

**COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF SAMBURU**



***THE HANSARD***

**Tuesday, 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023**

**The Assembly met at the County Assembly Chambers at 2:30 p.m.**

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

**PRAYER**

## **PAPERS**

**The Majority Leader**, (Hon. Lentukunye Christopher): Thank you Hon. Speaker. I beg to table the report of the Committee on Appointments on the vetting of the nominee; County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries.

**Vice Chairperson Committee on Finance, Economic Planning and ICT**, (Hon. Lenyakopiro Charity): Thank you Hon. Speaker, I beg to table the report of Committee on Finance, Economic Planning and ICT on the CIDP (County Integrated Development Plan) 2023-2027.

## **NOTICES OF MOTION**

**Member, Committee on Education and Vocational Training**, (Hon. Lemantaan Kelvin): Thank you Hon. Speaker, I beg to give a notice of the following Motion:

**THAT**, taking into consideration the recommendations of the Committee on Education and Vocational Training in its report on the vetting of the nominee for approval as the Chief Officer Education laid on the table of the Assembly on 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 and pursuant to the provision of section 9 (2) of the Public Appointments, (County Assemblies Approval) Act, 2017 and section 45 (a) and (b) County Governments Act, 2012; with the leave of this House, the County Assembly Approves:

1. The appointment of Mr. Lesilele Lysson as the Chief Officer for Education

Thank you Hon. Speaker.

**MCA Waso Ward**, (Hon. Lemantaan Kelvin): Hon. Speaker, pursuant to the Standing Orders 48 (1) I beg to give a notice of the following Motion:

**AWARE THAT**, there are Town County Enforcement Officers; County *askaris* in Maralal Municipality Town who aid in the enforcement of revenue collection and adherence of County laws

**FURTHER AWARE THAT**, the County *askaris* are vital in enforcement of revenue collection, ensuring adherence of the health standards through responsible garbage disposal and enforcement of general County laws

**NOTING THAT**, it is only in Maralal Municipality that there are County *askaris* even though there are also other bigger towns in need of these services within Samburu County such as Baragoi Town, Wamba Town and Archer's Post Town with considerable population

**OBSERVING THAT**, members of the public in the towns need safe business environment to work in so as to ensure a welcoming and friendly atmosphere to conduct business for both business and their customers

**FURTHER AWARE THAT**, the business environment will positively impact on our general local source revenue collected through increased business working hours as a result of safe working environment created through employment of County *askaris*

**THEREFORE**, the Assembly **RESOLVES THAT**, County Assembly of Samburu through the Department of Lands, Physical Planning, Housing and Urban Centers to provide County *askaris* to Baragoi Town, Wamba Town, and Archer's Post Town and any upcoming towns, thank you Hon. Speaker.

Hon. Speaker pursuant to Standing Orders 48 I beg to give notice of the following Motion:

**AWARE THAT**, the Department of Livestock bought and distributed Camels to the residents of Samburu East and Samburu North Wards.

**FURTHER AWARE THAT**, Camels were meant to cushion famers from the previous long drought that ravaged livestock in the County, whereby farmers lost a good number of their livestock and for many households all their livelihood.

**OBSERVING THAT**, the Camels bore no identification marks made by the Department to identify them and no documentation provided to beneficiaries to prove ownership of the Camels provided to them.

**DEEPLY CONSRCENED THAT**, there have been reports of the neighbouring Somali and Borana herders claiming the livestock provided by the County Government and due to lack of documentation, the beneficiaries have been unable to prove ownership of the distributed Camels.

**FURTHER AWARE THAT**, the beneficiaries of the Camels can be taken advantage by anyone with ill will do due to lack of documentation to prove ownership hence the residents have been uneasy.

**THEREFORE**, this House **RESOLVES THAT**, the Department of Agriculture, Livestock and Veterinary Services initiate and identify mark on all Camels and any other livestock distributed in the last Financial Years in the future, develop documentation to prove ownership of the Camels and all other livestock distributed to the beneficiaries across the County.

**Leader of Majority**, (Hon. Lentukunye Christopher): Thank you Hon. Speaker Sir once again. I beg to give a notice of the following Motion, **THAT**, taking into consideration the recommendations of the Committee on Appointments in its Report on the vetting of the nominee for approval as the County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 and pursuant to the provision of Article 179 (2) of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 and any other relevant public appointments as may be provided by any written law and Samburu County Assembly Standing Orders, with the leave of this House, the County Assembly Approves:

- ✓ The appointment of Mr. Lekimain Patrick as the County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries.

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Lenyakopiro Charity): Thank you Mr. Speaker. I beg to give a notice of the following Motion, **That**, Pursuant to Standing Order number 48, the County Assembly of Samburu debates and adopts the report of the Committee on Finance, Economic Planning and ICT on the County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP) 2023-2027, Thank you Mr. Speaker.

## **STATEMENTS**

**MCA Wamba North**, (Hon. Christopher Lentukunye): Thank you, Mr. Speaker Sir. I asked a Statement from the Committee on Water sometime back regarding to the drilling of various boreholes within my ward, Wamba North, which were budgeted in the Financial Year 2022/2023. The Department procured services for drilling of the same boreholes, these boreholes were paid but the work was not done. I sought the Statement from the Department through the Chair but until now the information regarding the same are not available within this House. I stand to ask the Committee to furnish this House with the information regarding to the Statement sought, thank you Mr. Speaker.

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Lenolkulal Esther): Asante Mheshimiwa Spika. Tulipo leta jibu Mheshimiwa hakuwepo na ikasemekana liwachwe hadi atakapokuwa. Kamati wako na habari na watakupatia, asante.

**MCA Wamba North**, (Hon. Christopher Lentukunye): Mr. Speaker, I think when a Member seeks a clarification or any Statement to be answered the Statement remains the property of this House and not the property of an individual Member; that is not in order. If the Committee were ready with the response then they should give it to the House and not a Member, thank you.

**The Speaker**, (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen): Now that the Chairman of the Committee is not present maybe Hon. Esther you can tell us when you will give us the report.

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Lenolkulal Esther): Mheshimiwa Spika naomba kumtafuta Chairman wangu ili tujadiliane siku tutakayo leta majibu, alikuwa hapa tu, thank you.

**The Speaker**, (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen): We give the Committee until next week on Tuesday the 11<sup>th</sup> to give us the report.

## **MOTION**

**MCA Waso Ward**, (Hon. Lemantaan Kelvin): Thank you Mr. Speaker, i beg to move the following Motion **That**, taking into consideration the recommendation of the Committee on

Education and Vocational training in its report on the Vetting of the nominee for approval as the Chief Officer of Education laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 9(2) of the Public Appointments County Assembly's Approval Act 2017 and the Section 45(a) and (b) County Governments Act 2012, with the leave of this House, the County Assembly approves the appointments of:

- ✓ Mr. Lesilele Lysson as the Chief Officer for Education.

Thank you Mr. Speaker and I call upon Hon. Lentukunye to second.

**(Hon. Lentukunye bows to second the Motion)**

**The Speaker,** (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen): Hon. Members, I now propose the question **That**, taking into consideration the recommendations of the Committee on Education and Vocational training in its report on the Vetting of the nominee for approval as the Chief Officer of Education laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and Pursuant to the Provisions of Section 9(2) of the Public Appointments County Assembly's Approval Act 2017 and the Section 45(a) and (b) County Governments Act 2012, with the leave of this House, this County Assembly approves the appointments of:

- ✓ Mr. Lesilele Lysson as the Chief Officer for Education.

**MCA Waso Ward,** (Hon. Lemantaan Kelvin): Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir, the position of the Chief Officer for Education became vacant after the resignation of the former office bearer and his subsequent election as the Speaker of the County Assembly of Samburu. This led to a vacant vacancy in the Chief Officer position which culminated into the nomination of Mr. Lesilele Lysson by His Excellency the Governor and forwarding of the nominee's name for Vetting by the County Assembly as the Chief Officer for Education.

Pursuant to the Provision of Section 45 of the County Assembly Act 2012, the Hon. Governor, His Excellency Lati Lelelit nominated and submitted the name of the nominee for position of Chief Officer for Vetting and approval by the County Assembly in respective dockets through the office of the Clerk via a letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June 2023, Ref: CGS/CA/APPTCO/VOL2/008/23.

On the 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023 and in the accordance with the Provisions of Section 7(1) of the Public Appointments County Assembly's approval Act 2017, the Speaker reported the receipt of the notification of the County Assembly the nomination of the County Chief Officer in accordance with article 185 of the Constitution of Kenya read with Section 8 of the County Government Act 2012 and Pursuant to the County Assembly of Samburu Standing Order number 46, the name of the nominee was referred to relevant Sectoral Committee for Vetting and reporting to the House within 14 days.

**CONSEQUENTLY**, in accordance with Section 7(4) of the Public Appointments, County Assembly Approvals Act 2017, the Clerk of the County Assembly placed a public notice on 22<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023 inviting the public to submit memoranda by way of written statements on oath and affidavits on the suitability or otherwise of the nominee in accordance with the Public Appointments County Assembly's Approval Act 2017.

The public notice indicated that submissions were to be received by 28<sup>th</sup> June 2023 by closure of submission period. The Committee did not receive any memoranda touching on the suitability or otherwise of the nominee. The nominee appeared before the Committee as scheduled Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2023 for committee vetting in accordance with the provisions of the constitution County Assembly Act 2012 public appointment County Assemblies Approval Act 2017 and County Assembly of Samburu Standing Orders his suitability or otherwise for appointment to the position of Chief Officer.

Pursuant to section 7 clause 8 and 9 and section 8 of public appointment County Assemblies approval Act 2017 the committee observed that the nominee Mr. Lesilele Lysson met the integrity threshold, demonstrated knowledge of topical administrative and technical issues touching on the position of the Chief Officer for education and had requisite abilities, academic qualifications and professional experience to be approved for appointment as County Chief Officer in accordance with Section 45 Clause 1A and B, for the County Government Act 2012.

Having conducted the approval hearings for the nominee in accordance with the constitution County Assembly Act 2012 public appointment County Assemblies Approval Act 2017 and

County Assembly of Samburu Standing Order number 46 Clause 4, the committee recommended that this assembly approves the nomination of Mr. Lesilele Lysson for appointment as the chief officer for education under the department of education, vocational training by His Excellency the Governor.

May I take this opportunity to thank all honorable members of the committee for their input and valuable contribution and time during approval hearing and report writing. The committee also takes this opportunity to thank the office of the Speaker and the office of the Clerk of the County Assembly of Samburu for technical support accorded to the committee during this exercise.

On behalf of the committee on education and vocational training and pursuant to provisions of Section 9 Clause 2 of the Public Appointments County Assemblies Approval Act 2017 and provisions of Standing Order number 46, it's my pleasure and duty to present to the house the report of the committee on education and vocational training on the approval hearing of the nominee for the appointment to the position of Chief Officer. Thank you, Hon. Speaker.

**Specially Elected MCA,** (Hon. Lenamatiyo Silapia): Thank you, Hon. Speaker. I also stand to support the report and make my contribution as well. I take this opportunity to commend the committee on education for the comprehensive report that they brought to this house. When looking at the credentials of the nominee, he really deserved the position.

That is why the committee came up with a very comprehensive report to recommend that the nominee fits the position. As well, Hon. Speaker, today we have the department of education here to look on the issues and loopholes within the department. It is so prudent that today we are here to stand and recommend that we pass this report to enable that department to carry out their duties well.

Just because one month ago they were lacking a CO because you are here today as a speaker and today we are going to pass the report to enable the department to carry their duties well. Without forgetting the top management of the County Assembly for enabling this committee and also facilitating the committee to carry out their mandate as early as possible. Thank you Hon.



Speaker and I stand to urge the honorable members to support the report and consider as it is. Thank you.

**MCA Nyiro Ward**, (Hon. Lemoosa Jonathan): Honorable Speaker thank you for giving the chance. I also echo my voice on the same. We as the committee on education we didn't encounter any written petition against the nominee, nor did we have verbal and that is the reason why the committee had actually simply the work of vetting is to see the suitability and actually he met the credentials, the suitability to be nominated and the entire public never raised any query. This is why we found it necessary that we bring the report for his suitability. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

**The Speaker**, (Hon. Lenamarle Stephen): Honorable members I now put the question that taking into consideration the recommendations of the committee on education and vocational training in its report on the vetting of the nominee for approval as the Chief Officer Education laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023 and pursuant to the provisions of Section 9,2 of the Public Appointments County Assemblies Approval Act 2017 and Section 45 A and B, County Governments Act 2012 with the leave of this house, the County Assembly approves

1. The appointment of Mr. Lesilele lysson as the Chief Officer for Education.

**(The question was put and motion passed).**

## **MOTION**

**MCA Wamba North Ward**, (Hon. Lentukunye Christopher): Thank you, Mr. Speaker. I beg to move the following motion:

**THAT** taking into consideration the recommendation of the Committee on Appointments in its report on the vetting of the nominee for approval as the County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday July 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 and pursuant to the Provisions of Article 179,2 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 and any other relevant public appointment Acts maybe provided by any written law

and Samburu County Assembly Standing Orders with the leave of this house, this County Assembly approves the appointment of Mr. Lekimain Patrick as County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries. I call upon Hon. Leshimpiro to second the motion.

**The Speaker,** (Hon. Lenamarle Stephen): Honorable members, I now propose the question, that taking into consideration the recommendation of the Committee on Appointments in its report on the vetting of the nominee for approval as the County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries laid on the table of the Assembly on Tuesday July 4<sup>th</sup> 2023 and pursuant to the Provisions of Article 179,2 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 and any other relevant public appointment Acts maybe provided by any written law and Samburu County Assembly Standing Orders with the leave of this house, this County Assembly approves the appointment of Mr. Lekimain Patrick as County Executive Committee Member for Agriculture, Livestock, Veterinary Services and Fisheries.

**MCA Wamba North Ward,** (Hon. Lentukunye Christopher): Hon. Speaker, the County Assembly of Samburu Committee on Appointments is constituted pursuant to the provisions of the Standing Order number 193,1 and has executed its mandate in accordance with the provisions of the said Standing Order 193, 3 which mandates the committee to consider for approval by the County Assembly Appointments under Article 179,2 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010. Members of the County Executive Committees and any other relevant public appointments as maybe provided by any written law and Samburu County Assembly Standing Order.

The following are members of the committee:

1. Hon. Lenamarle Stephen – Chair.
2. Hon. Lelenkeju Jackson – Vice Chair.
3. Hon. Lemoosa Jonathan – Member.
4. Hon. Lentukunye Christopher – Member.
5. Hon. Leshimpiro Paul – Member.

6. Hon. Leleruk James Koileken– Member.
7. Hon. Lekirimpoto Stacy Nareyo – Member.
8. Hon. Lenyakopiro Charity – Member.
9. Hon. Leerte Patrick – Member.

**MCA Wamba North** (Hon. Christopher Lentukunye): Mr. Speaker, I will read the introduction of this, Mr. Speaker, and notification of H.E the Governor forwarded the nominee to the County Executive Committee Member, Mr. Speaker, pursuant to Article 179 (2) of Kenya 2010 and Section 6(1) of the public appointment, the County Assemblies Act 2017, H E the Governor forwarded to the Clerk of the County Assembly of Samburu the name of one nominee vied a letter dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 2023, **none ex one** for approval by the County Assembly and subsequent appointment as County executive Committee Member as per the table below:

- ✓ The name of the nominee is one **Mr. Lekimain Y Patrick** Department, Agriculture livestock veterinary Services and Fisheries. Mr. speaker on 22<sup>nd</sup> June ,2023, the Clerk of the County Assembly of Samburu pursuant to Section 6(2) and 7(4) of the Public Appointments, (County Assembly Approval Act 2017) notified the nominee and Members of the public of the time for holding of the approval hearings. The Clerk further notified the public of Section 7(10) of the said Act which provide

That any person may prior to the approval hearings, and by written statement on oath provide the Clerk with evidence contesting the suitability of a candidate to hold the office to which the candidate has been nominated.

Mr. Speaker the Committee complied with the Constitutional requirements, legal provisions and established procedures throughout the vetting process. The committee facilitated public participation and openness in all vetting proceedings. The nominee is aged 44 years old, married in Maralal Ward and lives from Ndoto Ward.

Mr. Speaker allow me to read the Committee findings on Mr. Lekimain Y Patrick. Mr. Speaker the Committee found the nominee to be academically and professionally qualified for the position. He has the requisite experience and therefore can handle the portfolio of County executive committee member for Agriculture livestock veterinary services and fisheries. The nominee has also an in-depth understanding an interest in the portfolio nominated to, he is precise, coherent, eloquent and prompt. He exhibited ability to solve professional matters diligently. He scored an average of 89.3 from the assessment made by the select Committee on appointment using schedule two criteria set out in public appointments, County Assemblies. Mr. Speaker sir, in view of the above, the committee therefore recommended for the approval of Mr. Lekimain Y Patrick for appointment to the position of County Executive Committee Member, Agriculture Livestock Veterinary Services and Fisheries. Thank you Mr. Speaker.

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Esther Lenolkulal): Asante Mheshimiwa Spika, Mheshimiwa Spika nimesimama , napongeza committee kwa kazi mzuri na pia kwa Report mzuri wametuletea na vile Mheshimiwa Spika tunajua ya kuwa Department ya Agriculture ndo tunategemea Wakulima , Wakulima wafugaji ambayo wangekaa hivo bila kuwa na CECM, haingekuwa vizuri sana kwa ubande wa ukulima.

Kwa hivyo Mr. Lekimain tumesikia Ripoti yake vile Komitii wamesema na mimi nasupport ,tunashukuru Komitii . Asante Mheshimiwa Spika.

**MCA Ang'ata Nanyokie Ward**, (Hon. Paul Husima Leshimpiro): Thank you Hon. Speaker, Hon. Speaker I rise to support the Report of the Committee and I'm also a member of the same. Hon. Speaker looking at the credentials of the nominee, we saw that he was really suitable to hold that position beside having the requisite academic and work experience, the nominee also come from both an arid land and he also has a very good history and he has stayed in this arable land. So in the said Department of Agriculture, the nominee is very much suitable because he can take care of all the projects and services that are offered by the County Government in both lowlands and highlands, So the Member is very suitable

The member is also looks very passionate to the work of the Agriculture, he seems to have a very good knowledge and practice of Agricultural Services. So to us, we thought that as Committee, this is an asset to us and as a County and he is going to improve our food security and improve on Agricultural services like the SMART Agriculture. Thank you Hon. Speaker I support.

**The Speaker** (Mr. Steve Lenamarle): Hon. Members, I now put the question THAT taking you to consideration the recommendation of the committee on appointments in its Report on the vetting of nominee for approval as the County Executive Member for Agriculture Livestock Veterinary Services and Fisheries laid on the table of Assembly on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July, 2023 and pursuant to the provision of Article 179(1)2 of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 and any other relevant public appointments as maybe provided by the law and Samburu County Assembly Standing Orders with the leave of this house, the County Assembly approves the appointment of Mr. Lekimain Y Patrick as the County Executive Committee member for Agriculture Livestock Veterinary Services and Fisheries.

**(The Question was put and passed)**

### **MOTION**

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Charity Lenyakopiro): Thank you Hon. Speaker, Hon. Speaker I beg to move the following motion that pursuant to standing order 47 the County Assembly debates and adopts the report of the committee of finance economic planning and ICT on the County integrated development plan (CIDP) 2023, 2027 thank you Mr. Speaker I call upon Hon Ali to second.

**The Speaker**, (Mr. Steve Lenamarle): Hon Members I now propose the question THAT person to standing order 47 of the County Assembly debates and adopts the report of the committee on finance economic planning and ICT on the County Integrated Development Plan(CIDP) 2023 to 2027

**Specially Elected MCA**, (Hon. Charity Lenyakopiro): Thank you Mr. Speaker the preparation of the County Integrated Development Plans (CIDP) is guided by section 108 of the County

Government act 2012 and section 126 of the public management act 2012 this plan is a key instrument in the budget making process as it lays down the county development priorities and forms the basis for resource allocation and spending in the County for the next five years the plan has been linked with National development plans such as Kenya vision 2030 medium term plans and the national special plan among other policy documents this linkage will ensure effective use of resources and building efficient in achievement of the Kenya vision 2030 objective.

Mr. Speaker, the Samburu CIDP (County Integrated Development Project) is the third plan to be prepared in Samburu County Government since the inception of the Constitution of Kenya 2010. The plan aims to achieve socio-economic transformation in the next five years. This will be realized through; investment in key sectors of Water, Agriculture and Infrastructure, Health, Education, Trade, Industrialization, Youth empowerment among others.

The plan will offer the County a chance to reach investors both locally and internationally to venture into a rich wide and vast area of investments opportunities and help the County to implement the many flagships' projects outlined. The successful implementation of the CIDP and its annual ADPs (Annual Development Plan) is estimated to cost KShs.39.6 billion out of which Kshs.32.2 billion will be funded internally and 7.3 billion is expected to be mobilized from development partners over the next five years. This is pecked on vibrant and innovative resource mobilization strategies. The CIDP becomes the County's contract with the people of Samburu to run the affairs of the County for the next five years.

Mr. Speaker, the County Government Act and Public Finance Management Act 2012, has placed significant responsibilities on the County Assemblies as related to Financial Management in particular regarding resource mobilization, planning, allocation, monitoring and evaluation.

Mr. Speaker the Finance Economic Planning and ICT Committee is established under the provision of Standing Order 187. As currently constituted, the Committee comprises of the following Members:

- i. Hon. Loloju Joseph – Chairperson.
- ii. Hon. Charity Lenyakopiro – Member.
- iii. Hon. Asha Mohammed – Member.
- iv. Hon. Ali Lealmusia – Member.
- v. Hon. Leerte Patrick – Member.
- vi. Hon. Lemantaan – Member.
- vii. Hon. Francis Lemartile – Member.

### **The Committee Mandate and Legal Framework**

Mr. Speaker, the Committee on Finance, Economic Planning and ICT is constituted pursuant to the provision of Standing Order 187 which states that: *There shall be a select Committee to be known as the County Finance, Economic Planning and ICT Committee. The Committee shall constitute of the Chairperson and not more than six other members. The function of the committee shall be to:*

- i. Investigate, enquire into and report on all matters related to coordination, control and monitoring of the County Budget.*
- ii. Discuss and review the Annual Development Plans and make recommendation to the County Assembly.*
- iii. Examine the County Fiscal Strategy Paper presented to the County Assembly.*
- iv. Examine bills related to the County finance, including finance bills and evaluate tax estimates, economic and budgetary policies and programme with direct planning and finance out list.*

The examination of the County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP), 2023/2027. Mr. Speaker as required by the County Government Act 2012, the Integrated Development Plan, was tabled in County Assembly and was committed to the Finance, Economic Planning and ICT Committee where it was examined and discussed.

Therefore, the Finance, Economic Planning and ICT held a public participation exercise on 3<sup>rd</sup> June, 2023 in various sub-counties in the County. The views of the public have been captured in this report. The Committee also held discussions with the Members of the County Assembly representing various Wards before finalizing this report. The recommendations arising from each of these discussions are contained in this report.

Mr. Speaker, once approved by the House, the CIDP will form the basis of the preparation on County Annual Development Plan for the next five years which will form budget preparation as required by Section 113 of the County Government Act.

Mr. Speaker, the Committee is generally indebted to all stakeholders without whose invaluable input the production of this report would not have been a success, in particular and with profound humility I wish to express utmost gratitude to the Members of this Honorable Committee, Members representing County Assembly Wards, all Honorable Members, the general public and all stakeholders who attended the Committee sittings and or public forum for this thoughtful engagement and commitment in the consideration of this County Integrated Development Plan(CIDP) 2023/2027.

Further, the Committee specifically thanks the Office of the Speaker and the Clerk of the County Assembly for lending the material and logistic support to the Committee which has resulted in the production of this report, in the same breath and with appreciation, I on behalf of the Members wish to categorically acknowledge the technical and professional support from the Committee secretariat and the partners, United States Agency for International Development (USAID) NAWIRI.

Mr. Speaker, it is therefore my pleasant undertaking on behalf of the Budget and Appropriation Committee to table this report and recommend the House for adoption. Mr. Speaker, the County Integrated Plan is a development blueprint for the County in the next five years, this plan forms the basis for resources allocation and spending in the County and no public funds shall be appropriated outside this planning framework developed by the County Executive Committee and approved by the County Assembly. The CIDP sets out broad strategy priorities and policy



goals that will guide the County Government of Samburu in preparing their Budget in the next five years.

Mr. Speaker, the CIDP shall be implemented annually through the Annual Development Plans that will give priorities, objectives and performance targets set by the County. This Annual Development Plan shall inform the County's Budget for each year. The CIDP will also be used to prepare action plan for the implementation of the strategies identified by the County. Adherence to the legal framework for the County Integrated Plan.

Mr. Speaker, the format and content of the CIDP plan should be in line with provisions of the various relevant legal instruments such as the County Government Act 2012, Public Finance Management Act 2012 among other policy documents.

In review, the CIDP the Committee established that; to a large extent the CIDP 2023/2027 has complied with the provision of the law and has provided most of the required information.

**Analysis of the County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP).**

### **Departmental Projects**

Mr. Speaker, the law requires that the County should only allocate funds and implement programs and projects that have been factored in the CIDP 2023/2027. Mr. Speaker the Committee noted that some Departments had stalled projects, the Committee recommends that those projects should be assessed and completed to avoid loss of public funds. On the ongoing projects, multi-year projects they were concerned on the slow paced on completion of ongoing projects. The Committee noted that, departments lack plans and projection on the actual cost of the project and the timeframe required for its implementation, this delay increases the cost of the projects. In the future, the Executive is urged to do proper planning before embarking on the multi-year project.

Mr. Speaker, most Departments provided resource summary for each Ward, it was noted that, there is skewed resource allocation across the Wards. The County Executive is therefore required to develop a policy on how resources would be allocated in Wards.

### **Recommendations of the Committee**

Mr. Speaker, the Committee urges this House to adapt this report and resolve the following;

- I. The County Assembly adopts all the ongoing projects in the County Integrated Development Plans as proposed by the County Executive.
- II. The County Assembly programs and projects as captured under priority interventions be part of the County Integrated Development Plans 2023/2027.
- III. The new programs and projects as listed under priorities intervention be part of the County Integrated Development Plans 2023/2027.
- IV. The programs and projects proposed by the public be incorporated in the CIDP.
- V. The Committee recommends that those projects that has been stalled to be accessed and completed to avoid loss of public funds and the ongoing projects, multi-year projects. The Committee was concerned on the slow paced of the completion of the projects.

**MCA Poro Ward**, (Hon. Leerte Patrick): Tumezunguka hizo sub-county zote tatu na Hon. Speaker, yale report ambayo iko kwa Committee ni yale ambayo wenyeji wamesema. Kuna mahali wamerekebisha kwamba wanataka hii badala ya hii. Kwa hivyo katika hiyo kutembea kwetu, Hon. Speaker, kuna mahali ambayo tumegundua kwamba kuna revenue clerks wanatakiwa kama mahali tumeenda, kama Nachola kuna mahali inachukuliwa mawe Hon. Speaker na hakuna hata wale revenue clerks ambaye wanaweza kuchukua revenue na tumeweka kwa report.

Hon. Speaker hio kitu na pia upande ya Achers, kuna mahali pia inatakiwa revenue clerks kwa sababu kuna vitu wazungu wanafinya huko kuna kitu eti inafanywa huko na tuliweka kwa hio report. Kwa hivyo, Hon. Speaker, kutembea kwetu ilikua ni mzuri kwa sababu kuna vitu ingine

ambayo saa ingine huwa inaandikwa lakini kwa ground wenyeji saa zingine hawataki hio ama priority yao sio hio.

Kwa hivyo, Mheshimiwa Spika, nashukuru wale ambao walitengeneza hiyo safari ya kutembea mahali tumeenda hasa partners ambao walikuwa wanaitwa PACIDA waliweza kufanikisha kwa hivyo ninaunga mkono hii Hon House ipitishie na iweze kuweka mkazo Mr. Speaker kwamba yale ambayo yameandikwa kwa Report isiwe tu imeandikwa lakini wale ambao wanatakiwa kufanya ama kutekeleza waweze kutekeleza kama vile imeandikwa kwa sababu yale project yote yameandikwa nafikiri executive wameweka kwa hivyo kama walikuwa wamesema wataweka nilikuwa naomba kwamba yale ambayo walikuwa wamesema na sisi tumeshaenda kwa wananchi tumewambia na wamekubali iweze kutiliwa maanane kwamba itafanyika within the period 2023 hadi 2027 thank you Mr Speaker.

**Specially Elected MCA (Hon. Osman Dube):** asanti sana mweshimiwa spika ninaunga mkono kwa sababu hii kamati nashukuru kwa sababu wamefanya kazi kitu haijawahi fanyika na ikakumbuka shule ya disability kujengwa leo mimi hapa kusimama naweza simama kwa miguu mbili watu wanafikiri mguu ni moja leo naweza simama na miguu mbili ni mzuri wakati kuweka kitu flani ifanyike na sio karatasi kuwekwa kwa karatasi kamati imefanya kazi yake lakini akienda kufanyiwa kazi mungu akiweka sisi hai lazima tufuatilie lazima kazi ifanyike kwa Assembly ya tatu tumefunga mshipi lazima kazi ifanyike ni mzuri ukumbuke kila mahali sahi wakati mheshimiwa Chair anasoma mimi napitia karatasi moja kwa moja iko mahali inafurahisha mimi iko mahali kidogo inakasirisha lakini kifika kwangu mimi nikafurahi yote tunaunga mkono kazi ifanyike asanti.

**Specially Elected MCA (Hon. Asha Mohammed):** Thank you Mr. Speaker I would like to thank the Committee for the commendable job you have done including myself we went round and also we collected views of our people there are some sub Counties that we went through and see some projects that are not even important but the committee captured all of them and also some paces which we need revenue offices revenue clerks like Nachola and also Archers another thing I would like to thank our PACIDA for allowing us to go around and also the County Assembly

and also what we have captured in this I would like to ask the Hon. Members kindly lets support this thing and pass it thank you.

**MCA Nyiro Ward**, (Hon. Jonathan Lemoosa): Thank you Mr. Speaker much as I support the report on CIDP but there are few Areas actually which needs to be noted because this is a five year plan and actually if we miss a point it becomes hard to finance projects which actually needs to be funded for example as we were walking as we were indulging and interrogating the public on budgeting there is this area called Malaso, Malaso actually has a view point and it's a place which needs to have a few revenue offices such that we don't miss the revenue so this is very important to note before we conclude much as we support two there are areas which were proposed and I think because of either typing or something there is some omission like Loruko in Nyiro.

Most of the Members who Have visited Nyiro Loruko actually is a center which is in the middle of nowhere because they need a dispensary because it is actually 16 km from South Horr 30 km to Baragoi and 15km to Waso Rongai so this center we proposed to be part of government funding in the subsequent funding of the CIDP there is also areas like Tuum and Wasorongai slaughter houses and there is no revenue but you see but there are no revenue clerks meaning the County Government is losing this are some of the loop holes we are saying if we could tighten then we abound to increase our revenue collection.

Therefore, wish the clerks and the committee to consider this after we have passed as part of our additional revenue sources and maybe some services otherwise I wish to commend committee in its superb piece of work and the office of the Speaker and the clerk and our partners so thank you Mr. Speaker.

**Specially Elected MCA** (Hon. Silapia Lenamatiyo): Thank you Mr. Speaker for giving me another chance to share my concern Mr. Speaker when we talk about the CIDP, CIDP is a plan a 5yr plan M r Speaker it's very important and it's so prudent when we make a CIDP just to put on the shelves of the executive and also to county assembly and not going to be implemented.

Mr. Speaker some months back we passed the supplementary tool and we saw some projects just put in the supplementary they are not in the CIDP and also in the main Budget so Mr. Speaker I just want to urge this House as we go on we have to look at our CIDP on issues of making Budget It's our guideline on how we are going to make our every year Budget so I don't think it's so we just make CIDP to be in shelves and not following the CIDP to guide us in Budget making process.

Another issue Mr. Speaker CIDP is a guideline when I go through this CIDP I saw all the departments are captured within the 15 wards and the other day when we were passing Budget I saw the whole department with no even with a single like now Wamba North where I came from when you look the department of lands there is no even a single project that has been implemented in that ward and when you look at the same CIDP we have several projects here or proposals from the CIDP.

Why are we making in the CIDP that we have project of Land in Wamba North Ward and there is no any in Budget making process? So it seems that we are not guided by our CIDP, Mr. Speaker I stand to support the CIDP and I call upon the Honorable Members even the elected members as you make your ward fund budget please let us follow the CIDP. Thank you very much, I stand to support.

**The Speaker**, (Mr. Lenamarle Stephen) Hon. Member, I now stand to put a question **THAT** pursuant to Standing Order No.47 the county assembly debates and adopts the reports of the Committee on Finance Economic Planning and ICT on the County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP) 2023-2027.

**(The was put and passed)**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Hon. Members pursuant to Standing Order 27/3 I wish to notify you that in accordance to county assembly calendar this assembly will adjourn till 11<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 2:30 pm.

