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COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF GARISSA GARISSA COUNTY ASSEMBLY



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ORDER OF THE DAY

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY, 2024 AT 2:30 PM

ORDER OF BUSINESS

- 1. Administration of Oath
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Hon Speaker, I beg to move the following motion;

THAT Aware That, the County Government of Garissa is tasked with overseeing the administration of key municipalities - Garissa, Dadaab, Masalani, and Bura, as per the the County Governments Act, 2012, Urban Areas and Cities Act, 2011, and their respective municipal charters

Further Aware That, in alignment with Section 37 of the County Government Act, 2012, which mandates the executive committee to monitor and ensure the integrated development plan of municipalities is effectively implemented;

ACKNOWLEDGING That, the significance of granting autonomy to municipalities for effective service delivery and sustainable growth, as provided in Section 9 of the Urban Areas and Cities Act,(Rev)2022

RECOGNIZING That, the governance and management functions outlined in Section 12 and Section 20 of the Urban Areas and Cities Act, emphasizing the need for proper administration and oversight within municipalities;

Whereas, challenges such as budget constraints and delayed fund release hinder the municipalities of Garissa, Dadaab, Masalani, and Bura in serving their communities effectively as per the recent Audit reports

RECOGNIZING That, granting autonomy to these municipalities will enhance resource management, revenue generation, infrastructure development, and service provision, as stipulated in the Urban Areas and Cities Act, Rev 2022, the County Governments Act, 2012 and respective municipal Charters

THEREFORE, I propose the immediate granting of autonomy to the municipalities of Garissa, Dadaab, Masalani, and Bura by the County Government of Garissa, in adherence to the relevant laws

Now Therefore, this Assembly compels the County Government of Garissa to empower these municipalities with autonomy to fulfill their responsibilities, address challenges, and promote sustainable growth within Garissa County.

(HON OMAR ABDI HASSAN –MCA DAMAJALE WARD)