

**MINUTES OF WAJIR MUNICIPALITY 1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER CITIZEN FORA HELD ON 24<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2019 IN RAHA PALACE HOTEL AT 8.00AM.**

**MEMMBERS PRESENT.**

1. Naema Ibrahim somo – CECM lands and Urban planning
2. Loge Hassan – chairman board
3. Ahmed Mohamed – CCO Lands and Urban planning
4. Abdullahi Aqwan – chairman County assembly lands committee
5. Mohamed Salah - Manager municipality
6. Adan Mohamud – Deputy Manager
7. Halima Barow V/Chair municipality board
8. Abdi Osman – Board member
9. Abdirahman Abdille – Board Member
10. Hussein Shekh Dahir- Board Member

**Agenda.**

S/NO	AGENDA	PRESENTER
1	Opening speech	Chairman municipality Board Mr. Loge Hassan
2	Quarterly report to citizen	MANAGER MUNICIPALITY MR. MOHAMED SALAH
3	Urban planning (municipality)	Director physical planning Mr. Abdullahi Hassan
4	Water and sanitation (Municipality)	Director Technical Wajwasco Eng. Abdisalan
5	Plenary session(Questions and anwers)	Board Member Mr. Abdirahman Abdille
6	Urban service delivery	Board member Mr. Abdi Osman
7	Drug Abuse	Chairman Supkem Shekh Dr. Adam
8	Leaders remarks	

**Min1 /9/2019. opening speech of the Municipality Board chairman**

After short prayer my Sheikh Adam, the chairman Municipality Board welcomed the members of the public and the participants to the 1<sup>ST</sup> quarter citizen Fora. He emphasized the importance of the fora and called upon the resident to benefit from this meeting.

He said the municipality will conduct quarterly citizen fora in order to update the residents of the municipality. He further noted the public to support the young municipality which has teething problem and myriads of challenges arising from insufficient funding, poor logistic among others.

The chairman also took the opportunity to introduce the board members and their roles in the respective sub committees.

### **MIN 2/9/2019 quarterly Report to citizens**

The municipality manager Mr. Mohamed Salah presented the quarterly report (July 2019-September 2019) to the participants. The presentation covered the municipality funding both the county budget and the Kusp grant. The presentation highlighted the projects that will be implemented in 2019/2020 financial year, the proposed project includes Bitumen road, fire station(KUSP) and fencing of graveyard among others. His presentation captured the achievement and the challenges in this quarter including the transition period from town administration to Municipality. He added the municipality will conclude IDEP, policy and plan for solid waste management.

### **MIN 3/9/2019 Urban Planning in the Municipality**

The Director physical planning Mr. Abdullahi in his presentation informed the participants the ongoing survey of plots within the municipality and registration. He urged participants to seize this opportunity and get allotment letters. He said 9000 title deeds are in process and will be issued in the next weeks. He requested the municipal resident to cooperate with municipality staff and lands officials to ensure they open access roads.

### **Min 4/9/2019 water and Sanitation in the municipality**

The technical Director Wajwasco presented the programmes that they are will implement within the municipality. He summarized the sanitation status of the municipality coverage of septic tanks, ecosan toilets, the bucket and open defecation. He said they divided the municipality to clusters and were putting ecosan to the most needy parts. the said water is an issue in the municipality and Wajwasco is in the process of drilling boreholes at the nine mile and later piping to the town. The project has received funding from world Bank and the survey was concluded.

### **Min 5/9/2019 plenary session (Question and answers)**

the participants were given opportunity to ask questions on the topics of discussion and presenters responded on issues raised. The interactive session was chaired by Mr. Abdirahman Abdille a board member. Some of the pertinent issues include by the participant include

- Illegal dumping of waste
- Blocking of access road
- poor municipal planning
- lack of sufficient parking space i.e Bus and taxi
- poor drainage systems
- in adequate water in the municipality

**Min 6/9/2019 Urban service delivery**

A board member Mr. Abdi Osman presented the basic service delivery the municipality is supposed to provide, he said this is ranging from solid and domestic waste management and disposal systems, municipality cleaning, fire and disaster, planning and development control, town beatification and greening, among others. He said the residents are required to know their rights and also at the same give courtesy the officers serving them.

**Min 7/9/2019 Drug Abuse**

The chairman Supkem Wajir Chapter Dr. Adam presented the level of drug abuse in the municipality. He said the drug menace is alarming and is now a concern. He however said as muslim community we have to wake up to the call and take up the responsibility. He urged the county government to allocate resource on fight against drug abuse. He also added the municipality to Build rehabilitation center for the drug addict. He identified Mirra and Alcohol the most used drug in the town.

**Min 8/9/2019 Leaders remarks.**

Among the leaders who were present and contributed to the citizen fora discussion include the CECM and CCo lands, physical planning urban development, the chairman and Vice chair county Assembly land committee and Members of county assembly Land committee.

**MIN8/9/2019 A.O.B.**

As there was no any other business, the meeting was adjourned at 1.00 pm and the next as scheduled by the citizen fora calendar.

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