

COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KITUI



THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY

THIRD ASSEMBLY- (THIRD SESSION)

**COMMITTEE ON LANDS, INFRASTRUCTURE AND URBAN
DEVELOPMENT**

**REPORT BY THE COMMITTEE ON LANDS, INFRASTRUCTURE AND
URBAN DEVELOPMENT ON RESPONSE TO STATEMENT REQUEST BY
HON.BENJAMIN NDAMBU MULANDI ON THE STATUS OF ROADS IN
KITUI COUNTY.**

**THE CLERK'S CHAMBER
P. O BOX 694 – 90200
COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KITUI.**

JUNE, 2024

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CHAPTER ONE

1.0. PREFACE.

Hon Speaker,

During the afternoon sitting of 9th April, 2024 the Hon. Benjamin N. Mulandi rose to request a statement on the status of roads in Kitui County pursuant to Standing Order 41(2)(C) (*Copy attached as Annex 2*). The statement request was subsequently committed to the Committee on Lands, Infrastructure and Urban Development to consider and report back to the House.

Hon Speaker,

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Hon. Speaker,

The member raised concern over equity, ^{omit} (the need for equity) and fair ^{also further} distribution of the dozing and grading program. He went to say that there was need to address transport challenges in the Wards as a matter of urgency. Further, he lamented that despite the agreement and substantial allocation of funds in 2023/2024 FY no Ward in Kitui County had achieved the seventy kilometres grading planned for saying that there is need for speed in attending to road maintenance, especially after the El Nino rains which had damaged roads across the County.

1.1 COMMITTEE'S MANDATE

Hon. Speaker,

The Sectoral Committee on Lands, Infrastructure and Urban Development derives its mandate from the provisions of Standing Order No. 190(5) and the second schedule to the Standing Orders, which defines the functions of the committee as to inter-alia; -

- i) investigate, inquire into, and report on all matters relating to the mandate, management, activities, administration, operations and estimates of the assigned departments;
- ii) study the program and policy objectives of departments and the effectiveness of the implementation;
- iii) study and review all county legislations referred to it;
- iv) study, assess and analyze the relative success of the departments as measured by the results obtained as compared with their stated objectives;
- v) investigate and inquire into all matters relating to the assigned departments as they may deem necessary, and as may be referred to them by the County Assembly;
- vi) to vet and report on all appointments where the Constitution or any law requires the County Assembly to approve, except those under Standing Order 185 (Committee on Appointments); and
- vii) Make reports and recommendations to the County Assembly as often as possible, including recommendation of proposed legislation.

1.2 COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP ✓

Hon. Speaker,

The Committee on Lands, Infrastructure and Urban Development currently comprises the following members: -

1. Hon. Alphonse Mukwayu Musyimi – Chairperson
2. Hon. Aron Kilonzi Kasele – Vice-chairperson
3. Hon. Godfrey Muthengi Ndagara – Member
4. Hon. Mathew Vuthi Ngovi – Member
5. Hon. Judith Wanza Kasyoka – Member
6. Hon. Muthama Musyoka Kieti – Member
7. Hon. Alex Mutambu Nganga – Member
8. Hon. Elizabeth Ndunge Peter – Member
9. Hon. Mark Kitute Nding'o – Member
10. Hon. Kyalo Kimuli – Member
11. Hon. Bernard Mwangangi Munyasya – Member

1.3 COMMITTEE OBJECTIVE

Hon. Speaker,

As per the resolutions stated above, Members identified S.O. 190 (5)(d) to formulate a clear objective for the committee to address the concerns, through; *studying, assessing, and analyzing the relative success of the "assigned" department, measured by the results obtained as compared with stated objectives.*

1.4. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Hon. Speaker,

The Committee extends its appreciation to the Offices of the Speaker and the Clerk of the County Assembly for the support accorded to it in the execution of its mandate and the opportunity accorded to its Members to undertake the assessment exercise on behalf of the County Assembly of Kitui.

Hon. Speaker,

As the Chairperson of the Committee, I wish to thank committee members for actively participating and executing their “oversight” responsibilities with just and faithfulness, and the Committee Clerk, Kelvin Mumo for coordinating activities, compiling as well as editing this report for approval, amongst other duties.

It is therefore my pleasant duty and privilege, on behalf of this committee, to table this report and recommend the same to this house for further consideration and subsequent adoption.

SIGNED:  _____

**HON. ALPHONCE MUSYIMI MUKWAIYU,
CHAIRPERSON, COMMITTEE ON LANDS, INFRASTRUCTURE & URBAN
DEVELOPMENT (LIUD),
COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KITUI.**

DATE: 21/6/2024

This report is compiled by Mr. Kelvin Mumo – Clerk Assistant II

CHAPTER TWO

2.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Hon. Speaker

In his statement request, Hon. Benjamin Ndambu Mulandi raised concerns over the poor status of roads in Kitui and he sought a response from the chairperson, Committee on Lands, Infrastructure & Urban Development on the following matters;

- i. Establish how the funds allocated for post-Elnino road maintenance were used.
- ii. Investigate the current state and number of operational road construction machines within Kitui County.
- iii. Establish the exact number of constructed boda-boda sheds per Ward and the specific Village.
- iv. Obtain a comprehensive report on the wards that have benefitted from the grading and road opening (dozing) program detailing the number of kilometres covered per ward
- v. Ensure the relevant Ministry takes immediate action on repairing/addressing the poor road conditions in the County.
- vi. Obtain the specific details on roads opened and graded in kilometres per ward and conduct a comprehensive assessment of the roads graded in the 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 Financial Years.
- vii. The ministry to give a report on the progress of the roads that were to be done/repared through the Kenya Roads Board.

Hon. Speaker,

Standing Order 41(2)(c) (A) provides that: *Whenever a member requests for a statement, the Speaker shall direct the relevant Committee under whose the mandate falls, to invite the county executive committee member or the chief officer under whose purview the matters raised in the statement fall, to a meeting of the Committee to deliberate on the statement.*

Hon. Speaker;

In adherence to the above provisions this committee during a special meeting of the committee held on 15th April, 2024 vide MIN. *L.I.U.D 022/2024: STATEMENT REQUEST ON THE STATUS OF ROADS IN KITUI COUNTY – HON. BENJAMIN M. MULANDI (MCA MUTONGUNI WARD)* the committee resolved to invite the CECM Roads, Transport and Public Works to a committee meeting that was held on 30th May, 2024 *(Copy of the Letter attached as Annex 3)*

The CECM Eng. Reuben Itiko appeared before the committee on 30th May, 2024 accompanied by Peter Musya – Chief Officer, Transport and BodaBoda, Mr. Benjamin Chamia – Chief Officer, Roads and Public Works and Eng. Stephen Kithongo the Head of the Department Roads

SUBMISSIONS BY THE OFFICERS FROM THE EXECUTIVE.

Hon. Speaker,

Officers from the executive arm of the County government made their oral and written submissions on the matters raised as follows;

- i. On Action Being Taken by the Ministry to Address Poor Road Conditions in The County.*

They agreed that the condition of the roads in Kitui is generally deplorable and a lot needs to be done to reverse them. The condition has been worsening for the last 3 years with a diminishing budget for road maintenance in addition to Counties not receiving conditional grants from the Kenya Roads Board from FY2021/2022.

The budget ceiling went down further last and current financial years where the Ministry has been paying pending bills that had accrued since FY2015/2016 notably those associated with drifts and roads that the EACC was investigating. In addition, the previous October/December 2023 rains worsened the situation but the Ministry received no funds to rehabilitate the damaged roads not forgetting the vast road network of Kitui County.

Therefore, the input that has been going to road maintenance is very little and therefore the worsening condition of roads in the county.

The table below shows the trend in budget allocations to the Ministry for Road Maintenance Works;

FINACIAL YEAR	BUDGET (KES)			REMARKS
	TOTAL	RMLF	COUNTY	
FY2018/2019	566,050,314.00	229,832,234	336,218,080.00	
FY2019/2020	546,458,530.00	280,638,858	265,819,672.00	

FY2020/2021	606,187,284.00	266,388,241	339,799,043.00	
FY2021/2022	386,464,269.00	Nil	386,464,269.00	
FY2022/2023	231,172,421.00	Nil	231,172,421.00	Pending bills budget was separate (excluded)
FY2023/2024	284,749,652	Nil	284,749,652	Kshs. 271,271,970.60 used on pending bill

However, with the allocated resources the Ministry has implemented the following programs to maintain roads in the County;

- a) In-house grading program
- b) In-house Road Opening (dozing) program

The Program has enabled the County to maintain an average of 1,200km of roads every financial year. This FY2023/2024 the Ministry intends to grade 1,400km and open 400km by June, 30th, 2024.

ii. Roads Graded and Opened in the FY2022/2023 and FY2023/2024

The table shows a summary of the Lengths of Roads Graded and opened (Dozing)

S/No.	Activity	FY2022/2023	FY2023/2024
1	Grading	1322	839.60
2	Dozing	18.2	189.85

A detailed summary of the length of roads per ward is attached in Appendix A.

iii. On Post El-Nino Road Maintenance,

They responded that the Ministry is yet to receive any funds allocated for this purpose.

iv. On the number of operational machineries

The ministry currently has the following machines in good condition

- a. 5no. graders
- b. 3no. crawler dozer
- c. 3no. wheel loaders(shovels)
- d. 1no. backhoe loaders
- e. 1 low bed

For more information, see *Appendix B.*

v. Number of constructed Boda Boda sheds

The ministry has built 27 no. boda boda sheds. The location of the projects is attached in *Appendix C.*

vi. Wards that have benefited from grading and road opening programs

33no. of wards have benefited from the grading and 17no. wards have benefited from dozing programs in the current FY2023/2024. See *Appendix A* for more information.

vii. Report on the Progress of the Roads that were to be repaired through KRB grant

These are budgeted in the FY2024-2025 budget. The Ministry is planning to carry out condition surveys starting August 2024. The proposed roads to be rehabilitated are attached in **Appendix D.**

CHAPTER THREE

3.0. COMMITTEE OBSERVATIONS.

Hon. Speaker,

After a fruitful engagement with the officers from the County executive and upon careful interaction with the submissions made, the Committee made the following observations that;

- 1) The Ministry has experienced low/inadequate funding to enable it make an impact in road works and repairs in the County. Most recently being the allocation Kshs. 271,271,970.60 in 2023/2024 FY which was utilized to pay pending bills.
- 2) The spaced disbursement of funds from the exchequer which could go up to three months, long and short rains experienced for a period of five (5) months in 2024, deviations in the supplementary budgets for the 2023/2024 FY and the bureaucracy in government procurement process has equally been a hindrance to the ministry in ensuring the timely delivery of services.
- 3) Only twenty-seven (27) boda boda sheds were constructed in the 2023/2024 FY from the allocation of 11.7 Million which was reduced from the initial allocation of 73 Million. The Chief Officer further clarified that the increase in Boda Boda shed sizes from three (3) meters to seven (7) meters has increased the cost of constructing one shed from Kshs. 370,000 to Kshs.420,000.
- 4) There are rampant cases where machines are abandoned in the wards due to lack of fuel or mechanical challenges which threatens the security

of the machines by being exposed to vandalism equally hampering service delivery.

- 5) Machines' mechanical breakdowns and lack of fuel lengthens the period needed to undertake grading and dozing which ideally is supposed to be (14) days or two weeks. The prolonged delay subsequently affects service delivery.
- 6) The Chief Officer Transport gave a commitment that beginning June, 2024 the department has made provisions for the procurement of enough fuel to ensure that by August 2024 they will have completed 2023/2024 FY Grading program.
- 7) There is lack of supervision of the machinery while in the field which causes laxity of the operators, misuse of fuel and diversion of machinery to undertake private projects leading to delays in the grading program.
- 8) Most of the roads have only been opened (Dozing) and are left without regular grading. This has affected the drainage of the roads leaving them impassable.

CHAPTER FOUR

4.0. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS



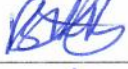


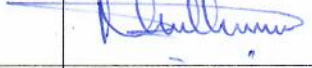




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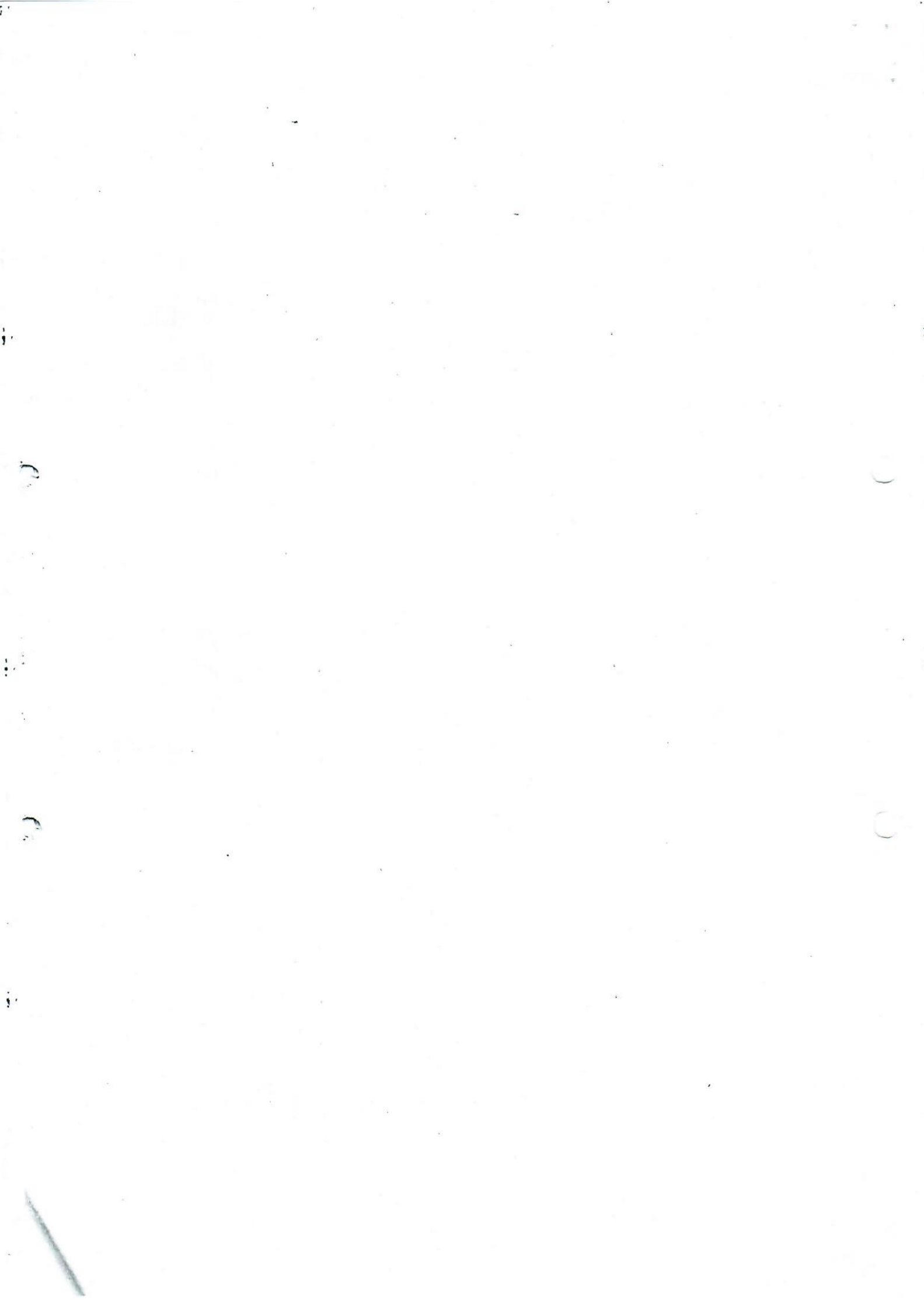
From the observations made and considering other factors that falls under her mandate, the Committee makes the following recommendation that;

1. During the 2024/2025 budget allocation, there is need to increase the amounts allocated to road opening. This is to make provision for additional Kshs.22,000 bringing the total budget for road opening/dozing to Ksh.155,000 per kilometer up from the current Kshs. 133,000 which will cater for grading immediately after road opening.
2. Road opening (Dozing program) should be followed immediately by grading as allocated in the budget. Equally, there should be provision for road grading with watering and compacting using the county water bowser and rollers where necessary.
3. The roads and transport department should find a permanent solution to road maintenance by upgrading to gravelling roads and tarmacking instead of the annual grading program.
4. That, the committee in compliance with the request will seek to undertake oversight in all wards in the county to fact-find on the condition/status of roads after the El-Nino rains.
5. Specific Sub-County road engineers, Ward Administrators and Village Administrators should be in charge of County machinery and equipment when deployed to ensure accountability for work done.
6. The County Assembly in collaboration with the County Ministry of Roads, Transport and Public Works should endeavour to develop binding legal

policy regulations/guidelines that will guide the implementation of the In-House road opening and grading program.

.WE, THE MEMBERS OF THE LANDS, INFRASTRUCTURE AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE DO HEREBY APPEND OUR SIGNATURES TO CONFIRM AND APPROVE THE AUTHENTICITY, ACCURACY AND VALIDITY OF THIS REPORT.

S/No.	MEMBERS	DESIGNATION	SIGNATURE
1.	Hon. Alphonse Musyimi Mukwayu	CHAIRPERSON	
2.	Hon. Aron Kilonzi Kasele	V/CHAIRPERSON	
3.	Hon. Kyalo Kimuli	MEMBER	
4.	Hon. Elizabeth Ndunge Peter	MEMBER	
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10.	Hon. Alex Mutambu Nganga	MEMBER	
11.	Hon. Muthama Musyoka Kieti	MEMBER	



STATEMENT REQUEST ON THE STATUS OF ROADS IN KITUI COUNTY.

Mr. Speaker Sir,

Pursuant to the provisions of Standing Order No 41 (2) (c), I would like to request for a statement from the chairperson Committee on Lands, Infrastructure and Urban Development on the status of road in Kitui County.

Whether, the Chairperson is aware that the roads across Kitui County are in Pathetic and poor conditions. Residents of Kitui County have been forced to navigate roads riddled with potholes, cracks and erosion. This deplorable state of roads has caused immense hardships for the community hence impacting negatively on transport.

Whether he is further aware that the planned for grading totaling to Thirty-Five (35) Kilometres and Ten (10) Kilometres for Dozing budgeted in the Financial Year 2023/2024 in all Wards has benefitted only a few wards despite the fact that we are only two months shy to close of the Financial year.

Mr. Speaker sir, good road conditions across the County will improve accessibility to essential services like hospitals, schools, markets and also enhances safety and security within Kitui County.

Mr. Speaker Sir, I seek a statement response within twenty-one (21) days. Specifically, I request the Committee to: -

- i. Ensure the relevant Ministry to take immediate action on repairing/addressing the poor road conditions in the County.
- ii. Obtain the specific details on roads opened and graded in kilometres per ward and conduct a comprehensive assessment of the roads graded in the 2022/2023 and 2023/2024 Financial Years.
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were used.
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Mr. Speaker may approve

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SIGN _____



HON. BENJAMIN MULANDI.

MCA- MUTONGUNI WARD.

COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KITUI.

Annex 2

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Please note time &
prepare for the
Meeting to take
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10.00 a.m.

RE: INVITATION TO SHED LIGHT ON STATEMENT REQUEST ON THE STATUS OF ROADS IN KITUI COUNTY.

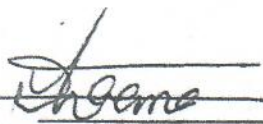
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from 10:00AM in the Assembly Precincts. You will be required to shed more light on the matters raised in the statement request attached. Equally, you are requested to submit typed responses to the committee.

You are at liberty to be accompanied by staff from your office whom you deem fit to assist in the deliberations.



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COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF KITUI**

Appendix 'A'

File

SUMMARY			
	WORKS EXPECTED TO BE DONE BY 20TH JUNE, 2023 (KM)	WORKS COVERED BY 30TH JUNE, 2023	% WORKS DONE
ALL GRADERS	1200	1322.68	110.22%
COUNTY GRADERS	600	708.88	118.15%
MTF GRADERS	600	613.8	102.30%

APPENDIX B: GRADERS LOCATION AS OF 27TH MAY, 2024

SN	GRADER	LOCATION	REMARKS
1	15CG0021A	KYOME/THAANA	GENERAL PROGRAM
2	15CG0022A	WAITA	GENERAL PROGRAM
3	15CG0023A	MUTONGUNI	GENERAL PROGRAM
4	GKA 477M	KWA VONZA	GENERAL PROGRAM
5	15CG0024A	VOO/KYAMATU	BEING SERVICED
SHOVELS , DOZERS AND BACKHOE			
1	DOZER 15CG009A	KIOMO/KYETHANI	GENERAL PROGRAM
2	DOZER KCA332F	KISASI	GENERAL PROGRAM
3	DOZER KCA239F	THARAKA	GENERAL PROGRAM
4	SHOVEL 15CG068A	MUTOMO/KIBWEA	GENERAL PROGRAM
5	SHOVEL15CG066A	KITHUMULA/KWA MUTONGA	GENERAL PROGRAM
6	SHOVEL 15CG072A	CHULUNI	GENERAL PROGRAM
7	BACKHOE KCA249F	HQ	GENERAL PROGRAM
MACHINES UNDER REPAIR			
1	NEWHOLLAND GRADER KCA211F		
2	NEWHOLLAND GRADER KBZ449D		
3	DOOSAN WHEELLOADER GKA667M		
OTHER SUPPORT MACHINES			
1	TIPPER KBY112C		
2	TIPPER KBY113C		
3	TIPPER KBY114C		
4	ROLLER KCA801F		

APPENDIX C: COMPLETED BODA BODA SHEDS PER WARD FY 2023/2024

S/NO	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION	WARD	SUB COUNTY
1.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Ndetani market	Ngomeni	Mwingi North
2.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Mumoni market	Mumoni	Mwingi North
3.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kyuso town	Kyuso	Mwingi North
4.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Mukuyu market	Tharaka	Mwingi North
5.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Ikuuni shopping centre	Kivou	Mwingi Central
6.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kyulungwa town	Waita	Mwingi Central
7.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Miambani town	Mui	Mwingi Central
8.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Nzauni village	Nguutani	Mwingi West
9.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Nzaaiku shopping centre	Kiomo /Kyethani	Mwingi West
10.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kwa Mboya town	Kithumula/Kwa Mutonga	Kitui West
11.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kabati shopping centre	Kauwi	Kitui West
12.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kangolya town	Mutonguni	Kitui West
13.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Soweto shopping centre	Matinyani	Kitui West
14.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Museve market	Kyangwithya East	Kitui Central
15.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Ithookwe shopping centre	Kyangwithya West	Kitui Central
16.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kitui town	Township	Kitui Central
17.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Ung'aatu shopping centre	Kisasi	Kitui Rural
18.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kwa Kilui town	Yatta/kwa Vonza	Kitui Rural
19.	Proposed construction of a	Ngangani/Kamulamban	Mbitini	Kitui Rural

	modern Boda boda shed	i market		
20.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kamutei town	Athi	Kitui South
21.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Makele shopping centre	Ikanga/ Kyatune	Kitui South
22.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Mutomo town	Mutomo/ Kibwea	Kitui South
23.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Vendelani town	Kanziko	Kitui South
24.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Mutha Lower town	Mutha	Kitui South
25.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kivwauni shopping centre	Voo/ Kyamatu	Kitui East
26.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kwa Kinyai town	Nzambani	Kitui East
27.	Proposed construction of a modern Boda boda shed	Kawala village	Mutito/Kaliku	Kitui East

SUMMARY COMPLETED WARDS AS AT 30TH JUNE 2023

S/NO	WARD	KMS DONE	REMARKS
1	KYUSO	45.00	
2	MUMONI	30.00	
3	TSEIKURU	34.50	
4	MIGWANI	45.50	
5	NGUUTANI	31.90	
6	KIOMO/KYETHANI	30.00	
7	MWINGI CENTRAL	30.00	
8	KIVOU	30.00	
9	NUU	35.30	
10	NGUNI	41.00	
11	MUI	30.00	
12	MUTONGUNI	49.40	
13	KAUWI	51.40	
14	MATINYANI	31.00	
15	KITHUMULA/KWA MUTONGA	37.48	
16	YATTA/KWA VONZA	34.50	
17	KANYANGI	30.00	
18	MBITINI	32.50	
19	KYANGWITHYA WEST	35.20	
20	CHULUNI	32.50	
21	VOO/KYAMATU	30.00	
22	ATHI	30.00	
23	KAANZIKO/SIMISI	30.00	
24	IKANGA/KYATUNE	30.00	
25	KYOME/THAANA	31.00	
26	WAITA	30.00	
27	MULANGO	32.90	
28	MUTITU/KALIKU	30.00	
29	ZOMBE/MWITIKA	30.00	
30	NGOMENI	30.00	
31	MIAMBANI	31.70	
32	ENDAU/MALALANI	30.00	
33	THARAKA	30.00	
34	MUTOMO/KIBWEA	30.00	
35	IKUTHA	30.00	
36	NZAMBANI	30.00	
37	KISASI	30.00	
38	MUTHA	38.00	
39	KYANGWITHYA EAST	28.00	
40	KITUI TOWNSHIP	24.00	
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COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KITUI

MINISTRY OF ROADS, PUBLIC WORKS & TRANSPORT

DEPARTMENT OF ROADS AND ALLIED INFRASTRUCTURE

REVISED GRADING MAIN PROGRAMME - TARGET 12 DAYS ROAD GRADING PER WARD FY 2023-2024

PROPOSED GRADING MAIN PROGRAMME -35KM PER WARD

S/ SUB-COUNTY/WARD	DESCRIPTION-	DURATION (DAYS)	START DATE	FINISH DATE	ACTUAL START DATE	ACTUAL FINISH DATE	MACHINERY	ACHIEVED KM AS AT 27.05.2024	COMMENTS	
A Mwingi north										
1	Kyuso	12 Days	Monday, April 15, 2024	Monday, April 29, 2024				39.5	Program complete 18Kms Emergency grading works	
2	Ngomeni	12 Days	Wednesday, May 1, 2024	Wednesday, May 15, 2024				35	Program complete (16,7km grading, Graveling at Mandongoi Tipper, Shovel)	
3	Teikuru	12 Days	Friday, May 17, 2024	Wednesday, May 29, 2024	Monday, January 15, 2024			38	Program complete	
4	Mumoni	12 Days	Friday, May 31, 2024	Wednesday, June 12, 2024				53.5	28KMS Emergency Graveling	
5	Tharaka	12 Days	Friday, June 14, 2024	Wednesday, June 26, 2024				0		
B Mwingi West								TOTAL	166	
1	Kyome/Rhaana	12 Days	Monday, February 5, 2024	Monday, February 19, 2024				35.9	On-going (GK477M)	
2	Ngudani	12 Days	Wednesday, February 21, 2024	Monday, March 4, 2024				2	Emergency	
3	Konog/Kyethani	12 Days	Wednesday, March 6, 2024	Monday, March 18, 2024				11.3	Emergency	
4	Migwani	12 Days	Wednesday, March 20, 2024	Monday, April 1, 2024				35.4	Program complete	
C Mwingi Central								TOTAL	84.6	
1	Mui	12 Days	Monday, April 15, 2024	Monday, April 29, 2024				38.5	program complete	
2	Kyovu	12 Days	Wednesday, May 1, 2024	Monday, May 13, 2024				35	Program complete	
3	Walia	12 Days	Wednesday, May 15, 2024	Monday, May 27, 2024	Monday, January 15, 2024			21.5	On-Going	
4	Nuu	12 Days	Wednesday, May 29, 2024	Monday, June 10, 2024				38.7	Program complete	
5	Nguni	12 Days		Monday, June 24, 2024				39	Program complete (18kms done with shovel and tipper spot graveling)	
6	Mwingi Central	12 Days	Wednesday, June 12, 2024	Monday, July 8, 2024				0		
D Kitui West								TOTAL	172.7	
1	Mutonguni	12 Days	Friday, June 28, 2024	Wednesday, July 10, 2024				30	On going	
2	Kauwi	12 Days	Friday, July 12, 2024	Wednesday, July 24, 2024				1.8	Emergency	
3	Muthiyani	12 Days	Friday, July 26, 2024	Wednesday, August 7, 2024				19.3	Emergency	
4	Mutona/Kithumula	12 Days	Friday, August 9, 2024	Wednesday, August 21, 2024	Monday, January 15, 2024			32.2	program complete	
TOTAL								83.3		

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DOZING PROGRAMME - TARGET 10 KMS PER WARD FY 2023-2024

S/ No.	DESCRIPTION- SUB-COUNTY/WARD	DURATION (DAYS)	START DATE	FINISH DATE	ACTUAL START DATE	ACTUAL FINISH DATE	ACHIEVED KM AS AT 27.05.2024	COMMENTS
DOZING PROGRAMME - 10 KMS PER WARD								
S1	SHOVEL 8-M	140 DAYS						
1	Eridau/Malalani	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24			10.5	Program complete
2	Zombe/Mwitika	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24			10.3	Program complete
3	Muthu/Kaikuu	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24			15.7	Program complete
4	Voo/Kyanatu	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24				
5	Nuu	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24				
6	Mui	14 DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24				
					Total		36.5	
S2	SHOVEL (TRADE)	140DAYS						
1	Tsekuru	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24			11.1	Program complete
2	Mahiyani	15 DAYS	Tue-16-Jan-24	Sun-28-Jan-24			10.9	Program complete(14days)
3	Kaiwi	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24			10.2	Program complete
4	Mulonguni	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24				
5	Kithumula/Kwa mutonga	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24			3	Emergency
6	Migvani	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24				
7	Nguitani	14 DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24				
					Total		35.2	
D1	DOZER 1	140 DAYS						

1	Athi	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24		6	Program complete
2	Ikutha	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24		17.4	Program complete
3	Mukomo/Kibwea	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24		12	Program complete
4	Kaariko/Simisi	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24			
5	Mutha	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24			
6	Ikanga/Kyehune	14DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24			
7	Mbitini	14DAYS	Mon-08-Jul-24	Sat-20-Jul-24			
	End				Total	36.4	
D1	DOZER -KCA 332F	140 DAYS					
1	Tharaka	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24		11.5	On-Going (skins done earlier)
2	Mumoni	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24			
3	Ngomeni	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24			
4	Kyuso	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24			
5	Nguni	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24			
6	Mwingi Central	14DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24			
7	Waia	14DAYS	Mon-08-Jul-24	Sat-20-Jul-24			
	End				Total	11.5	
D1	DOZER -KCA 239F	140 DAYS					
1	Nzambani	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24		10	Program complete
2	Kisasi	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24		9.3	On-Going
3	Yatta/Kwa Vanza	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24			
4	Kanyangi	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24			
5	Kixou	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24			
6	Kiomo/Kyethani	14DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24			
7	Kyome /Thana	14 DAYS	Mon-08-Jul-24	Sat-20-Jul-24			
	End				Total	19.3	
S3	SHOVEL A-L	140 DAYS					
1	Kyngwithya East	14 DAYS	Mon-15-Apr-24	Sat-27-Apr-24		10.55	Program complete(14days)
2	Kyngwithya West	14 DAYS	Mon-29-Apr-24	Sat-11-May-24		11.2	Program complete
3	Mulango	14 DAYS	Mon-13-May-24	Sat-25-May-24		11.2	Program complete
4	Mlambani	14 DAYS	Mon-27-May-24	Sat-08-Jun-24			
5	Kitui township	14 DAYS	Mon-10-Jun-24	Sat-22-Jun-24			
6	Chuhuni	14DAYS	Mon-24-Jun-24	Sat-06-Jul-24		15	Program complete
					Total	47.95	
TOTAL						185.85	

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APPENDIX D: RMLF FY 2024/2025 PROPOSALS

1. Criteria Used in Selecting the Roads

- a. Consideration was made of the proposed roads in "The Kitui Promise", CIDP (2022 -2027) and List of Roads damaged due to adverse effects of El nino phenomena.
- b. Adoption of merit-based prioritization of roads development and maintenance in terms of population served, roads conditions and critical service routes.
- c. Collaboration with other National Government Agencies in accomplishing our mandate. Like in the current Emergency Road repairs due to El nino rains, KeRRA is rehabilitating some of the County roads.
- d. Paved roads have low maintenance requirements in respect to unpaved roads. Planning and budgeting to pave one road per year will continue reducing our maintenance requirements.
- e. Inter-connectivity between Wards and shortening of routes that are long due to lack of road connections were also applied in selecting the roads.

2. Proposed Roads for RMLF FY 2024 / 2025

APPENDIX D

SUB COUNTY	NO	ROAD NO. (ID)	ROAD NAME	WARDS COVERED
MWINGI NORTH	1		Improvement of Mulangoni - Karingo Road & Kamuru - Karingo with drifts	Tseikuru
	2		Construction of Kwa Mwituu & Mulangoni Drifts (2No.), along Kalimbiu - Mulangoni Road	Tseikuru
	3		Mikwaa - Milia - Mataka Road	Kyuso
	4	E4117	Construction of Kalwa Drift on Kyuso - Kalwa road	Ngomeni
	5		Improvement of Londiani Water Junction - Ciambiu Road	Tharaka
	6		Improvement of Nguuka Market - Katambauku Road	Mumoni

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	7		Ithesya -kasau mue-mwendaka jtn - syungji sec sch	Mwingi central
	8		Ukasi-Sosoma-Egamba-Dam Side	Nuu/Endau Malalni
	9		Maintenance of kaltini kavalki yumbu kamulewa road	Mui
MWINGI CENTRAL	10		Nguni-Kalanga road	Nguni
	11		Manguloma Drift - Mwithyi along God Sherperd - Kyanika Road	Kivou and Kiomo/ Kyethani
	12		Ikuuni - Kalilii - Waita Road	Kivou
	13		Mbaa moki-kivui-muono-nyanyaa road	Waita
	14		Mbondoni-Kwa Mulatya-Kavyooni-Kangatu-Kaloi	Kiomo/Kyethani
	15		Thitani Primary School - Ngongoni market Road	Kyome/Thaana
MWINGI WEST	16		Mumbuni - Mukoni - Tyia - Munga'lu road	Migwani
	17	E4096	Kithyooko-Kakululo-Nzawa-Kakeani-Kwa Ngutu-Mwangya	Ngutani
KITUI WEST	18		Kyaani -Kivani -Kwa Kasyula -Kithumula Market Road Improvement	Kithumula/Kwa Mutonga
	19		Kauma - Kavumbu - Maseki Jnct Road	Matinyani
	20		Kawwata - Bosnia - Mangelu - Kwa Kimele - Mutanda Shopping Centre Road	Kauwi
	21		Construction of Kwa Ilete Box Culvert	Mutunguni
	22		Kwa Mukwa - Vinda - Makaani - Ndivuni	Miambani/ Kyangwithya East
	23		Improvement of Access Road to Tanaathi Offices/ Kitui County Administration Block	Changwithya East
KITUI CENTRAL	24	UCR	Mulutu-kwa kimanzi mumu-tito mwanja-mathunzini-ithookwe	Kyangwithya west
	25		Manyenyonni - Wiii - Wikililije Katulani Road	Mulango
	26		Improvement to bitumen standards of ATC - Seku - Bypass and Link to Kitui School - Ithookwe Road	Township

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	27		Kyandula - Kamutei - Makutano ma Ilengi	Athi
	28		Mwangu Ivuti Primary Access Road	Athi
	29		Ikanga primary -Kiangwa - Mbitini	Ikanga/Kyatune & Mbitini
	30		Kamulangani -Kaatene - Kalambani	Mutha
	31		Ikutha - Ngawuni - Muvuko - Kavingoi	Ikutha
KITUI SOUTH	32		Muthue-Mwangala-Kanziku with a box culvert at kwa vai	Kanziku/Simisi
	33		Mutomo - Kisaayani - Yongela Junction	Mutomo/Kibwea, Ikanga/Kyatune & Mbitini
	34		Improvement of Katumbi -Maluini - Mitaani Road	Endau/Malalani
KITUI EAST	35		Improvement of Chuluni Girls -Ngenji -Majengo	Nzambani
	36		Improvement of Zombe stores - Canteen - Kaumu - Kathande Road	Zombe/Mwitika
	37		Improvement of Mutitu -Kaliku -Mwaani Road	Mutitu/Kaliku
	38		Improvement of Muthugue -Maskalini-Imuumba - Ndila - Police Station Road	Voo/Kyamatu
	39		Improvement of Utwini -Ngomano -Kamulu -Katumbu Road	Chuluni
KITUI RURAL	40		Katuala - Kaunguni - Mavuko - Kwa Kamusou - Kitamaa - Mavindini Road	Kisasi
	41		Kanyangi-ndovoini-nzambia	Kanyangi
	42		Ngomoni - Kavoo - Kaa Chojo - Kitooni Masimba - Mumbwe -Kiunduani	Kanyangi
	43		A9 Kamulambani - Ngangani - Nzangathi	Mbitini
	44		Kiumoni - Mamole - Kwa Kilui Junction	Yatta/kwa vonza
	45		Seku junction-mwakini-katangini	Yatta/kwa vonza

