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ORDER OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY 8TH MARCH, 2023 AT 2:30 P.M

ORDER OF BUSINESS

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1. MOTION

Hon. Speaker Sir, I beg to move the following motion;

THAT, Aware that Paragraph twelve (12) of Part two (2) of the Fourth Schedule to the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 devolves the responsibility for firefighting and disaster management to the County Governments,

NOTING THAT the County, and in particular Dadaab sub county has recently experienced fire disasters especially in the Refugees market centers and other unplanned settlements in the county.

FURTHER NOTING THAT, such fires cause considerable property damage and immense suffering to citizens,

DEEPLY CONCERNED THAT most firefighting equipment such as fire engines and personnel are stationed only at the County Headquarters (thus making it difficult for timely

response to fire disasters due to lack of appropriate access roads to ensure efficient movement of the fire-engines whenever the fire disasters happens,

Now therefore this Assembly urges the Department of land and Urban Development to deploy one fire fighter and the requisite personnel's to Dadaab Sub County Headquarter, in order to support Dadaab and its environs for timely and effective response.

HON. OMAR ABDI HASSAN

MCA DAMAJALE WARD

2. MOTION

Hon. Speaker Sir, I beg to move the following motion;

Aware that health Services is a devolved function of the County Governments; further aware that there is a gross shortage of medical staff in Abakaile Ward Health facilities thereby limiting the residents' access to basic Health care services;

NOTING THAT Ali kune and Kumuhumate dispensaries are centrally located within the Ward giving the resident easy access to these facilities and thus aspires to be improved to the level of health Centers.

Concerned that significant number of people in Abakaile Ward loses their lives to easily curable, manageable and preventable diseases;

Further concerned that a number of health facilities developed under the County Government and other Agencies remain non-operational due to lack of medical personnel; taking into account that Article 43 of the Constitution entitles every person to adequate and accessible health care;

Further taking into account that the Government of Kenya has adopted policies on free maternity services, and community health strategy in order to promote the prevention and detection of diseases at the household level, **Now therefore** this Assembly urges the County Executive Committee Member for Health Services to;

1. Improve the Conditions of Ali kune, Abakaile and Kumuhumate Dispensaries to the level of Health centers
2. Map out all the non-operational public health facilities within the County and deploy medical personnel to these facilities according to the catchment population,
3. Provide adequate supply of medicine and medical equipment to all the non-operational and operational public health facilities in Abakaile ward and the larger County,
4. Deploy adequate health personnel to all the public health facilities in Abakaile ward
5. Establish and facilitate the management of the community health units at the Ward level.

HON. HAJIR M. DAHIYE
MCA ABAKAILE WARD