

THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF THARAKA NITHI

THIRD ASSEMBLY - (THIRD SESSION)

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 31ST, 2024 AT 9.30 A.M

- 1. The House (County Assembly) assembled at thirty minutes past nine O'clock.
- **2.** The proceedings were opened with prayer said by the Hon. Speaker.
- **3.** Communication from the Chair

The chair made the following communication

"Honourable Members,

It is my pleasure to welcome you back from the Long recess.

Honorable Members,

The Tharaka Nithi County Assembly and the Tharaka Nithi County Executive Supplementary Budget (I) for the Financial Year 2023/2024 were received in the County Assembly on 17th January, 2024.

In line with the House resolution of 5th October, 2022 I committed the Supplementary Budgets to the Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations for consideration vide letter TN/CA/ADM/3/VOL.III/612 dated 18th January, 2024.

Consequently, pursuant to the provisions of Standing order 40 (1-3) I received a request by the leader of Majority party for a special sitting today Wednesday

31st January, 2024 with the business to be transacted being approval of the Tharaka Nithi County Executive and County Assembly Supplementary Budget (I) for the FY 2023/2024 and the Tharaka Nithi County Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2024.

Subsequently, I gave notice of this special sitting vide Gazette notice number 749 in the Kenya Gazette of Friday 26th January, 2023.

The House is accordingly guided.

I thank you".

4. Papers

The following paper was laid on the table of the House

i) The Report of the Select Committee on Finance Budget and Appropriations on the Tharaka Nithi County Executive and County Assembly Supplementary Budget(I) for the Financial Year 2023/2024.

5. Notices of Motion

The following notice of motion was issued

i) NOTICE OF MOTION- ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE
SELECT COMMITTEE ON FINANCE BUDGET AND
APPROPRIATIONS ON THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY
EXECUTIVE AND COUNTY ASSEMBLY SUPPLEMENTARY
BUDGET(I) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023/2024

(Hon. Muchiri Godfrey Murithi – Chairperson Select Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

THAT; this County Assembly pursuant to the provisions of Section 135 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 adopts the report of the Select Committee on Finance Budget and

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Appropriations on the County Executive and County Assembly Supplementary Budget (I) for the Financial Year 2023/2024.

6. MOTION - ADOPTION OF THE REPORT OF THE SELECT COMMITTEE ON FINANCE BUDGET AND APPROPRIATIONS ON THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND COUNTY ASSEMBLY SUPPLEMENTARY BUDGET(I) FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR 2023/2024

Order Read;

THAT; this County Assembly pursuant to the provisions of Section 135 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 adopts the report of the Select Committee on Finance Budget and Appropriations on the County Executive and County Assembly Supplementary Budget (I) for the Financial year 2023/2024.

Motion made and Question proposed;

Debate arising;

There being no any other member wishing to contribute;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY

THAT; this County Assembly pursuant to the provisions of Section 135 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 adopts the report of the Select Committee on Finance Budget and Appropriations on the County Executive and County Assembly Supplementary Budget (I) for the Financial year 2023/2024.

7. PROCEDURAL MOTION-REDUCTION OF PUBLICATION PERIOD OF THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2024.

Order read

THAT; pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 149(5) this County Assembly resolves to reduce the publication period of the Tharaka Nithi Appropriation Bill, 2024 from 7days to 1 day.

Motion made and Question proposed;

Debate arising;

There being no any other member wishing to contribute;

Mover replied;

Question put and agreed to.

RESOLVED ACCORDINGLY

THAT; pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order 149(5) this County Assembly resolves to reduce the publication period of the Tharaka Nithi Appropriation Bill, 2024 from 7days to 1 day.

Motion made and Question proposed

8. THE SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL (THARAKA NITHI COUNTY BILLS OF 2024)

(Chairperson Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

(First Reading)

The Tharaka Nithi County Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2024 having been read a first time was committed to the Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations.

(Hon. Muchiri Godfrey Murithi- Select Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

9. MOTION - THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2024

(Hon. Muchiri Godfrey Murithi- Select Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

(Second reading)

Order for the second reading Read;

Motion made and Question proposed;

That; the Tharaka Nithi County Supplementary Appropriation Bill,

2024 be now read a Second Time.

(Chairperson, Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

Debate arising;

Question put and agreed to.

Thereupon, the House Resolved into a Committee.

10. COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

<u>Clause 2</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

Schedule - agreed to

<u>Title</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

<u>Clause 1</u> - <u>agreed to</u>

Motion made and question proposed;

That the Committee do Report to the County Assembly its consideration of The Tharaka Nithi County Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2024 and its approval thereof without amendments.

(Chairperson, Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

Question put and agreed to.

HOUSE RESUMED - Hon. Speaker on the Chair

THE THARAKA NITHI COUNTY SUPPLEMENTARY APPROPRIATION BILL, 2024

Bill reported without amendments;

Motion made and Question proposed;

That, the Assembly do agree with the Committee of the Whole in it consideration of the Tharaka Nithi County Appropriation Bill, 2024.

(Chairperson, Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

Question put and agreed to.

Motion made and Question proposed -

THAT, the Tharaka Nithi County Supplementary Appropriation Bill, 2024 be now read a Third Time.

(Chairperson, Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations)

Question put and agreed to.

Bill read a Third Time and passed.

9. COUNTY ASSEMBLY ROSE - at thirty minutes past twelve O'clock.

<u>MEMORANDUM</u>

The Speaker will take the Chair on the day to be reconvened on notice by the Honorable Speaker pursuant to the House Resolution of 27th June, 2023.