



UASIN GISHU COUNTY ASSEMBLY
FIRST ASSEMBLY - FOURTH SESSION
TUESDAY 26TH JULY, 2016 AT 2.30 P.M
SUPPLEMENTARY ORDERS

PRAYERS

1. Administration of Oath
2. Communication from the Chair
3. Messages
4. Petitions
5. Papers
6. Notices of Motion
7. Statements
8. **Motion and Bills**
9. **MOTION (HON. HON. FRANCIS MUYA – MCA LANGAS WARD)**

Aware that Eldoret Water and Sanitation Company (ELDOWAS) is a Corporate body owned and managed by the County Government of Uasin Gishu and whose mandate amongst other things is to supply and distribute clean and sufficient water to the residents of Eldoret town and its environs; **Further Aware that** since the inception of devolution through the Constitution of Kenya (2010) water management has been devolved to counties and therefore there is need to review the mandate of Eldoret Water and Sanitation Company (ELDOWAS) with of view of expanding it so that it can manage all water supply infrastructure within the county in line with the county's strategy of uplifting the Social and Economic conditions of the County residents; **Concerned that** most residents within the County have been suffering due to lack of sufficient and clean water which in some cases has resulted in outbreak of water borne diseases and even economic loses especially to horticultural and dairy farmers; **Noting that** the County Government of Uasin Gishu did set aside in FY 2015/2016 Budget funds that would be utilized in drilling one public borehole per ward, an exercise that is currently on going; **Cognizant that** the management of the public boreholes should be under the mandate of the expanded ELDOWAS for effective and efficient supply of water to the residents; This County Assembly urges the County Government through the Department Environment, Water and Natural Resources to make a policy and legislative proposals that will review and expand the mandate of ELDOWAS so as to enable it manage, supply and distribute all water supplies in the county and submit the same to the County Assembly for approval.