



**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF  
HOMABAY**

**OYUGIS MUNICIPALITY  
P.O BOX 352-40222, OYUGIS**



REPUBLIC OF KENYA

HOMA BAY COUNTY

Date:.....

**MINUTES OF OYUGIS MUNICIPAL PUBLIC PARTICIPATION HELD  
ON FRIDAY, 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2023 FROM 10:00AM -3:00PM AT THE SUB-  
COUNTY COMPOUND**

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

1. DR.PETER OGOLA - CEC LANDS, HOUSING, PHYSICAL PLANNING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
2. MR.CHARLES OBONDO - CHIEF OFFICER HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT
3. MR.ROBINSON MAGAK - SUB COUNTY ADMIN
4. ACC 1 REPRESENTING DCC (RS)
5. PROF.OGWENO-CHIEF OFFICER ENVIRONMENT
6. WARD ADMINS
7. HOD'S -RACHUONYO SOUTH
8. MR.ABILA MUNICIPAL - CHAIRPERSON
9. MUNICIPAL -BOARD MEMBERS
- 10.FACILITATORS FROM HOMA BAY
- 11.BUSINESS COMMUNITY
- 12.MARKET MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE
- 13.MUSLIM COMMUNITY
- 14.CO-ORDINATORS
- 15.BODA BODA GROUP
- 16.BUSPARK MEMBERS
- 17.YOUTHS
- 18.PLWDS
- 19.JUA KALI SECTOR
- 20.THE CLERGY
- 21.TRANSPORT SECTOR

## **AGENDA**

1. PRELIMINARY
2. PREPARATION OF MUNICIPALITY URBAN DEVELOPMENT PLAN (IDEP)
3. ANNUAL URBAN AREA INVESTMENT PLAN
4. MUNICIPALITY URBAN AREA SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT POLICY
5. GENDER INCLUSION AND PARTICIPATION FRAMEWORK
6. AOB

### **Min01/30/06/2023: PRELIMINARY**

The meeting started with a word of Prayer from the Clergy. The Sub County admin then welcomed all for the meeting. He later gave out an opening speech highlighting the activity of the day. The administrator later welcomed Prof. Ogweno who gave a brief speech on environmental issues and later welcomed other facilitators to make their comments.

Prof. Ogweno then welcomed Mr. Abila who is the Municipal Chair to make his comments and later introduced Board Members for the meeting. The members are;

1. Mary Anyango -Vice Chairperson
  2. Mr. Jared Achienga
  3. Mr. Dan Ochieng Were
  4. Mr. George Olweya
  5. Mr. Solomon Ouko –Absent because of Sickness.
- The Municipal Chair then welcomed Mr. Charles Obondo Chief Officer Housing and Urban Development to make his comments and observation.

Mr. Obondo clarified the following items;

- That all activities of municipality must be discussed by the people.
- All guidelines and policies regarding municipality should involve the public.
- **MIDEP (Municipality Integrated Development Plan)** i.e. what should be done in the municipality in the next five years. He clarified that Donors and Investors can only provide for what is within the MIDEP hence members were asked to contribute fully.

- Urban area Solid waste-Providing a comprehensive solid waste management
- Gender Inclusion and participation framework
- County /Urban Intergrated Strategy Paper
- Land Use plan

After making his comments he welcomed Dr.Peter Ogola -CEC who had the following comments to make;-

Oyugis has been identified as one of the potential beneficiaries by World Bank and awarded Ksh.400m for Municipal Development.

He advised the members of the public to avoid politicking and give development a chance by supporting the Board members who are in place.

The issue of gender thresh hold which was an area of concern had been solved by selecting one more female to meet the one third gender rule.

He also acknowledge that there were problems within Oyugis which includes Slaughter area land grabbing among others .He cautioned all land grabbers or those encroaching Government land to deceits from doing so as the original records are available .

He affirmed that all inputs made by the public would be considered and that interest of individual group should be interest of the community.

## **MIN2/30/06/2023: PREPARATION OF MUNICIPALITY URBAN DEVELOPMENT PLAN (IDep)**

### **FACILITATOR 1:**

He highlighted the following areas;

1. Construction of pavements and walk ways for Ksh.50m
2. Construction of municipality roads for Ksh.100m.
3. Road maintenance
4. Street lights Sewer treatment /Sewer connectivity
5. Fire Station
6. Municipal Market
7. Bus park where land is to be bought
8. Informal Upgraded program

9. Renovation of houses
10. Construction of dumpsite
11. Coded litter bins
12. Cemetery
13. Animal hording site

### **MIN3/03/07/2023: ANNUAL URBAN AREA INVESTMENT**

As far as the Annual Urban Area Investment is concern the facilitator stated the following;

1. Annual yearly budget of Ksh.900m is needed therefore there is need to look for more partners as the county Government allocates around Ksh.10m.
2. Allocation of Ksh.5m for the waste management

Area of concern by the public

1. How the Ksh.900m would be achieved with the little finances from the County Government.
2. How much is allocated for the market.
3. Need for tourist attraction centre (Mbusi Rakewa Bird Sanctuary).
4. Youth Engagement on activities which are organized by the municipal
5. Specific Places meant for Juakali (Resource Centers for Machine Installation )
6. Parking areas/Zones
7. Social Halls
8. Electric Issues i.e. machines having go down as a result of inconsistent power.

### **Responses made**

Need for acquisition of land for a stadium where Mr. Ndege clarified that a land has been identified and disclosed that the area MP has the information.

## **FACILITATOR 2: PLANNING**

1. Decongesting public roads
2. Construction of foot bridges
3. Provision of public space
4. Construction of round about Kosele
5. Construction of New Buspark

### **Areas of concern from the public**

Construction of flyovers along the highway especially Market and Masogo route.

Public sites to be relocated to give room for other developments.

Construction of Eastern and Western By pass.

## **Min 04/30/06/2023: MUNICIPALITY URBAN AREA SOLID WASTE**

### **MANAGEMENT POLICY**

Facilitator 3 talked at length on Waste management especially on handling of solid wastes (Solid waste collection).

The following methods were identified to be ideal for waste management;

- ❖ Providing Comprehensive Solid Waste Management
- ❖ Developing proper drainage system
- ❖ Providing comprehensive seweragesystem for the municipality

### **Public responses**

1. Protection of miners within the municipality
2. How to deal with rivers which are crossing the municipality
3. Transportation of solid wastes i.e. machinery tractors and many others
4. Bodies to manage wastes within CBD and residential areas
5. The 5m allocation is inadequate.

## MIN 5/30/06/2023: GENDER INCLUSION AND PARTICIPATION FRAMEWORK

1. Areas of concern by the facilitator
2. An even access to education (Girls during menstruation cycle)
3. Lack of employment equality (Youths and pregnant women)
4. Lack of legal protection e.g. gender based violence
5. Poor medical care
6. Lack of adequate political representation(only 6 women MCA's out of 40 MCAS

### Way forward

1. Increase female labour market
2. Improve gender based earnings
3. Promoting equality in decision making
4. Combating gender based violence by protecting the victims
5. Increase and support women in leadership

### Public response

1. PLWD representation in terms of gender.
2. Future opportunities for the board to consider youths and persons living with disability.

### ACC 1 REPRESENTING DCC (RS)

He affirmed his commitment to work closely with County Government of HomaBay however; he had the following areas of concern;

1. Issues of liquor licenses should be revived especially operators around Kendu Bay Junction and Kosele areas.
2. Increased cases of theft especially in schools.
3. Cases of religious extremism
4. Defilement cases on the increase

**RECOMMENDATIONS**

1. Including more business people in future public participations.
2. Constructing of shades for revenue collectors.
3. Planning of the market.
4. Proper waste management control to be put in place.
5. Have serialized temporary waste collection bins.

**MIN 6/30/06/2023:A.O.B**

There being no any other business the meeting ended with a word of prayer from one of the Clergy at 1:30pm.

**Minutes prepared by:**

MR. ROBINSON MAGAK -Ag. MANAGER, OYUGIS MUNICIPALITY

Date ..3-106/23.....

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**Minutes Confirmed by**

MR. DAVIS ABILA - BOARD CHAIRMAN, OYUGIS MUNICIPALITY

Date.....30/06/23.....

Signature.....