



**GOVERNMENT OF MAKUENI COUNTY**  
**THE COUNTY TREASURY**

# **KITISE/KITHUKI**

**WARD DEVELOPMENT PROFILE, 2025**

**PROJECTS FOR THE FINANCIAL YEARS  
2022/23, 2023/24 & 2024/25**



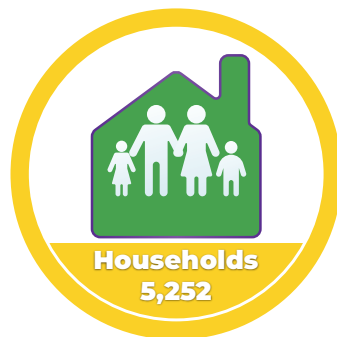
*'Wani wa Kwika nesa na Ufungaji'*

## 1.0 Introduction

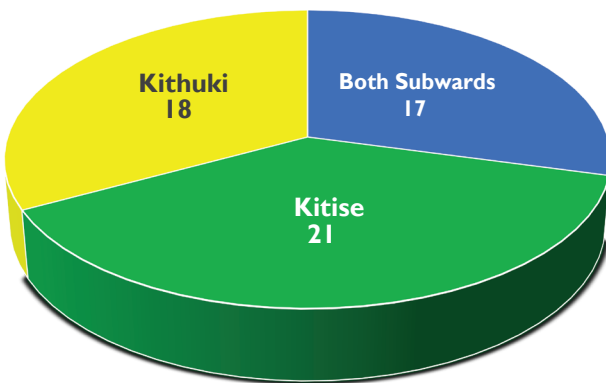
The Ward Development Profile highlights key milestones achieved by the County Government of Makueni in FY 2022/23, FY 2023/24, and FY 2024/25. It documents government interventions aligned with citizens’ development priorities, promoting transparency, accountability, and informed decision-making.

The profile provides a detailed record of projects implemented in each ward, including budget allocations, locations, implementation status, and the resulting community impact.

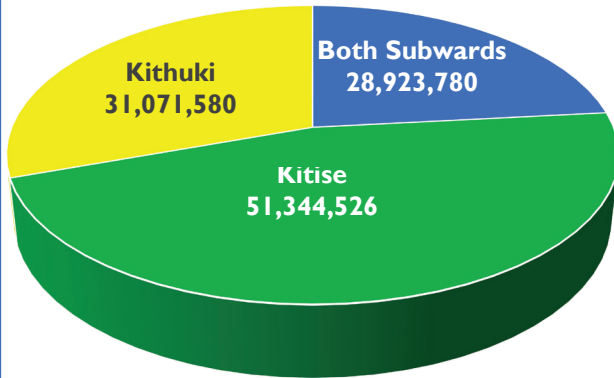
### 1.1 Background Information



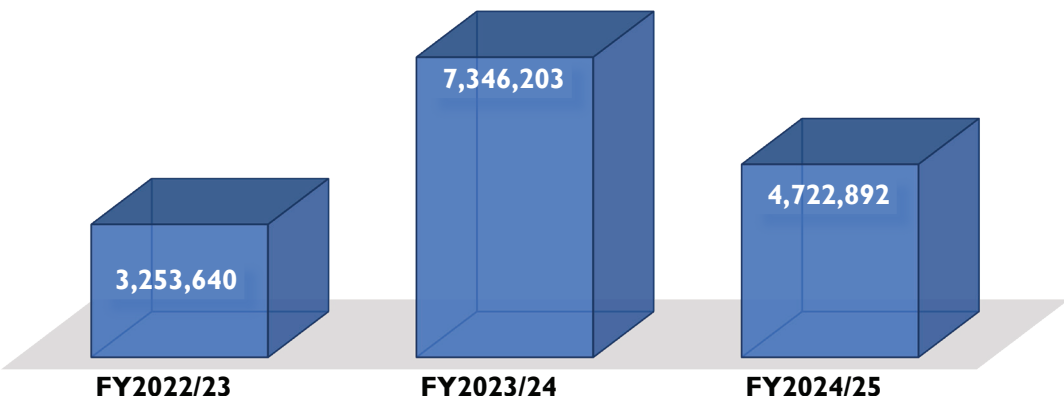
**No of Projects for FY2022/23, FY2023/24 and FY2024/25**



**Budgets Allocation for FY2022/23, FY2023/24 and FY2024/25 (Ksh)**



**Own Source Revenue Collected in the Ward (Ksh)**







### Water Access and Environmental Conservation

To enhance access and reduce distance to water sources, the county government has;

- Constructed Kwa Maundu and Musau sand dams to enhance water harvesting.
- Desilted Kwetui and Mitooni earth dams, benefitting approximately 200 households.
- Distributed water from Kimundi sump through the construction of a pipeline, installation of solar power, two 10m<sup>3</sup> water tanks, and 2 water points, benefitting 200 households.
- Expanded the distribution of Kwa Mbila Earth dam by 2.2Km from Kiambani to Kiuuku, benefitting approximately 200 households.
- Repaired Kwa Kaivu borehole pumping system, reinstating water supply for 100 households.
- Revived Kwa Nyaa borehole through installation of a new motor, construction of a kiosk at Kwanyaa Market, and rehabilitated the pipeline, restoring water supply to 300 households, two schools, and one market.
- Overall, all earth dams improvements, borehole repairs, and pipeline extensions have benefited approximately 2,310 households across the ward.



Kwa Maundu  
and Musau  
Sand Dams





## Road Access and Connectivity

The county government improved road network connectivity and electrification through the following interventions:

- Opened 101 km and graded 209.9 km of roads across the ward, enhancing accessibility and mobility.
- Constructed 32 meters of culverts and 18 gabion boxes to improve the drainage system and protect road infrastructure.
- Promoted “roads for water” initiative through construction of 2,124m<sup>3</sup> of mitre drains, enhancing climate resilience and water harvesting along road corridors.
- Installed 16 integrated solar floodlights at Maaui Eli, Manza, Mbata, Munathi, Kikome, Kyuasini, Kiambani, Kimundi, Mayuu, Kwanyaa, Kithayoni, Katangini, Mwakini, Nzuuni, Winzeni and King’ang’i markets.
- Installed two grid-powered floodlights at Yinthungu and Liani market enhancing security and support extended business hours.
- Facilitated electricity connections at ACK Kitise and 12 neighbouring households through the Rural Electrification and Renewable Energy Corporation (REREC) matching grant Programme, improving access to reliable and affordable energy for households and small enterprises.

Mbata Solar Floodlight





## Governance

To strengthen governance and participation at the ward level, the government;

- Established ward sand management committee, ensuring sustainable sand conservation and utilization, promoting environmental conservation, and climate resilience.
- Renovated the Kithuki Sub-ward administrative office to ensure efficient and effective devolution support services and improve service delivery to the community.
- Supported the organization and elections of development committees at the village, cluster, sub-ward, and ward levels, strengthening governance at grassroots level.



Renovated Kithuki Village Administrator's Office



## Public Sanitation

To improve public sanitation, the county government;

- Engaged cleaners to service 5 markets within the ward, improving market hygiene and create employment opportunities.



## Agricultural Production and Productivity

In an effort to enhance food security, improve farmer livelihoods and promote sustainable agricultural practices, the county government implemented the following interventions;

- Vaccinated 8,819 livestock against diseases, benefiting 11,078 farmers.
- Provided integrated pest management training and distributed control baits and solar bags to 990 farmers. This has reduced post-harvest losses from approximately 40% to 15%, enhancing fruit quality, market access and increased incomes.
- Mobilized 52 farmer groups into SACCOs to address financial exclusion, enabling timely access to inputs and supporting asset accumulation.
- Provided Artificial Insemination services to 84 cooperative member farms, achieving 30–100% milk-yield gains and accelerating genetic improvement across generations.
- Formed a ward-based SACCO and supported with Kshs 1,000,000 inclusion grant, trained leaders and automated systems, enabling members to mobilize savings and access financial credit services.
- Assisted farmers with pond liners under KCEP CRAL.







## Health Services

In an effort to enhance and increase access to essential primary healthcare, the county government;

- Distributed essential commodities and medical supplies to various health facilities.
- Renovated Kithuki health Centre maternity wing which records approximately 15 deliveries monthly, and a workload of 1,437 visits, serving a catchment population of 4,684.
- Engaged 109 community health promoters and equipped them with standard medical tool kits, marking a significant milestone in improving community-based primary healthcare.

Renovated Kithuki Health Centre Maternity Wing





## Access to Education

To enhance access to quality education and training, the county government;

- Constructed new classrooms at Ngunguuni and Matheani ECDE centres, providing a conducive learning environment.
- Converted 34 ECDE teachers to permanent and pensionable terms, ensuring continuity in teaching and improved livelihoods.
- Supported 34 ECDE centres with teaching and learning materials to strengthen early learning.
- Supported 1,230 needy students with bursaries and awarded full scholarships to 6 Form one entrants enhancing retention in schools.
- Constructed a dormitory at Yinthungu Vocational Training Centre, providing conducive accommodation for trainees.

Matheani ECDE Centre







## Social Protection and Youth Empowerment

To enhance well-being and improved livelihood for the vulnerable population, the county government has;

- Supported 22 persons with disabilities in acquiring assorted assistive mobility devices to promote self-reliance and improve their well-being.
- Trained 73 individuals on motor cycle riding and issued them with licenses, enabling them access transport related jobs.
- Provided 113 elderly individuals with food and non-food items along with medical insurance subscriptions for healthcare access, benefiting 6.3% of the ward's elderly population of 1,786.
- Facilitated 38 ward teams to participate in Ligi Mashinani ward league games and issued with sport items, promoting sports development at grass root level besides nurturing talent.
- Mapped and assessed 511 persons with disabilities to acquire certificates and enable them access essential services.
- Trained and issued tools of trade under Ujuzi teke teke programme to 3 youth (1 carwash machine, 1 salon & 1 Kinyozi kit).



## Security of Land Tenure

To enhance access to justice and safeguard inheritance rights, the county government:

- Conducted a legal clinic attended by approximately 413 people and provided succession support to 35 households, including initiating the drafting and filing of succession petitions.

Land Succession Legal  
Clinic in progress





### 3.0 List of Ward Development Projects

No	Project Name	Project Description	Subward	Budget	FY	Status	Current Remarks
<b>Agriculture, Livestock, Fisheries &amp; Cooperative Development</b>							
1	Kikome Irrigation scheme	Phase 1: Repair of 100m3 distribution tank, construction of 3 distribution lines, return line and construction of a sump tank	Kitise	9,534,203	2022/23	Complete	Serves 2,000 households
2	Kikome Irrigation scheme	Phase 2: Construction of 2.5km raising main, installation of solar pumping system, and T-points at three distribution line	Kitise	7,000,000	2023/24	Complete	Serves 120 farmers
3	Distribution of bee hives	Distribution of bee hives	Cross-cutting	500,000	2024/25	Complete	Three youths benefitted from the program
4	Operationalization of Kikome Irrigation Scheme (stalled project)	Operationalization of Kikome Irrigation Scheme (stalled project)	Kitise	4,590,323	2024/25	Complete	Reduced over dependance on rain fed agriculture
<b>County Attorney</b>							
5	Sensitization and support to land succession - Legal statutory charges and fees, gazetteement, filing, sensitization, collection of data and document perfection.	Sensitization and support to land succession - Legal statutory charges and fees, gazetteement, filing, sensitization, collection of data and document perfection.	Cross-cutting	700,000	2024/25	Ongoing	Ongoing
<b>Devolution Public Participation County Administration and Special Programs</b>							
6	Kithuki Sub-Ward Office Block	Renovations of Administrative office-Kithuki sub ward	Kithuki	651,580	2023/24	Complete	Provided conducive working environment
<b>Gender, Children, Youth, Sports and Social Services</b>							
7	Youth Development programs- Sport itmes	Provision of sport items.	Cross-cutting	340,000	2023/24	Complete	Sport items Issued to 33 teams
8	Sports and Youth development Programme - Youth, Talent and Infrastructure development for athletics, ballgames, indoor games, establishment of sport fund and development of sports development proposals	Support to "Ligi Mashinani" ward games and provision of sport items.	Cross-cutting	300,000	2024/25	Complete	Sport items issued to ward teams
9	PWD support-Assistive Devices -Support PWDs with assorted assistive devices	Purchase and supply of 20 wheelchairs, 2 walking canes, 30 packets of diapers	Cross-cutting	500,000	2024/25	Complete	22 persons with disabilities benefitted with assistive devices.
10	Youth Empowerment- Ujuzi Teke Teke	Driving course training	Cross-cutting	800,000	2024/25	Ongoing	73 beneficiaries trained on motorcycle riding, Awaiting issuance of licences.
11	Rehabilitation of Kitise Market public dias	Completion of Kitise Market dias	Kitise	3,000,000	2024/25	Complete	provides a conducive environment for hosting public forums
<b>Health Services</b>							
12	Kithuki heath centre	Renovation of maternity wing and the outpatient block.	Kithuki	3,500,000	2022/23	Complete	Has an average of 15 deliveries per month, monthly workload of 1,437 visits and a catchment population of 4,684.

No	Project Name	Project Description	Subward	Budget	FY	Status	Current Remarks
ICT, Education & Internship							
13	Athiani CTTI- renovation works	Roof renovation	Kitise	1,000,000	2022/23	Complete	Enhanced the learning environment
14	Yinthungu CTTI	Yinthungu CTTI – Construction of a boys' dormitory.	Kithuki	1,960,000	2023/24	Complete	provides conducive accommodation for the trainees
15	Matheani ECDE	Construction of 2 classrooms, office, store, water harvesting (5000lts) 3 door pit latrine electrical conduit works, supply of metallic cabinet wooden table, arm chair and pay equipment	Kithuki	3,920,000	2023/24	Complete	Has a current enrolment of 24
16	Ngunguuni ECDE	Construction of 2 classrooms, office, store, water harvesting (5000lts) 3 door pit latrine electrical conduit works, supply of metallic cabinet wooden table, arm chair and pay equipment	Kitise	3,920,000	2023/24	Complete	Has a current enrolment of 33
Infrastructure, Transport, Public works and Energy							
17	Rehabilitation of 4 solar floodlights	1.no. interegrated solar intergrated market light, 4NO.solar lights rehabiliation	Cross-cutting	1,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Enhanced safety, security and extended working
18	Fuel for Routine maintenance of Kitise ward access roads	Use of county machine to light grade selected roads in the ward	Cross-cutting	1,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Enhanced connectivity within the ward
19	Construction of Key Wall at Londokwe along Nzouni- Manza Road	Construction of 34m long RC retaining wall	Cross-cutting	2,000,000	2024/25	Complete	The drainage structures have ensured road durability and access in all seasons,
20	Construction of Key Wall at Londokwe along Matheani -Kwa Nyaa Road	Construction of 25m and 16m long RC retaining walls	Cross-cutting	2,000,000	2024/25	Complete	The drainage structures have reduced travel time and lowered transportation cost .
21	Light grading & drainage works of Kiambani-Kiuuku-Kithuki-Matheani-Kitise road (Hire of Machines-MTF)	Light grading installation of drainage works of Kiambani-Kiuuku-Kithuki-Matheani-Kitise road	Cross-cutting	4,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Enhanced increased connectivity and accessibility
22	Installation of floodlights in markets (mayuu, Kwa nyaa, kithayoni, katangini, mwakini ,nzouni, winzeni, kingangi, rehabilitation - ngunguuni, yinthungu, kyase, Mwanja)	Installation of floodlights at mayuu, Kwa nyaa, kithayoni, katangini, mwakini ,nzouni, winzeni, kingangi, rehabilitation - ngunguuni, yinthungu, kyase, Mwanja.	Cross-cutting	3,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Enhanced security in 12 markets
23	Construction of high mast floodlight at Yinthungu market	instalation of 20m high mast floodlight with 6 NO 400w led fitting	Kithuki	2,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Enhanced safety and security in Yinthungu market
24	Opening & Grading of Athiani-Kithaayoni-Mwanja-Kwa Nzula-Kwa Kimasyu-Kikome-Kwa Nyaa Road (machine hire)	Opening & Grading of Athiani-Kithaayoni-Mwanja-Kwa Nzula-Kwa Kimasyu-Kikome- Kwa Nyaa Road	Kitise	3,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Increased connectivity and accessibility
25	Opening & Grading of Athiani-Kithaayoni-Mwanja-Kwa Nzula-Kwa Kimasyu-Kikome-Kwa Nyaa Road (machine hire)	Opening & Grading of Athiani-Kithaayoni-Mwanja-Kwa Nzula-Kwa Kimasyu-Kikome- Kwa Nyaa Road	Kitise	500,000	2024/25	Complete	Increased connectivity and accessibility
26	Roads improvement (Fuel)	Opening of selected roads	Cross-cutting	2,893,780	2022/23	Complete	Enhance road connectivity within the ward



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27	Roads improvement programme(machine hire) Kithuki sub ward	Road opening and grading: Kyase Pri-Kwa Waema – Kwa Lalumba, Kimundi Junction - Waimu -Kwa Wakay, Kasayani - Bosnia -Kyuasi )	Kithuki	3,000,000	2022/23	Complete	Roads were opened and graded, enhancing accessibility and transportation
28	Kithuki-Nzouni -londokwe road/construction of Masonary drift	Construction of a drift and 80m3 of mitre drains	Kithuki	1,200,000	2022/23	Complete	Enhanced access to Kithuki primary, Nzouni primary and Nzouni market.
29	Kwa kivai-kyuasini-nzouni-kwa syoni road	Road opening	Kithuki	3,000,000	2022/23	Complete	Connects Kitise and Kithuki sub location.
30	Roads improvement programme(machine hire) Kitise subward	Opening of (Mbata – Mayuu – Ngunguuni – Athiani road	Kitise	2,700,000	2022/23	Complete	Enhance access and connectivity within the sub-ward
31	Road Improvement through Machine hire	Road opening and grading on selected roads across the ward; ,Nzouni - Londokwe - Miangeni - Manza road, Manza - Kikuu road	Cross-cutting	3,430,000	2023/24	Complete	18.5 Km opened, 22.5 Km graded. Connects 2 locations; Kitise and Kithuki locations.
32	Installation of 8 floodlight in the following markets: Mau eli, manza, mbata, manathi, kikome , kyuasini, kiambani and Kimundi.	Installation of 8 floodlights	Cross-cutting	1,960,000	2023/24	Complete	Has enhanced security within the 8 markets and increased trading hours.
33	Opening of matheani -kwa nyaa road	Road opening and grading of Matheani- kwa Nyaa road	Cross-cutting	2,500,000	2023/24	Complete	9Km opened, 4.5 Km graded. Connects the 2 sub wards
34	Construction of road structures (Culverts and Drifts)	Construction of a retaining wall at Kwa Kalembo , installation of 8 gabions and 60m3 mitre drains	Kithuki	1,960,000	2023/24	Complete	Enhanced road network connectivity within Kanzokea location.
35	Construction of kwa Kalelo - Winzeni drift	construction of 60m x6m wide non vented drift and associated protection works	Kithuki	4,000,000	2023/24	Complete	Connected kwa kalelo and kwa waema primary, mwitasyano and winzeni villages
36	Kalembo- mulango road through kwa kavilu.	Road opening	Kithuki	2,000,000	2023/24	Complete	7.5Km opened, 7.5 Km graded. Enhanced connectivity within Kanzokea location.
37	Installation of flood lights at matheani market	Installation of a flood light	Kithuki	500,000	2023/24	Complete	Awaiting supplementary
38	Installation of road structures and culverts - Mbata - Mayuu - Manza - Ngunguuni - Athiani road	Installation of culverts and gabions, catch water drains excavation	Kitise	4,000,000	2023/24	Complete	Constructed 32 M culverts, 10 gabions installed, 240m3 of mitre drains enhancing road network connectivity
39	REREC matching grant (for Kitise and Kithuki subwards)	Installation of transformers, construction of HV lines, construction of distribution lv lines networks to households, Public institutions/facilities and churches.	Kitise	2,000,000	2023/24	Complete	Electricity was connected to Tuma Village, improving access to power and enhancing livelihoods.
40	Road Improvement program – Fuel for inhouse works	Grading of Munathi - Kyuasi,	Kitise	900,000	2023/24	Complete	Improved access and mobility for local residents.

No	Project Name	Project Description	Subward	Budget	FY	Status	Current Remarks
<b>Lands, Urban Development &amp; Environment and Climate Change</b>							
41	Desilting of Londokwe earthdam under climate change (Fuel)--Climate change fund	Fuel for machinery to desilt the dam	Kitise	2,000,000	2024/25	Not started	Not started
42	Kwa Maundu and Kwa Musau sand dams	Construction of sand dams under climate change fund	Kitise	2,000,000	2024/25	Complete	Will enhance water harvesting
<b>Water Sanitation and Irrigation</b>							
43	Desilting Kwetui water dam	Desilting Kwetui water dam	Kithuki	1,500,000	2022/23	Complete	Expected to serve 200 households
44	Desilting of Mitooni water dam	Desilting of Mitooni water dam	Kitise	1,500,000	2022/23	Complete	Benefits approximately 200 households.
45	Kitise water project	Electrification	Kitise	2,500,000	2022/23	Ongoing	
46	Kwanyaa borehole- construction of water kiosk and tank	Construction of water kiosk at Kwanyaa market, installation of 10,000L and rehabilitation of pipeline from Kwanyaa borehole to Kwanyaa market and the fence at the source	Kitise	800,000	2022/23	Complete	Not in use
47	Kwa kaivu borehole	Repair of submersible pump and wiring system	Kithuki	150,000	2023/24	Complete	Benefits 100 Households, has a yield of 3m3/h.
48	Kimundi Sump	Construction of pipeline, installation of 2- 10m3 water tanks and 2 water points.	Kithuki	2,500,000	2023/24	Complete	Pipes bursted and others swept by rains. The project is not in use.
49	Mbata borehole	Mbata borehole test pumping	Kitise	150,000	2023/24	Complete	Benefits approximately 1,400 households. Has a yield if 3m3/Hr
50	Kimundi water project	Repair of pipeline, provision of water tanks and solar repairs replacement	Kithuki	1,500,000	2024/25	Complete	Serves a total of 50 households within the ward.
51	Kwa Kaiivu borehole	Repair of Kwa Kaivu Borehole	Kithuki	150,000	2024/25	Complete	Serves approximately 50 households, 1 school and 1 market
52	Kwa mbila earthdam	Distribution from Kiambani to Kiuuku	Kithuki	1,500,000	2024/25	Complete	Has capacity of 30,000m3 a pipeline of 2.2 km benefitting approximately 200 households
53	Feasibility study	Feasibility study for Distribution of Athi Mwanja water project for irrigation(Feasibility study)	Kitise	750,000	2024/25	Complete	Complete
54	Kwa Nyaa borehole	Purchase and installation of motor	Kitise	500,000	2024/25	Complete	Serves approximately 300 households, 2 schools and 1 market
55	Kwa Nyaa borehole	Purchase and installation of motor	Kitise	500,000	2024/25	Complete	Complete
56	Mukameni borehole	Purchase and installation of motor	Kitise	500,000	2024/25	Complete	Serves approximately 10 Households

## 4.0 List of FY2025/26 Projects

No	Department	Subward	Project Name	Budget
1	Agriculture	Cross-cutting	a) Livestock development-Pasture provision, AI services , trainings and value addition b) Bee keeping -Provision of beehives, protective gears, training, value addition and marketing	2,000,000
2	Health Services	Cross-cutting	Mutula Care-Registration of 600 households into SHA(PWDs),Vulnerable and the needy	3,000,000
3	Health Services	Cross-cutting	Medical Bills	650,000
4	Gender	Cross-cutting	Sports Development -Ligi Mashinani	1,000,000
5	Gender	Cross-cutting	Sports Development -Ward Tournament	500,000
6	Gender	Cross-cutting	Pwd support -Mapping and assessment of pwds	500,000
7	Infrastructure	Cross-cutting	Road Improvement-NYS	4,500,000
8	Infrastructure	Kitise	Floodlight at Kasayani Market	350,000
9	ICT, Education and Internship	Kitise	Construction of Mikauni ecde centre -Construction of 1no. ECDE Classroom with an office & store, Electrical conduit, shelving to the stores, lockable metallic cabinet, Wooden Desk, Wooden Arm Chairs, Water harvesting goods (10,000Ltrs Water Tank and base), 40 No. Kiddy chairs and 20. No. Kiddy tables, Play equipment 4 piece set (double swing, slide, climbing frame and double see-saw), Display soft board and Branding, Publicity and Signwriting	2,500,000
10	ICT, Education and Internship	Kithuki	Construction of Nzouni ECDE centre - Construction of 1no. ECDE Classroom with an office & store, Electrical conduit, shelving to the stores, lockable metallic cabinet, Wooden Desk, Wooden Arm Chairs, Water harvesting goods (10,000Ltrs Water Tank and base), 40 No. Kiddy chairs and 20. No. Kiddy tables, Play equipment 4 piece set (double swing, slide, climbing frame and double see-saw), Display soft board and Branding, Publicity and Signwriting	2,500,000



No	Department	Subward	Project Name	Budget
11	ICT, Education and Internship	Cross-cutting	Youth Empowerment - 2Jiajiri Programme (KCB Matching Grant)	1,000,000
12	Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	Kithuki	Solarization and installation of water Pump at Kwambila Earth Dam and extension of the same project from Kiuuku Market to Kasayani Market and also from Kiuuku Market to Bosnia	4,200,000
13	Lands	Kithuki	Kwa Muthembwa Sand dam	1,000,000
14	Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	Kithuki	Kwa Nzeki/Makovo earth dam –reconstruction of embankment, repair of spill way, desilting and expansion ,construction of check dams ,fencing and draw-off system.	6,000,000
15	Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	Kitise	a) Kitise water project -Replacement 3 inch rising main pipeline from Katangini treatment works to Yikitise primary school. b) Construction of elevated steel tank at Yikitise primary school and ejecting to distribution lines c) NB: The funding is a top up to the current project funding.	5,300,000
16	Water, Sanitation and Irrigation	Kitise	Rehabilitation of Maana Ana earth dam -Desilting , reshaping of embankment, spillway and check dams	4,000,000
17	Health	Kithuki	Kithuki Health centre	1,584,790
18	Health	Kitise	Electrification, fencing and construction of a latrine in Manzani dispensary	1,000,000
19	Transport	Kithuki	Construction of Londokwe Drift	7,500,000

## 5.0 Key Partners in the Ward



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### **Name of the project/Programme**

**Makueni Governance Project - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Civic education - Training cluster TOTs on good governance*

**Youth empowerment - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Youth empowerment - Training youth groups on income generating activities*



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### **Name of the project/Programme**

**Women empowerment - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Women empowerment - Sensitization on women and girls rights*

**Youth empowerment - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Youth empowerment - Trainings and sensitizations to youths*

**Projects social audit - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Projects social audit - Conducting social audits to the county funded projects*



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### **Name of the project/Programme**

**Projects social audit - Kitise and Kithuki Subwards**  
*Projects social audit - Conducting social audits to the county funded projects*

**Kwakamaso sand dam and sump - Kitise Subward**  
*Solarization and distribution*



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