REPUBLIC OF KENYA

GOVERNMENT OF MAKUENI COUNTY





DEPARTMENT OF DEVOLUTION, PUBLIC PARTICIPATION, COUNTY ADMINISTRATION AND SPECIAL PROGRAMMES

MINUTES OF KDSP II COUNTY PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION UNIT MEETING HELD ON 28TH OCTOBER, 2024 AT CS BOARDROOM FROM <u>12:00NOON</u>

MEMBERS PRESENT

- 1. Zipporah Wambua County Program Coordinator/CPIU Chair
- 2. Ruth Mwongeli Program M&E Officer
- 3. Bernard Wambua KRA 3 Focal Person
- 4. Victor Maingi Knowledge Management Specialist

ABSENT WITH APOLOGY

- 1. Mathias Mbweli KRA 1 Focal Person
- 2. Jennifer Kaleli KRA 2 Focal Person

AGENDA

- 1. Preliminaries
- 2. Review preparedness on KDSP II Annual Performance Assessment
- 3. Way Forward
- 4. Any other business and meeting adjournment

MIN 1/28/10/2024: PRELIMINARIES

Meeting was called to order by the committee Chairperson and opening prayer said by Ruth Mwongeli.

MIN 2/28/10/2024: 1.REVIEW PREPAREDNESS ON KDSP II ANNUAL PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

The members were informed by the Chairperson that Annual Performance Assessment for the Counties is tentatively scheduled for November,2024 and the assessment will be undertaken by an independent agency engaged by State Department of Devolution. Further members were informed that the assessment will precede release of institutional grant where each county will get Ksh. 37.5M for year 1. Based on KDSP II program appraisal document, members did self-assessment of their preparedness and assigned responsibilities as tabulated below;

DLI Descripti on	Conditions	Indicators	Scorin g	Means of Verification/Verificatio n Procedures	Requirements	Responsibl e
Participati	Minimum Condit	ions for Year	1	In Troccutics		
Participati ng Counties with Core Governan ce and Institution al Arrangem ents in Place to Manage Public Resources	Signing of Participation agreements	County Governor has signed a Participatio n Agreement with the Principal Secretary, State Departmen t for Devolution	Binary (Y/N)	Signed participation agreement between Principal Secretary, State Department for Devolution and the County Governor: The countersigned participation agreement must bear the county seal, and a copy must have been uploaded in the external county website. The countersigned participation agreement must bear the county seal, and a copy must have been uploaded in the	The countersigned participation agreement must bear the county seal, and a copy must have been uploaded in the external county website	County Program Coordinato r.
	Establishment of Program		Binary (Y/N)	external county website County Program Steering Committee (CPSC):		
	management structures (County Program Steering Committee (CPSC); County Program Technical Committee (CPTC) and County Program Implementation Unit (CPIU)	County Program Steering Committee established and operational		Appointment/Notification letters of members of County Program Steering Committee with the following composition: Governor (Chair); Relevant CECs responsible for achieving Program Results; Chair County Public Service Boards; Speaker County Assembly; County Secretary; County Program Coordinator (Secretary to the Committee). The indicator is considered not met if the composition of the Committee is not aligned with the above described composition. Signed minutes/reports	 3 appointment letters forwarded to H.E Governor awaiting approvals • Inaugural 	CECM Devolution
				for the CPSC committee meetings- Signed by the Chair and Secretary.	 Meeting. Consideration of the 	Progra m Coordi

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on				n Procedures	 Workplans.cash fow&budget CPSC kusyombunguo meeting 	nator to liaise with CECM to obtain meeting notices & attenda nces lists)
						• BEN – to prepare minutes
		County Program Technical Committee established and operational		County Program Technical Committee (CPTC) Appointment/Notification letters of members of (County Program Technical Committee with the following composition: (i) County Secretary – Chair; (ii) Chief Officer, Department responsible for Devolution; (iii) Chief Officer, Finance; (iv) Chief Officer, Department responsible for County Public Service; (v) Chief Officer, Department responsible for public participation and citizen engagement; (vi) Chief Officer, Department responsible for Economic Planning; (vii) Chief Officer, Department responsible for Environment; (viii) Chief Officer, Department	Appointment/Notifi cation letters of members of (County Program Technical Committee	CO Devolution to follow up with CS on signing of CPTC appointmen t letters.

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				Services; (ix) Chief		
				Officer, Department		
				responsible for Public		
				Investments; (x) CEO,		
				County Public Service		
				Board; (xi) Clerk, County		
				Assembly; (x) County		
				Program Coordinator -		
				Secretary. The indicator		
				is considered not met if		
				the described		
				composition of the		
				Committee is not aligned		
l I				with the above		
				composition.		
				Signed minutes/reports	Signed	BEN –
				for CPTC Committee	minutes/reports -	MAP&Kus
				meetings: Signed by the	meetings;	yombungu
				Chair and Secretary.	Devolution	0
					board	
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					Boardroom	Boardroom
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		County		County Program		
		Program		Implementation Unit		
		Implement		(CPIU)		
		ation Unit				
		established		Appointment letters of		Confirm
		and		County Program		qualificatio
		operational		Implementation Unit		ns and
				(CPIU) for the following		experience
				positions: (i) County		stipulated
				Program Coordinator		under POM
				(Director level); (ii)		for every
				Technical focal persons		CPIU
				on the three Program		member.
				KRAs; (iii) Focal persons		
				from the SPMU (on		
				procurement and FM);		
				(iv) Environmental		
				safeguards specialist and		
				social safeguards		
				specialist (these will be		
				existing KDSP, Kenya		
				Urban Support Program		

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				(KUSP), and Financing		
				Locally-Led Climate		
				Actions (FLLoCA)		
				specialists who will be		
				co-shared across World		
				Bank-funded programs in		
				the county); (v) M&E		
				specialist; (vi) GRM		
				specialist; (vii) Social		
				risk management		
				specialist. The indicator		
				is considered not met if		
				the composition of the		
				CPIU is not aligned with		
				the above composition.		
				These positions are the		
				minimum required and a		
				county can have more		
				functions included in the		
				CPIU.		D 1
				Signed minutes/reports of	Signed	Ruth –
				the CPIU Meetings-	minutes/reports of	Kilimani
				Signed the Chair and	the CPIU Meetings	breeze
				Secretary.	Kilimani Breeze	DEN
					• Virtual meeting	BEN-
					Kusyombunguo	Kusyombu
					hotel	nguo Hotel
	Annual work	Approved	Binary	County Annual budget	Co Devolution	Co
	plans and	annual	(Y/N)	approved by the County	to request for	Devolution
	budgets	work		assembly that includes a	minutes from	
	prepared and	plans,		budget allocation for	County	
	approved	budgets		KDSP II (allocation can	Assembly	
		and cash		be at vote, sub-vote,	approving	Mathias
		flow plans		program or activity	budget	Mbweli
		prepared		level).		
					• Evidence of	
					approved	
					budget FY	
					2024/25	
				County has opened as	• Evidence of	Со
				Special Purpose Account	opened as	Devolution
				with the Central Bank of	Special Purpose	
				Kenya with the Chief	Account with	
				Officer responsible for	the Central	
				Devolution as one of the	Bank of Kenya	
				signatories (Please see	with the Chief	
				letter from the State		

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on				n Procedures Department for Devolution Ref: MDP/DD/ADM/II/19VO L.I (76))	Officer responsible for Devolution as one of the signatories	
					 letter from the State Department for Devolution Ref: MDP/DD/ADM /II/19VOL.I (76)) 	
				Signed CPSC Meeting minute /Report approving, work plan, budget and cash flow plan	Meeting minutes, meeting notice, attendance list	County Program Coordinato r
	Transparency and Disclosure on use of county funds	County has published on its website key budget and	-	Approved work plan, budget and cash flow plan (signed by CPSC Chair and Secretary)	Approved work plan, budget and cash flow plan (signed by CPSC Chair and Secretary)	County Program Coordinato r
		expenditur e data as stipulated in the Participatio n Agreement		County external website has all the following documents: i) Annual Development Plan for FY24/25 (ii) County Fiscal Strategy Paper for FY24/25; (iii) Approved Program-based budget for FY24/25; (iv) County Finance Act for FY24/25; (v) County Budget Review and Outlook Paper for FY24/25; (vi) Quarterly budget implementation reports (Q1 to Q4); (vii) County Integrated Development Plan	 County external website with i) Annual Development Plan for FY24/25 (ii) County Fiscal Strategy Paper for FY24/25; (iii) Approved Program-based budget for FY24/25; (iv) County Finance Act for FY24/25; (v) County Budget Review and 	Mathias Mbweli
					Outlook Paper for FY24/25; (vi) Quarterly budget implementation	Devolution

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					 reports (Q1 to Q4); (vii) County Integrated Development Plan CPIU to align the workplan/budge t/cash flow in line with templates provided in the POM 	

MIN 3/28/10/2024 WAY FORWARD

Members deliberated and agreed on the following;

- Proposed for a working session from 5th to 8th for the CPIU to align submitted workplan into template provided for in the POM document and finalize tasks assigned in Minute 2/28/2024. The critical participants to be Program Coordinator, SPMU (Accountant &Procurement Officer), KRA focal persons, Knowledge Management and M&E officer. Members tasked County Program Coordinator to liaise with Chief Officer on facilitation of the working session.
- 2. There is need to undertake a mock assessment before the IVA one.

MIN 4/28/10/2024 ANY OTHER BUSINESS AND MEETING ADJOURNMENT

There being no other business the meeting ended with a word of prayer from Victor Maingi

Minutes Prepared by: Bernard Wambua- KRA 3 Focal Person

Signature Date

Confirmed by: Zipporah Wambua- CPIU Chair

Signature Date