



**THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF THARAKA NITHI**

**SECOND ASSEMBLY – (FOURTH SESSION)**

**ORDER PAPER**

**TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15TH, 2020 AT 9.30 A.M.**

**PRAYERS**

1. Administration of Oath
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3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion (as listed in the appendix)
7. Statements
8. **\*\*\*THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH RIGHTS BILL, 2020**  
(Chairperson- Committee on Health Services)  
(*Second Reading*)
9. **\*\*\*THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY LIVESTOCK SALES YARD BILL, 2020**  
(Chairperson- Committee on Trade, Tourism and Cooperatives)  
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10. **\*\*\*THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY E-WASTE MANAGEMENT BILL, 2020**  
(Chairperson- Committee Water, Environment & Natural Resources)  
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11. **\*\*\*THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT MANAGEMENT BILL, 2020**  
(Chairperson- Committee on Transport, Public Works & Infrastructure)  
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APPENDIX

**NOTICE OF MOTION**

**MOTION- ESTABLISHMENT OF GENDER BASED VIOLENCE RESCUE**

**CENTER**

(Hon. Nthiga Milcent Muggana)

**AWARE THAT;** Article 27 and 28 of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010, provides that no any person shall be discriminated on any ground, including race, sex, pregnancy, marital status, health status, ethnic or social origin, colour, age, disability, religion, conscience, belief, culture, dress, language or birth and that every person has inherent dignity and the right to have that dignity respected and protected.

**FURTHER AWARE THAT;** National Gender and Equality Commission (NGEC) is an established Independent Commission on human rights whose mandate is promoting gender equality and freedom from discrimination, with a special focus on special interest groups including women, youth, children, persons with disabilities, the elderly and minority or marginalized communities has established Policy and Legal Framework on Gender Based Violence for County Governments.

**CONCERNED THAT;** during this Covid-19 Pandemic period, there has been a distressing upward trend on gender based violence victims despite the existence of the Policy and Legal Framework on Gender Based Violence;

**DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT;** the County Government of Tharaka Nithi has neither established gender based violence desks at health facilities nor a rescue center to offer treatments and counseling services to the gender based violence victims/survivors.

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