERENED THAT, the County Government is continuously performing functions that were not budgeted for in the previous Budget circle, such as formation of this unit;

SERIOULY CONCERENED THAT, this will greatly affect the implementation of the current Budget and contradict with both national legislations and already passed County legislations;

I THERFORE, urge this House to **RESOLVE**:

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- 1. **THAT,** establishing of Village Resource Distribution Unit by the County Executive is in contradiction of existing legislation hence the formation is null and void.
- 2. **THAT**, the Samburu County Government should forward a detailed report of all budgets spending towards this already existing Village Resource Distribution Unit.
- 3. **THAT**, the County Government should forward a detailed report of the current situation of the Village Council and Bursary Ward Committees.
- 4. **THAT,** the Samburu County Government concentrates in improving the already available Government structures by capacity building Village Councils.
- 5. **ENSURE** that they work under the provided legal framework, that is; ensure that all actions conform to the National and County laws.
- 6. **THAT**, there is no more budget deviation from what was approved by the County Assembly.

Thank you Hon. Speaker.

ADJOURNMENT

The Speaker, (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen): Hon. Members, the time being ten minutes to three O'clock and there being no other business, this Assembly now adjourns until Tuesday 20th February, 2024 at 2:30 pm.