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Date: 28th October, 2019

Hon George Ndotto
Speaker
Kitui County Assembly
P.O. Box 694 – 90200
KITUI

Dear **Hon. Speaker,**

RE: STAKEHOLDERS MEETING ON CONFERNMENT OF MWINGI TOWN TO MUNICIPALITY STATUS

The County Government of Kitui seeks to have Mwingi Town conferred Municipal Status.

The Urban Areas and Cities Act (UACA) 2011, (amended in 2019) addresses this urban governance deficit, by providing procedures for chartering Counties, Municipalities, Town Committees and establishing Urban Boards. Such Urban Boards, appointed by County Governments, would remain accountable to their respective County Governments.

Notably, Section 9 (1) of the UACA provides that the County Governor, on the resolution of the County Assembly, confer the status of a Municipality on a town that meets the criteria set out subsection (3), by grant of a charter in the prescribed form.

Therefore, taking cognisance of above, the Cabinet approved a Cabinet memo on conferment of Municipality Status to Mwingi Town. Furthermore,

the creation of Mwingi Municipality would be beneficial to the residents of the county at large in terms of service delivery and the overall management of urban centres within it.

In line with the Law on Public Participation and Engagement, we have organized for a stakeholder's meeting on the ongoing process of the conferment of Mwingi Town to Municipality status.

This letter, therefore, is to invite you, the Clerk of the Assembly and the Members of the County Assembly to a Stakeholders Meeting on 1st November, 2019 at Mwingi Resource Centre at 10.00 am.

Attached please find the program of activities.

Yours sincerely,



Charity Kaluki Ngilu, EGH
Governor
KITUI COUNTY



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KITUI COUNTY CONSULTATIVE FORUM ON CONFERMENT OF MUNICIPALITY STATUS TO MWINGI TOWN HELD AT MWINGI RESOURCE CENTRE, MWINGI

Master of Ceremony:

TIME	EVENT	FACILITATOR	
9.00am – 10.00am	Arrival, Registration and Refreshments	Ushers Registration Clerks, M Admin. Staff	Mwingi Town
10.00am – 10.30am	Arrival of H.E. the Governor, Charity Kaluki Ngilu	Deputy Governor, CECM LIHU Secretary and Ushers	County
10.30am – 10.40am	National Anthem	MC	
10.40am – 10.50am	Prayers	Imam/Bishop Timothy Kituo	
10.50am – 11.30am	Welcome Remarks and Introductions	CECM Tourism/MCA/MP Cent	
11.30am – 12.00pm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation on Legal Framework • Proposed Map and Boundaries • Charter for Mwingi Municipality 	CECM LIHUD Mr. Ngwele/Marryann - Office Governor Agnes Mulwa, Urban Develop	the it LIHUD
12.00pm -12.30pm	Speech from various County Leaders	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rep. of Clergy • Rep. of Business Com • Rep. of Former Civic L • Rep. of Former MCAs • County Assembly Leac • County Assembly Leac • Members of Parliamer • Speaker Of The Count 	ity ers of Minority of Majority sembly
12.30pm – 1.00pm	Remarks by Deputy Governor	Dr. Wathe Nzau	
1.00pm – 1.05pm	Key Note address by H.E. the Governor	H.E Charity Kaluki Ngilu	
1.05pm – 1.20pm	Plenary and reactions from representatives of residents of the Municipality and County	CECM Treasury/LIHU	
1.20pm – 1.30pm	Resolutions and way forward	CECM LIHUD	
1.30pm – 1.35pm	National Anthem	MC	
1.35pm – 2.00pm	Departure Protocols of Guests	MC	

