

**REPUBLIC OF KENYA**  
**NYANDARUA COUNTY ASSEMBLY**  
**2<sup>ND</sup> ASSEMBLY- 1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION**

**OFFICIAL REPORT**

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November, 2017

*The Assembly met at the Assembly Chamber at 2.30 pm.*

*[The Speaker (Hon. Ndegwa Wahome) in the Chair]*

Prayer

**QUORUM CALL AT THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SITTING**

*(The clerk-at-the-table confirms that there is no quorum)*

**Speaker:** Very well, quorum having not been recognized, I now direct pursuant to Standing Order no. 35 that the quorum bell be rung for an initial ten minutes or until such a time within the ten minutes that quorum will have been achieved.

*(Quorum bell is rung for an initial ten minutes and quorum is not achieved as confirmed by the Clerk-at-the-table)*

Hon. Members, pursuant to Standing Order No. 35(2), I direct that the bell be rang for a further and final five minutes.

*(Quorum bell is rung for three minutes and quorum is achieved as confirmed by the clerk-at-the-table)*

Very well, quorum having been achieved, we shall proceed with the business for the session.

First order.

**NOTICE OF MOTION**

**ESTABLISHMENT OF INTER-GOVERNMENTAL JOINT COMMITTEE**

Very well, Member for Shamata, Hon. Gitau Rueben.

**Hon. Rueben Gitau:** Thank you Mr Speaker. I beg to give notice of the following motion:

Aware that Article 189(2) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that the National Government and the County Government shall cooperate in the performance of functions and exercise of powers and for that purpose, they set up joint committees and joint authorities.

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Further aware that article 201 (1) (b) (iii) of the Constitution of Kenya 2010 provides that expenditure shall promote the equitable development of country including by making special provisions for marginalized groups and areas.

Concerned that Nyandarua County has been generally socio-economically marginalized especially in terms of infrastructural developments compared to other counties,

Further concerned that the revenue allocation for the county cannot effectively spur much needed economic development.

Noting that the President of the Republic of Kenya appreciates that Nyandarua County is marginalized and needs infrastructural development and has severally made promises to the effect that the National Government shall initiate several development projects in the County,

Further noting that such promises may not be effected due to lack of clear mechanisms,

Now therefore, this House urges the Governor to initiate consultations and negotiations with National Government in a view to establish and Inter-governmental Joint Committee to oversee development in the county while sourcing for necessary funding for the purpose.

Thank you Mr Speaker.

**Speaker:** Very well notice of that particular motion is given. The House Business Committee shall give directions on how the same shall be processed.

Next order.

### ADJOURNMENT

Very well, Hon. Members, having dispensed the business at hand for this afternoon, this House will now adjourn to tomorrow Wednesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 2017 at 9.00 am.

*(The House rose at 2.50 pm.)*