

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF MOMBASA THE HANSARD

Wednesday, 15th February, 2023 **Third Assembly – Eighth Sitting**

[The County Assembly met at 2:57p.m. at the County Assembly Buildings] [The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu Makarani) in the Chair]

PRAYERS

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes Clerk.

STATEMENT

SUBMISSION OF COUNTY INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT PLAN (CIDP), THE ANNUAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN (ADP) AND THE COUNTY FISCAL STRATEGY PAPER (CFSP) TO THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

Yes, Honourable Amriya Boy Juma, MCA of Mjambere Ward.

Hon. Amriya Juma: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. I rise pursuant to Standing Order 41 (2) (C) to request for a statement from the Chairperson, Committee on Finance, Budget and Appropriations, regarding the status and submission on the County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP), the Annual Development Plan (ADP) and the County Fiscal Strategy paper (CFSP) to this County Assembly cognizant of relevant laws on the date of submission to this Honourable House. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, Chairman Finance or Vice Chair? Yes, Honourable Hamida?

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker. Mr. Speaker Sir, we will get back to the Member as soon as we get feedback from the Executive. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, Honourable Amriya.

Hon. Amriya Juma: Mr. Speaker Sir, I have heard from the Vice Chair of Finance but I am not satisfied. Mr. Speaker, cognizant to the timeframe the CIDP has lapsed last year December also our ADP timelines have lapsed, also CFSP supposed to be in by yesterday. So, we are out of time Mr. Speaker and the response by the Vice to state that they will respond as the Executive will respond.

I think I will be comfortable if they state that the response will come in seven days or in the next sitting Mr. Speaker having it open is not convenient. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you and I am requesting the Committee in Finance to give a response in a weeks' time. Yes, Honourable Mwinyi.

STATEMENT

TURNING MARIMANI LEVEL 4 HOSPITAL INTO A REHABILITATION CENTER

Hon. Mwinyi Mtoto: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. I request for a statement on turning Marimani Level 4 hospital into a rehabilitation center. Mr. Speaker Sir, pursuant to Standing Order 41 section 2(c) I wish to request for a statement from the Chairman of Committee on Health Services regarding plans by the Department of Health to turn Marimani Level 4 Hospital into a rehabilitation center. Mr. Speaker Sir, Marimani Hospital has served the residents of Mwakirunge well since its inception and has made the residents travel shorter distances to access healthcare. The plan to change the hospital into a rehabilitation center may affect the residents of Mwakirunge in accessing their healthcare needs without travelling for a long distance. Honourable Speaker, in the statement the Chairperson should inquire into the report and why the Department of Health plans to change Marimani Hospital into a rehabilitation center; two, where will the Department of Health transfer its health services when the hospital is turned into a rehabilitation center. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Chairman Health Committee or any other member from that Committee. Yes Chairman.

Hon. Ogutu: We will give the response in three weeks' time owing to the fact that we do not have the County Executive Committee Member for the department yet.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): But Honourable Ogutu, we have existing CECM's.

Hon. Ogutu: Chair, I think for a comprehensive response we need three weeks.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): I can see the Member is satisfied so...

Hon. Mwinyi Mtoto: I am not satisfied.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu): You are not satisfied?

[Laughter]

Hon. Mwinyi Mtoto: Mheshimiwa Spika nasema hii maneno ya Mwenyekiti kusema ya kwamba atachukua wiki tatu hiyo ni nyingi sana na hii maneno ni kama kule ina harakishwa ibadilishwe. Kwa hivyo lazima tupate mwafaka mapema sana.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Okay thank you I will request the Committee on Health to respond to this House in two weeks' time. Yes Clerk.

MOTION

ADOPTION OF REPORT ON REVIEW OF TASKFORCE REPORT ON MOMBASA COUNTY HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

Yes, Honourable Ogutu.

Hon. Ogutu: Mr. Speaker Sir, I beg to move the following Motion:

THAT, this House adopts the Report on Review of the Taskforce Report on Mombasa County Healthcare System

Mr. Speaker, I beg Honourable Mwinyi Mtoto to second.

Hon. Mwinyi Mtoto: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika, *I second*.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Members, I now propose a question that the Motion on adoption of the Report on the review of task force of Mombasa County Health Care System be debated in this House.

[Question proposed and agreed to]

Yes, Honourable Ogutu?

Hon. Ogutu: The report on the Review of task force on Mombasa County Health Care System.

'The right to health is a Human Right guaranteed in the Constitution of Kenya, 2010 under the Bill of Rights. Article 43 (1) (a) of the Constitution provides that; 'Every person has the right to the highest attainable standard of health, which includes the right to health care services, including reproductive health care.' Promulgation of the Constitution ushered in the devolution era and one of the notable changes brought about by devolution is decentralization of health service delivery function. The health function was transferred to County government pursuant to the Second Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya, 2010. Pursuant to Executive Order No. 1 of 2022 dated 22^{nd} September, 2022, His Excellency the

Pursuant to Executive Order No. 1 of 2022 dated 22nd September, 2022, His Excellency the Governor, Honourable Abdullswamad Sherrif Nassir established the Mombasa County Healthcare Task Force vide the Kenya Gazette Notice No. 11740, dated 30th September, 2022. The mandate of the Task Force entailed the following: -

- 1. To review the architecture of healthcare delivery including Human Resources for Health and ICT for Health in the County of Mombasa,
- 2. To assess the state of physical healthcare infrastructure including buildings and heavy and movable equipment in the County of Mombasa,
- 3. To audit the state of financing for healthcare in the County of Mombasa,
- 4. To evaluate the state of supply chains for healthcare in the County of Mombasa,
- 5. To recommend the upgrading and/or special purposing of existing medical facilities,
- 6. To audit public healthcare related human resource currently employed by the County Government and make recommendations on addressing the skills gap,
- 7. To assess and recommend the implementation of a comprehensive Health Management Information System for all County government Hospital,

- 8. To assess and recommend strategies on addressing disease burden and patterns,
- 9. To formulate lasting solutions towards achieving universal healthcare that is affordable and accessible in the County of Mombasa...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Ogutu, I think you have already laid the Report. So please you can just read the recommendations of your Committee so that the Members can debate.

Hon. Ogutu: Much obliged Mr. Speaker.

Observations and Findings

Committee Observation on the Architecture of Healthcare Delivery...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Ogutu, recommendations of your Committee.

Hon. Ogutu: Mr. Speaker, each and every thematic area has a recommendation, so I request to read through each and every thematic area with your guidance. Thank you.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Ogutu, you can highlight some of the recommendations from the different sectors but the report is already with the Members, so that the Members can debate just highlight some of the recommendations.

Hon. Ogutu: Page nine, task force recommended the following, the establishment...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Your Committee. It is now a document of the Committee.

Hon. Ogutu: Chair, the recommendations are based on, this is a Report on a Report Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, but your Committee has already laid this Report so it is not a Report of the task force it is a Report of the Health Committee. You own this Report so give us your recommendations as per your Committee.

Hon. Ogutu: Establishment of the Mombasa County Health Management Board,

- 1. A review of the Executive Order No.1 of June, 2019 establishing the Coast General Teaching and Referral Hospital (CGTRH) as a County corporation to ensure conformity to the Constitution and the applicable national and County legislation,
- 2. Review of the Mombasa County Health Act, 2018 and the Mombasa County Environmental Health and Sanitation Act, 2017 to provide enabling framework for the implementation of health system reform recommendations.

- 3. Operationalize and optimize all existing facilities to enhance operational efficiency and service delivery at various health system levels as per norms and standards.
- 4. Establishment of well-structure independent emergency response centre with adequate ambulances and call centres, GPS tracking and manned by adequately trained personnel.

Honourable Speaker, the Committee recommends; -

1. THAT, This House adopts the findings and recommendations of the Taskforce on the architecture of healthcare delivery,

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- 3. THAT, the County government to prioritize the establishment of dispensaries in the seven Wards where none exists and as a stop gap measure, the County government to install and equip mobile containers to be utilized as Dispensaries,
- 4. THAT, the County Assembly should amend the Mombasa County Health Act, 2018 and Mombasa County Environmental Health and Sanitation Act, 2017 to provide an enabling legal framework for sustainable health financing,

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6. THAT, the County Executive Committee Member for Finance to formulate Health Waiver Regulations in regard to medical fees and charges within six months of appointment to the office for approval by the County Assembly,

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- 8. THAT, the County Health Management Board and Hospital Management Board be operationalized to manage Health facilities that are categorized as Level 4 and below.
- 9. THAT, Marimani Outreach and Shika Adabu Outreach be repurposed to function as a drug and substance abuse rehabilitation Centre as recommended by the Taskforce,
- 10. THAT, Coast General Teaching and Referral Hospital (CGTRH) having been established by Executive Order NO. 1 of 2019, as a corporation, to continue to operate as a semi-autonomous entity; Its Executive Board to continue with its operations in accordance with the Executive Order. Further the Chief Executive Officer in Charge of CGTRH to have the same status as a Chief Officer pending the enactment of an Act of County Assembly which will anchor CGTRH in a parent legislation for posterity.

We are on page 12, recommendations.

- 1. Immediate review and clearance of health sector pending bills to ensure the completion of all ongoing and/or stalled infrastructure development projects,
- 2. Dispose and replace obsolete equipment in all facilities as per the Public Procurement and Asset Disposal Act,

- 3. Prioritize rehabilitation, renovation and maintenance of existing building infrastructure at all levels of care, giving priority to the old facilities with ageing and dilapidated building /infrastructure,
- 4. Explore Public Private Partnership models for equipment leasing and routine laboratory examination as a backup and histopathology and sample referral, and;
- 5. Prioritize the setting of Specialty Hospitals by upgrading and repurposing some existing facilities into centers of excellence in the provision of specialty health services

Honourable Speaker, the Committee recommends;

- 1. THAT, this House ratifies and adopts the findings and recommendations of the Task Force on the physical healthcare infrastructure,
- 2. THAT all health facilities should comply with section 22 (1) of the Persons with Disabilities Act, 2003 which provides: "A proprietor of a building shall adopt it to suit person with disabilities in such a manner specified by the Council",
- 3. That adequate budgetary allocations be provided for implementation of these recommendations,

We are on page 15, 3.4 (i);

Committee recommendations to strengthen County...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Ogutu, stick to the Committee recommendations because you have just read taskforce recommendations, please stick to your Committee recommendations.

Hon. Ogutu: Strengthen County health products and technologies, governance and management; Improving health products and technologies, Strengthening Human Resource capacity for HPT Management, Increase budget allocation and investment in Health Products and Technologies.

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Ogutu, the Committee recommendations are on page 17.

Hon. Ogutu: Mr. Speaker, at each and every thematic area we gave a recommendation so they are in different pages that is why.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): There are recommendations of the task force and the Committee also in the same?

[Hon. Ogutu in consultations with the Speaker] [Hon. Madialo up on a point of Information]

Hon. Madialo: Honourable Amriya, with all due respect you are not the Speaker! Let me be guided by the Speaker, yes just relax let me be guided by the Speaker, you are not.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Address the Speaker, okay proceed. What is it?

Hon. Madialo: Mr. Speaker Sir.

Hon. Amriya Juma: Point of information.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, what is your point of information Honourable Amriya?

Hon. Amriya Juma: I just want to inquire through the Chair the Honourable Member has risen and spited my name I do not understand I was not standing; I have not uttered anything and the Honourable Member has risen to mention and naming my name. I stand guided Mr. Speaker because I was just going through my Report as the Honourable Member rose and spited my name. Maybe through your guidance I beg to be informed what is it up Mr. Speaker, why have I been named. Thank you.

Hon. Madialo: Thank you Mr. Speaker Sir. As a Member of the Committee and I was there when the report writing was going on, the recommendations of the task force we adopted most of them so where it is written the Committee's recommendations it was simply highlighting some of them. So, by not allowing the Chairman to also read we did not want to do repetitions and that is why ours with the Committee we were just highlighting few of them but we adopted most of the recommendations of the task force and that is why the Chairman is also mentioning them so that when we debate the Members will have the full information. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Madialo. Honourable Amriya, we will go to the Hansard and check what transpired then we will come and report back to this Assembly; if the Honourable Member was out of order we will report. But as per the Motion of the Committee on Health we as a House we are to adopt this full report; that is why am insisting that the Committee to stick on their recommendations and at least highlight because the Report is with the Members and it has been tabled to the Members so the Members will debate and either adopt the Report and by adopting it will be adopting the full Report. So, I would like the Honourable Chair to stick to the recommendations of the Committee because the same recommendations of the taskforce if the Report is adopted the whole of it is going to be adopted by the House and implemented by the executive. Thank you. Yes Chair.

Hon. Ogutu: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I think you have made my work very easier we are on page 19; the Committee recommends that;

- 1. The House ratifies and adopts the findings and recommendations of the taskforce on the Health Management Information System for County government hospitals,
- 2. That the health system to have a viable information system with adequate back-up systems for smooth operations and preservation of information.

Page 21, number one the Committee recommends that;

- 1. That this Honourable House ratifies and adopts the findings and recommendations of the taskforce on the strategies for the addressing disease burden and patterns,
- 2. That emphasis be placed on preventive innervations including budgetary allocation which in the long run will alleviate the burden of treatment costs to both the County and residents,
- 3. That, establishes Coast General Teaching and referral hospital Utange field hospital to function as County infectious diseases hospital and research centre as recommend by the taskforce.

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): So, conclusion?

Hon. Ogutu: The Committee having considered the taskforce Report extends its appreciation to his Excellency the Governor Honourable Abdulswamad Sheriff Nassir for the timely establishment of Mombasa County Health care system task force.

The taskforce on its part did a commendable job by unbundling the issues affecting the health care system and providing sustainable recommendations to tackle challenges identified in each thematic area.

The taskforce Report having been reviewed by the Committee and upon adoption of this Committee's Report by this Honorable House will go a long way to enhance the health system in Mombasa County.

In addition, the Committee also made recommendations which are aimed at further strengthening the health care system upon adoption by this Honourable House,

Pursuant to Standing order 179(4) of the Mombasa County Assembly the Committee adopted this Report on Monday 13th February, 2023, annexed are the Committee's minutes approving this Report;

Recommendations, the Committee recommends that;

- 1. That the Committee having approved the taskforce Report recommends that the taskforce Report on health care be approved by this Honourable House in so far as it is consistent with the Report,
- 2. That this House adopts this Report including observation, findings and recommendations of the Committee.

Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Ogutu and I think these final recommendations are your prayers as a Committee. Thank you, yes Honourable Manuari?

Hon. Juma Manuari: Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipa hii nafasi ya kuzungumza na kutoa mwelekeo wangu ama kuunga mkono Kamati ya ndugu yangu Bernard Ogutu.

Mimi katika hii Ripoti ambayo nimepatiwa saa hii nimeipekua pekua kuiangalia jinsi ilivyo na niwape kongole ama pongezi Kamati hii ya afya inayoongozwa na ndugu yangu kwa kukubaliana nami kuwa katika Wadi 30 moja katika Wadi ambayo imeathirika na maswala ya afya ni Wadi ya Bofu. Kama alivyo inukuu kwa kuwa wamechunguza wakapata katika Wadi 30 Bofu hakuna Zahanati, hakuna kituo cha afya, wala hakuna Zahanati ambayo itawasaidia wana Bofu na hilo ndilo lilikuwa jukumu letu. Wakati tulivyokuwa tukitembea mashinani kuwaomba wananchi kura nikiwa na Gavana wetu Abdullswamad Sheriff Nasir na katika ahadi tulizo ziweka ni kuwa tutahakikisha kwa miaka mitatu inayokuja tutakuwa tumewawekea huduma ya afya ndani ya Bofu.

Basi mimi nami niseme kwa jukumu hili ambalo hawa wamejibeba niwaambie kuwa sio tu kutuletea Ripoti ambayo wameiona bali pia kulifuatilia hili swala ili haya mambo aliyoyasema humu ndani yawe yatatendeka na yawe yatafanyika kwa muda upasao kwa sababu wananchi wanangoja jibu letu baada ya miaka matatu maana kule kwetu sisi hatujibiwi baada ya miaka mitano tunajibiwa mitatu, je ulikuja na Gavana wako na ukatuambia utatuleta Zahanati ili na nyinyi mutibiwe Kamati husika tunaomba mtuletee matibabu na sio tu mtujengee mijengo ama mtuletee makontena bali pia na zile huduma ambazo zinahitajika za matibabu na nyengine na madaktari mimi naamini ndugu yangu Ogutu na Kamati yako nyinyi hamjalala haya maneno mwaka huu tu ikifikia Disemba najua tutafanya ground breaking ya hiyo Zahanati katika maeneo yangu. Kwa hivyo mimi kubwa zaidi niwaombee Mungu ili maisha ya wananchi yawe imara tusipate tena tabu tukitoka katika Wadi moja twende Wadi ya pili kufuata matibabu ahsante sana.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Manuari. I think your question of why Bofu Ward does not have a dispensary will be answered when the Finance Committee will table as to when they are going to bring CIDP so be alert and take charge to bring the CIDP on this floor of the House. Yes, Honourable Hassan?

Hon. Hassan Mohamed: Ahsante Bwana Spika kwa kunipatia fursa hii adhimu, fursa muhimu ili kuweza kuchangia katika Ripoti ambayo imeletwa na Mwenyekiti wa Afya, ndugu yangu mkubwa ambaye pia vile vile ananisaidia kwa ushauri wa aina moja ama nyengine isipokuwa ushauri wake, ushauri wake haujaweza kunisaidia mimi binafsi lakini kwa maswala kama haya ambayo ameweza kuleta katika Jumba hili, nina imani kwamba yale ambayo ameweza kuongea ndugu yangu Manuari basi na vile vile mimi nitaweza kuchangia kidogo. Mimi Bwana Spika ni muathiriwa, nikisema ni muathiriwa ni kwamba wiki iliyopita na nilisha zungumza hili jambo hivi punde ni kwamba katika mshahara wangu mwingi nautumia pale Makadara hospitali kulingana na zile kesi ambazo zipo katika eneo la Magogoni.

Ripoti hii nitasema ni ya kweli na imeweza kupitia njia inayostahili baada ya uchunguzi wa uhakika kwamba ndani ya Magogoni hatuna Zahanati na hiyo ni kweli na kwa hivyo naomba sana hata hawa Waheshimiwa walioko mbele yangu kuunga Ripoti hii mkono kuhakikisha kwamba afya ni kitu muhimu sana na ni zawadi baada ya uhai na thamani ya zawadi ni kuilea na kuitunza na hata maendeleo yakapatikana ya namna gani ikiwa afya imezoroteka sidhani kama mwananchi ataweza kutuelewa tukiweka *cabro*, tukiweka maendeleo, tukiwapatia pesa za biashara lakini ikiwa afya imedorora sidhani kama mwananchi anaweza kutuelewa.

Mimi naiunga mkono Ripoti hii na naomba hili Bunge ama hii Nyumba vile vile iweze kuhakikisha kwamba tunampatia *support* anaye stahili. Chini yako Bwana Spika tunaona kwamba kila kitu kitakuwa sawa na ahsante sana ndugu yangu kwa Ripoti ambayo italeta mafanikio hapa ndani ya Nyumba hii. Ahsante sana Bwana Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Hassan. Yes, Honourable Amriya Boy?

Hon. Amriya Juma: Thank you Mr. Speaker. First of all, I would like to congratulate the Committee on Health for a job well done; I think it is one of the Committees that have started overworking early in time so there is normally the saying that the early bird catches the worm so kudos and keep it up. I wish also to raise my voice on the same; I think it is high time that such Reports are taken head on by Honourable Members especially in areas that have been mentioned in this Report. It does not just garner dust in the wardrobe or in the stores but Members should take this Report and maybe we should come up with statement or Motion based on this Report. Mine would be on setting up dispensaries in areas where we do not have; Mjambere is one of the highlighted areas that has no dispensary, has no ECDE, is a dark spot as there is no proper lighting, no transport! I can stand here and say so much; I can go on and on but Mr. Speaker, am hoping to see as the Committee comes up with our Annual Development Plan (ADP) and CIDP, will be looking at this area being first of our priority.

Mr. Speaker, so it just does not end up with a Report; we should not endeavor to work in vain so such recommendations should be taken seriously by both Assembly and also by the Executive and also on matters of a universal healthcare suffrage on matters of National Health Insurance (NHIF) it is very important because we are consuming so much of our little money, Mr. Speaker health care of our citizens. So, if we could have comprehensive care unit of National Health Insurance Fund it will go a long way, at least we have the pilot program having at least representative from each Ward will go a long way and I think that is in line and something is happening about it so please Health Committee make sure that our people are covered so that we can benefit. Lastly, I would not because I wish to support but I also have just one thing a reservation that at this point we have so much that is spending at a Health but I wouldn't wish that this Coast General Hospital be a corporation because we understand that corporation are a limited liability, partnership are limited liability, partnership are not accountable directly because it's a limited liability with directors so and having shareholding so I wish the Committee we should first look at our issues before we handover Coast General to be a full corporation at least our issues to have been handled before we give them full autonomy, otherwise it is a good Report. Thank you for allowing me to air my views.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Mwalimu): Thank you Honourable Amriya. Yes, Honourable Nyache?

Hon. Nyache: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika na mimi kuweza kunipa nafasi ya kuweza kuchangia Ripoti hii. Kwanza nampa kongole Mheshimiwa Ogutu kwa kuweza kuja na Ripoti ya maana kama hii katika Bunge hili; mimi kwa upande wangu Mheshimiwa Spika katika Wadi yangu pia mimi sina Zahanati, sina hata kituo chochote, hata kijihema cha kuweza kutibu watu wa Wadi ya Kipevu watu wangu wakiugua wanakwenda Wadi nyengine, kwa mfano Wadi ya Chaani kuna hospitali pale wanakwenda wanatibiwa pale hata kwa Mheshimiwa Ogutu pia Changamwe kuna Hospitali ya Magongo pia inasaidia sana watu wangu. Kwa hivyo pia nashukuru inasaidia lakini leo Ripoti imekuja hapa na katika ukurasa wa tisa hapa nimeona pia Wadi ya Kipevu imeangaziwa kuwa itaweza kupata hiyo Zahanati ya kutoka serikali ya Kaunti nimeshukuru sana na ninaunga mkono mia fil mia watu wangu waweze kupata matibabu kwa njia ya karibu na wasihangaike. Kina mama pia walikuwa wakipata shida, wakati wa kufika wa kujifungua wamama wanajifungulia katika njia na hata gari yangu pia inafanya kazi ya kubeba wagonjwa saa zote kuwapeleka katika Wadi nyengine.

Ningekuwa na Zahanati katika Wadi yangu, nisingetumia gharama zote hizo za kuweza kubeba wagonjwa kuwapeleka huku na huku. Wangekuwa wanatibiwa pale katika ward yangu kwa njia ya urahisi, kwa hivyo mimi naunga hii report na naomba iweze kutekelezwa kwa njia ya haraka watu wetu waweze kuona zile ahadi zetu tulizo zitaja wakati wa kampeni ziweze kutimia. Ahsante Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Yes, Honourable Maryam Baimu?

Hon. Baimu: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa kunipatia nafasi hii. Kwanza ningependa kuwapongeza Mwenyekiti, Mheshimiwa Ogutu na timu yake yote kwa kazi nzuri waliofanya. Kusema ule ukweli kuna mengi mazuri hapa ambayo kama yatatekelezwa ama hii Nyumba tutapitisha yatakuwa kwa manufaa kwa watu wetu kule mashinani. Ya kwanza ni kuhusu hii mambo ya madawa kuwekwa kwa ma Zahanati, ma Zahanati yale ambayo yamezeeka yaweze kurekebishwa, nyengine kuhusu mambo ya ku *dispose* ama vile vifaa vya zamani maana yake tunaona kama mimi Zahanati zangu zile ziko tu pale Frere Town; ziko kweli lakini ukiingia ndani utashangaa vile vifaa ambavyo vinatumika pale ndani. Kwa hivyo kama tutaweza kubadilisha viwekwe vya kisasa ambao zitasaidia watu itakuwa jambo la maana sana. Pia kuna kitu kama walemavu, katika hii Ripoti wameangazia vizuri sana. Kusema ule ukweli hili litakuwa ni jambo la maana wanapo kwenda walemavu kupata huduma katika hizi Zahanati zetu ama hospitali zetu wawe wako na sehemu zao kadha, kama ile njia ya kupitia wawe wametengezewa mambo mengi hata choo humo ndani, kwa hivyo itakuwa ni jambo la maana sana.

La mwisho ambalo limenifurahisha zaidi, ni kuhusu hii Marimani *Outreach* maana yake Frere Town kuna sehemu nyingi kutoka hii Mombasa Kaunti ambapo vijana wetu wale wanataka kujinasua wanakuja pale ukumbi wa zamani wa Free Town wanakaa hapo kwa siku nzima kutoka asubuhi mpaka jioni wakinywa zile dawa, wanashinda hapo. Pale kuna shule ya msingi ya Frere Town karibu kwa hivyo imekuwa ni kilio cha wananchi wa Frere Town kwamba tutafute njia hawa wa watumizi wa madawa wanao *rehabilitate* waweze kutoka pale. Kwa hivyo hii ikiwa itafanyika kweli kwamba ifanywe *outreach* ya *drug rehabilitation* iweze kutumika huko, waende kule wakae kule watumie dawa kule ki mimi nimefurahi sana na naiuunga mkono leo nitakuwa kama Mheshimiwa mwenza mia fil mia. Shukran sana.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Naam Mtumishi Madialo?

Hon. Madialo: Mr. Speaker Sir, before I give my or lend my support, I would like to unreservedly apologize to my sister, Honourable Amriya if she fees, I have aggrieved her in any manner. I rise to support and I have five reasons, very quickly; I support because there are areas and Wards like Bamburi, Magogoni, Mjambere, Kipevu, Bofu and Port Reitz, no is it Port Reitz?! and Port Reitz which do not have dispensaries so by adopting this Motion, I lend my support. Two; the Community Health Volunteers (CHVs) from the Report will be given monthly stipend and that will be a very big boost to them. Number three the automation of payments; a lot of monies get lost or are misappropriated when payments are given in cash so when this Report recommends paperless transaction and through that there will be no pilferage of cash. Number four in the Report also, there will be the securing of the facilities; most of the facilities or health facilities in our Counties do not have perimeter walls and we see that even most of them have been grabbed, so this Report recommends that those facilities be secured and also, I think am also in the Committee of Lands the recommendation is that title deeds be issued to those facilities.

Number five in the Report also they encouraged capacity building for the workers in this sector; like our doctors, if they would want to further their education, the nurses and all health practitioners. So, I would support so that their capacity be build. Then lastly, as a Member of the Committee on Labour and Public Service Administration, I have not noted that there was an oversight on the part of the appointing authority when appointing the taskforce. The team they did not appoint a person from the County Public Service Board yet such matters also include also matters of human resource so I would encourage that next time when such kind of appointments are made the appointing authority should be keen and also include Members or a Member from the Public Service Board. Thank you so much I support.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Madialo. Yes, Minority Leader?

The Leader of Minority (Hon. Matsaki): Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika kwa nafasi hii. Mimi pia napongeza Kamati hii; langu tu ningependa tu kuongezea kwa sababu tayari mimi nishakubali yale yote ambayo yamenakiliwa hapa na Waheshimiwa wenza waliyo yazungumza. Kuna mambo ambayo pia nimejaribu kuyaona katika hizi Zahanati ambazo kama ile yangu ambayo iko pale Mtopanga ni kwamba ni kuongezea tu katika hii Kamati wajaribu kuleta huo msisitizo. Kamati iliyoko; ni Kamati moja ambayo iko hospitali kuu kwa hivyo ni muhimu pia katika hii Kamati waangalie zile hospitali zitakazo jengwa waweze kuhusisha Kamati za vijiji kwa sababu ni muhimu daktari mkuu akiwa pale na akiwa na Kamati iliyo pale itakuwa pia ni vizuri wanajua je shida iliyo hapo wanavijiji ni rahisi kufahamishwa na daktari. Pia anapohusika na ile Kamati ya vijiji ikiwa kuna jambo lolote la muhimu ambalo anatakikana kusaidika pale ni rahisi. Nikisema hivyo ni kwa sababu gani; Hospitali yeyote ya eneo la Wadi pasipokuwa na Kamati yeyote iliyo pale kwa kijiji ni ngumu sana daktari kupata usaidizi kama juzi hapo kuna kitendo kilitendeka...

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Minority Leader, is that recommendation in this Report?

The Minority Leader (Hon. Matsaki): Naam, naongezea.

[Interruption]

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Then you are introducing another Motion on a Motion.

[Interruption]

The Leader of Minority (Hon. Matsaki): Ni sawa. Kwa hivyo mimi pia nauunga mkono hii hoja ambayo imeletwa na Kamati hii. Ahsanteni.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you. Yes, Honourable Nyota?

Hon. Hamisi Nyota: Thank you Mr. Speaker for this opportunity just I would just like to air some views regarding this Report especially on the observations and findings of the Report.

Mr. Speaker, I would like to congratulate my brother Honourable Ogutu and the entire Committee of Health for this Report. Mr. Speaker, there is a key note on the observations and findings number 4 whereby it was clearly stated that; the current establishment of Dispensaries in the County are inadequate to sufficiently meet the health needs of residents of Mombasa and the following statement was that the existing Level 2 and 3 health facilities are in dilapidated state, ill equipped in infrastructure, personnel and medical supplies. Mr. Speaker, I would like to say that the Committee on Health should fast-track for the Implementation Committee to ensure that especially these two are key points which are noted here they are followed to the latter because I specifically speak on behalf of Ziwa La Ng'ombe Dispensary whereby the Dispensary is in a very bad state when it comes to personnel and medical supplies. So, when I saw this, I was very happy mine is just to emphasize to the Committee of Implementation to get hold of Honourable Mwaura's neck to make sure these observations are applied to the latter so that at least sanity can be brought to these dispensaries. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you. Yes, Vice Chair Finance Honourable Hamida?

Hon. Noor: Thank you Mr. Speaker. I rise to support the Motion; I want to congratulate my brother Ogutu for doing a tremendous job and I would emphasize on the implementation to fast track on this. This is a beautiful recommendation from the Health Department, we all know that there are a lot of patients and work that is going on at Coast General and the burden is going to be reduced in Coast General and we have our dispensaries working I think with that we will have a better County that we will have healthy people I recommend this. Thank you, Mr. Speaker.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you Honourable Hamida. Yes, Honourable Juma Mwalimu?

Hon. Juma Mwalimu: [Off microphone] Nataka hii Taskforce ama Kamati ya Afya inieleze vizuri hapo kwa that Marimani Outreach and Shika Adabu Outreach be repurposed to a function as a drug and substance abuse to be rehabilitation centers as recommended by the taskforce. Mheshimiwa Spika, kuna Kamati ya Afya ilituletea makasha ambayo yaliwekwa pale ofisini kwa Chifu Shika Adabu na lengo lake ilikuwa ni rehabilitation lakini sasa hivi imemaliza miaka mitano Mheshimiwa Spika mpaka makasha yale yameoza. Sasa kwa hapa sijaelewa nataka nifafanuliwe vizuri ni mbinu gani ama ni namna gani ambapo huko kwangu Shika Adabu Outreach ifanywe iwe drug and substance abuse rehabilitation, hapa mimi naona kizungu mkuti tu sijaelewa Mheshimiwa Spika. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Thank you and I think the mover of the Motion has noted it down so when you reply it might be one of the things that you might reply. Honourable Members, I can see that you have fully exhausted the good Report from Health Committee Chaired by Honourable Benard Ogutu, so I will let Honourable Chair to respond to this Motion, please reply to this Motion.

Hon. Ogutu: Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika. Ningependa kuchukua nafasi kuwashukuru Waheshimiwa kwa mchango wao kwa hii Ripoti; Mheshimiwa Spika, kuhusiana na utekelezaji wa hii Ripoti tumeweza kuweka *timeline* ili isifike 2026 ndio tunaanza tena kuangalia hayo mambo tunataka kuweka *timelines* za miezi sita ama baada ya mwaka mmoja.

Lakini haya yote yatalingana na ushirikiano wetu kama Bunge ili tuweze kusukuma haya maneno. Pili Mheshimiwa Spika kuna hiyo ishu ya Zahanati zile Wodi ambazo hazina Zahanati lazima Waheshimiwa wahakikishe katika County Integrated Development Plan (CIDP) wameweza kuelekeza kwamba katika Wadi zao wanahitaji Zahanati. Mheshimiwa Spika, tunajua kati ya harambee kumi, sita zinahusiana na mambo ya matibabu. Hapa tumeweza kuhakikisha ya kwamba tumeweka Mombasa Care ambayo itakuwa inapeana huduma ya afya kwa watu wetu. Kwa hio hayo mambo ya pesa ndogo ya mshahara watatumia vizuri nyumbani Mheshimiwa Spika kuleta raha ndani ya nyumba. Mheshimiwa Spika, ningeomba Waheshimiwa wenzangu tuweze kupitisha hii Hoja ili hii Ripoti iweze kutumika kusaidia wananchi wetu wa Mombasa. Ahsante sana Mheshimiwa Spika.

The Deputy Speaker (Hon. Fadhili Makarani): Honourable Members, before I put a question, I would like to remind you that tomorrow the Committee on Appointments will have sittings on vetting of the County Executive Committee (CECs) so you are most welcomed. Honourable Members, I now put a question that the Motion on Report on the review of the taskforce on Mombasa County Health care system be adopted in this Honourable House.

[Question put and agreed to]

Yes Clerk?

ADJOURNMENT

Having there no other Business the House stands adjourned until 21st February at 10:00a.m.

The House rose at 3:57p.m.