



Vision:

A peaceful and prosperous County where all citizens enjoy high quality life and a sense of belonging.





To realize the full potential of devolution and meet the development aspirations of the people of Kisumu County.

FOREWORD

y vision for Kisumu County is a prosperous county where every citizen enjoys a decent life and holds the hope of a bright future for the current generation and generations to come.

When I took office as the second governor in 2017, we found a county in tatters. This great county, home to Kenya's third largest city left a lot to be desired as a growing modern city. The city was dirty with uncollected garbage. The Kachock dumpsite had become a stinking and a nauseating mountain of garbage, a health hazard and a monumental shame. The city lacked many facilities needed by its fast growing population and enterprising citizens.

Potential national and international development partners had taken a back-seat and adopted a wait-and -see attitude. Something had to be done. I observed that Kisumu was a county of great potential but a disappointing underachiever. My vision, however was to build a city that would stop walking with the chicken and start flying with the eagles.

At the beginning of our first five years in office, we recognized that our first task was to **BUILD BACK BETTER,** that is, restore the County's institutions and goals back to stability on the development path.

My Manifesto in the first five years has been about awakening a sleeping giant by solving some of the immediate problems while laying the foundation for sustainable development in the long-term. The Manifesto outlined a ten (10)-point development agenda, 'ten things' to be achieved in the short-term and specific legacy projects. The implementation of these "ten things" provides the basis upon which our performance can be judged.

This is a re-election Manifesto. As such, the first part is an accountability statement or a scorecard of our first term in office, going through the ten-point agenda, the 'ten things' and the legacy projects.

In our view, notwithstanding the Covid-19 pandemic, we have done all that we promised to do and much more.

We have restored the County on a development trajectory. For five years, we have been **BUILDING BACK BETTER**. Now that we have taken off, in the next five years, we are focused on **BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE** by consolidating the gains made and initiating new programmes and projects as elaborated in the second part of this Manifesto. We are giving an account of our achievements in the first term (*Wasetimo*) and our programmes for the next five years when the people of Kisumu County renew our mandate (*Wadoktimo*).

As always, there is work to be done. Let us do it!





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AZIMIO LA UMOJA ONE KENYA VISION

enya is at the thrust of change. This third liberation for a major socio-economic development of our nation will herald the birth of a true nationhood. A nation that is cohesive and economically liberated, where plenty can be found within our borders.

The leadership of Azimio la Umoja/One Kenya Coalition sums up this "Cannan" moment in this prayer found in our National Anthem:

"Let all with one accord in common bond united, build this our nation together and the glory of Kenya, the fruit of our labour, fill every heart with thanksgiving!"

As a county government, we draw strength from the the Azimio La Umoja Manifesto and its 10-Point agenda which lays a foundation for equity, shared prosperity, social justice, and cohesion.

This vision inspires us to leap into the future and to begin playing our rightful place in contributing to the socio-economic development of this great nation.

More than ten years into the implementation of the Constitution of Kenya 2010, I am full of hope and belief that devolution – the centre piece of our constitution - has found a home in this "Mwamko Mpya" that will finally restore the dignity of our people.

#Inawezekana!

PART I: LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR

THE FUTURE: 2017 - 2022



Thanks a lot to the people of Kisumu. You believed and trusted me and my team and gave us a chance to work and serve you.

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We promised to DELIVER:

- TEN (10) 'THINGS' in the short-term and
- LEGACY PROJECTS in the LONG-TERM, drawn from our TEN (10)-POINT AGENDA that still forms our covenant and social contract with the people of Kisumu County.

Have we achieved the ten things? YES! And what is the status of our legacy projects so far? Here is the report.

THING ONE (1)

Establish proper governance in Kisumu City by creating a City Management Board and a City Manager.

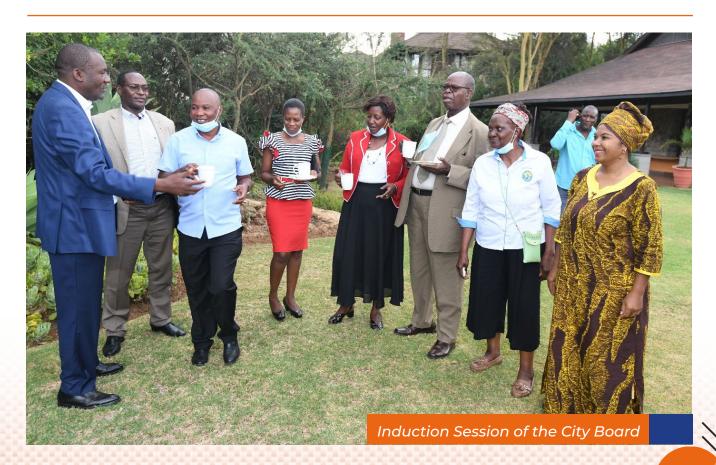
Kisumu City now has a City Board, appointed and running, in accordance with the Urban Areas and Cities Act (2011). There had never been a City Board in Kisumu before we established the current one. The new City Governance order has positioned us favorably for a number of partnerships for development, beyond the benefits of accountability in management of city affairs.

In 2018, the County Government inducted and inaugurated a professional City Board of eleven (11) members in accordance to the Urban Areas and Cities Act (2011).



This governance structure has led to the successful delivery of the following projects;

- Construction of pedestrian walkways along all major streets in Kisumu City
- 2 Improvement of the Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Sports and Recreational Complex and other open spaces within the CBD
- The Construction of Nyamasaria Bus terminus
- The Rotary Youth Business Incubation and Innovation Centre
- The County Fire and Disaster Management System plus a new fire station
- 6 Construction of modern Markets such as;
 - Uhuru Business Park,
 - Kibuye Market Phase 1,
 - Maendeleo,
 - Chichwa and
 - Otonglo









THING TWO (2)

Clean up the city and remove that TAKA TAKA (mound of solid waste) at Kachok.

Done. Kisumu has been ranked as the cleanest city in Kenya and as one of the cleanest in Africa more than thrice. In partnership with City Business and Corporate members, the initiative of enhancing urban aesthetics, has yielded construction and beautification of roundabouts within the city, improved greening and beautification of parks and open spaces to provide clean, safe and healthy environment with fresh air to be enjoyed by the people needing to relax.

Kachok has been decommissioned and we have established a new waste management facility (Kasese) outside the City. By coordinating strategic management of wastes at the sub counties and using Public/Pprivate partnership we are constructing a waste to energy plant to manage the solid waste within the county.

The place formerly known as Kachok has been replaced with;

- 1. A botanical garden called "Baby Pendo Botanical Garden" (already growing),
- 2. A children theme park complete with a public swimming pool and a children football training pitch and a recreation centre whose construction is set to be built in the new financial year

To strengthen solid waste management systems in Kisumu County we will adopt several capacity building approaches for the improvement of the regulatory environment and awareness creation including:

- Developing a county wide sustainable waste management strategy.
- Establishing appropriate systems of solid waste disposal and recycling activities in 7sub counties.
- Improving means of solid waste transport and collection systems.
- Promoting public-private partnerships in service delivery for improved sustainable waste management and employment opportunities.
- Strengthening micro-enterprises and community-based groups to efficiently provide waste management services, create job opportunities, and improve the environment.
- Building the capacity of the municipal council to effectively implement the strategy.
- Developing an effective monitoring and evaluation system.
- Promoting the model of the KISWAMP within the county.
- Conducting Sensitization workshops for county officials, NGOs, CSOs, and political leaders on sustainable waste management and public-private partnerships.

To improve on the tree cover, the county government collaborated with partners to beautify the city and green 200 public schools within the county. A total of 150,000 tree seedlings have been planted in the school greening programmes.





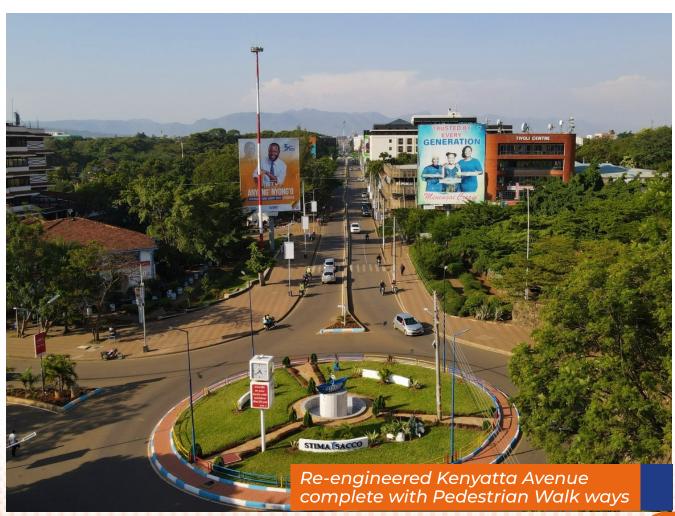
THING THREE (3)

Clear up the drainage system in the city; initiate the improvement of road networks and clean up the lake front.

We have completed the Dunga Road and established the Lakefront Development Corporation, a special purpose vehicle for the stakeholders along the lakefront both national and county government and the private sector; under the leadership of former Auditor-General Edward Ouko, to spearhead resource mobilization for projects to open up the lakefront for investments.

The drainage system within the city has been tremendously improved and there is almost no experience of overflow even with very heavy rains.

All the peri-urban areas of the City have working drainage and proper roads network and dedicated walkways across the city from Obunga to Nyalenda and from Nyalenda to Kondele. Reorganization of the public service vehicles' routes have made town the place to admire due to the order therein. The non-motorised network has highly improved mobility within town. So far we have managed to construct 16Km of walkways, 8km of roads, 2.1km of cycle lanes and 8km of service ducts. We hope to extend this special service to other towns and other parts of the County soon.





THING FOUR (4)

Establish Village Councils and Village Administrators as the foundation of devolution;

The Village administration units (seventy of them) as envisaged in the County Government Act are fully established and operational under Village Administrators.

We have recruited village council members in all the seventy (70) villages. Each village has five (5) village council members, bringing to a total of three hundred and fifty (350) village council members.



Nyakach Sub County Administrator Mr. James Mbogo and North East Nyakach Village Administrator Maurice Owaka inspecting Lisana Water Supply in Myakach Sub County with members of the public

THING FIVE (5)

Take a comprehensive census of all Nyamrerwa health workers in the County and, within the context of the County Health Management Bill, make provisions of their monthly salaries and clear terms of service

We have done it. Within the provisions of the law, we have provided them with a monthly stipend and health insurance coverage by NHIF.

We have gone further and made them professional by training them, providing them with equipment and digital aids and reporting tools. In fact, Nyamrerwas are now Community Health Workers (not volunteers) because this government has enacted the community health services Act 2022 which I recently assented to.

Who said it could not be done? We now have a reliable team to anchor our preventing and promotive health. Malaria and diarrhea are now being treated in the villages. It can only get.



THING SIX (6)

Establish Kisumu Economic and Social Council (KECOSOC)

We have established Kisumu Economic and Social Council (KECOSOC) as a government think-tank and resource mobilization organ of the County government. And the results are beginning to show, with new initiatives in cotton sub-sector for production and value addition, among many other new programmes, coming from the investment conference and Africities Summit that we have hosted recently.



Induction of KECOSOC Members (From L to R) Hon. Peter Odoyo Ms. Joy Mboya, Ms. Susan Nyamweya, Mr. Kee Chiong Li Kwong, H.E Prof. Anyang' Nyong'o (Chairman), Mr. Kagwe, Mr. Walter Odede, Mr. George Okong'o and Mr. Bhire Chathe (Not in the Picture)

THING SEVEN (7)

Prepare an action plan for the revival of the sugar industry and sustainable development of the sugar industry

Working within the Lake Region Economic Bloc (LREB), we have produced a Sugar Industry Revival Plan, presented and debated at the National Assembly and presented to the Head of State. The report is now being used for budgetary allocation and other stimulus incentives for the industry. And the results are already showing in the financial status of the state-owned millers in this region.

Even before the LREB initiative, as the County Government of Kisumu County, we had concluded negotiations with the Ministry of Agriculture leading to injection of KES 300 Million rescue package for the state-owned millers that has given these institutions a new lease of life.

THING EIGHT (8)

Initiate the rejuvenation of the rice industry:

Working with the National Irrigation Authority (NIA), we have expanded area under irrigation by over 6,500 acres. This include Kochieng Okana (2500 acres), Mbega (1000 acres) and Kobongo (800 acres), all of which are already in production. Works in Nyamware for 2000 acres have started.

To add value to the Rice and increase its marketability, the County Government has acquired a multi-purpose rice mill at the National Irrigation Board in Ahero by the end of this financial year.



THING NINE (9)

Present to the County Assembly a Bill establishing Kisumu County Road Maintenance Teams (KCRMT)

The Kisumu County Road Maintenance Teams (KCRMT) Bill has been passed into law by the County Assembly and the programme is already being implemented, providing livelihood opportunities for our youth while maintaining and extending our rural roads network.

THING TEN (10)

Initiate the modernization of Jubilee, Kibuye and Otonglo markets to improve security for traders, create more space for trading, better sanitation, provision of water and easier access to banking and financial services.

Our markets development programme is on course. Otonglo Market is complete, and the first phase of Kibuye Market modernization is complete, awaiting next phase. The County Government has negotiated financing for Jubilee Market for implementation starting in a year's time.



This review clearly shows that all our goals in the short-term have been fully (100%) achieved.

Similarly, my administration set out to implement key legacy projects that would help Build the Foundation for sustainable development and making Kisumu attractive for investment.



HERE IS THE STATUS OF THE KEY PROJECTS THAT WE PROMISED TO DELIVER IN THE FIRST TERM

- 1. Completion of the Kisumu Urban Project (KUP) projects, that were stalled at the time we took office. And the commencement of new partnerships for development in the City.
 - KUP Projects, including five (5) model schools namely Angira, Rweya, Thim Bonde, Rota and Got Nyabondo Primary Schools, refurbishment of Kisumu Social Hall, improvement of Dunga and Kaloleni roads to Bitumen Standards, are now complete. We have also completed new projects under the Kisumu Urban Support Programme (KUSP), including pedestrian walkways along city streets, Kisumu City Fire Station, Kisumu Business and Incubation Centre at Rotary, Kibuye market phase one, refurbishment of five parks Jamhuri, Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Sports Complex and Oile.
 - The new Kisumu Port is a major development that will drive growth of the maritime sector, with backward linkages to agricultural production and forward linkages to the service sector in this entire region. It is a historic development in the regional economy of western Kenya that many did not imagine could be attained in less than 5 years because of focused and credible leadership at the county government working with the national government.





























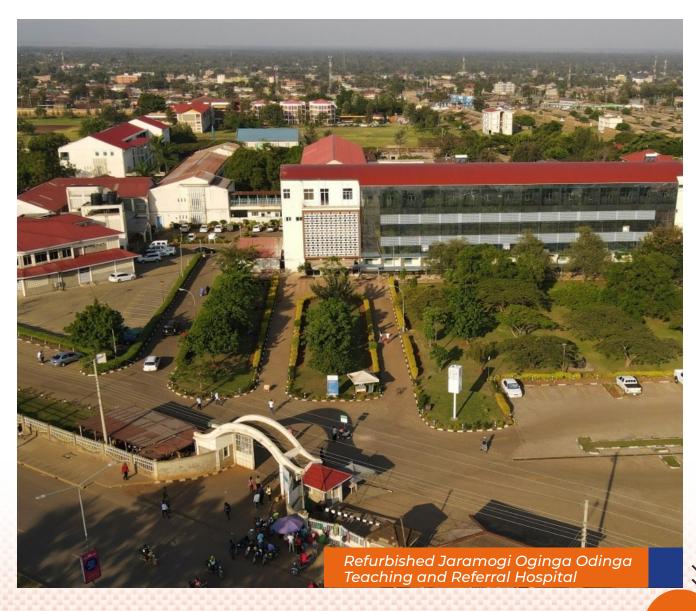






2. Upgrading and Modernization of Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Teaching and Referral Hospital.

- completed the building of;
 - New Doctors' Call Suites,
 - Neuro-Surgery Unit,
 - A modern kitchen
 - Laundry facility,
 - Funeral Parlor and
 - External works and
 - An ultra-modern oxygen supply plant.
- Construction of Kisumu Comprehensive Cancer Centre and the Sickle Cell Research and Treatment facility at JOOTRH are at advanced stages.
- Completed at the County Referral Hospital;
 - Construction of a Maternity complex and
 - Installation of an oxygen facility.



3. Establishment of Innovation and Business Incubation Centres in the County

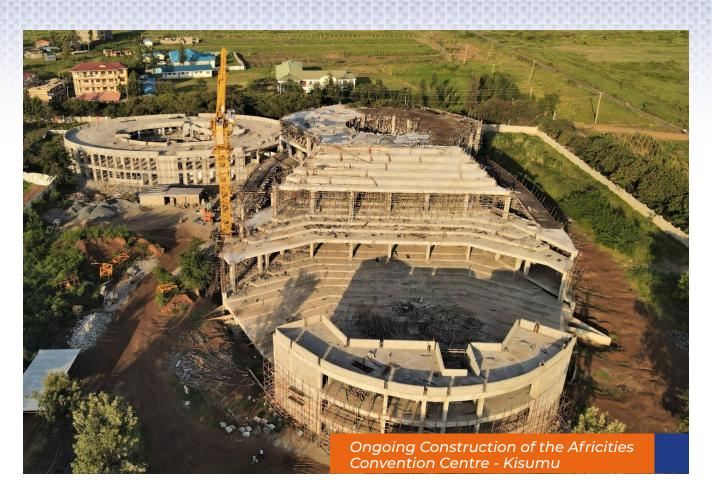
Kisumu Business, Innovation and Incubation Centre is already established in the city in partnership with the World Bank, the State Department of ICT and other partners and our young people have begun making good use of the facility for talent development and incubation of business ideas for commercialization.

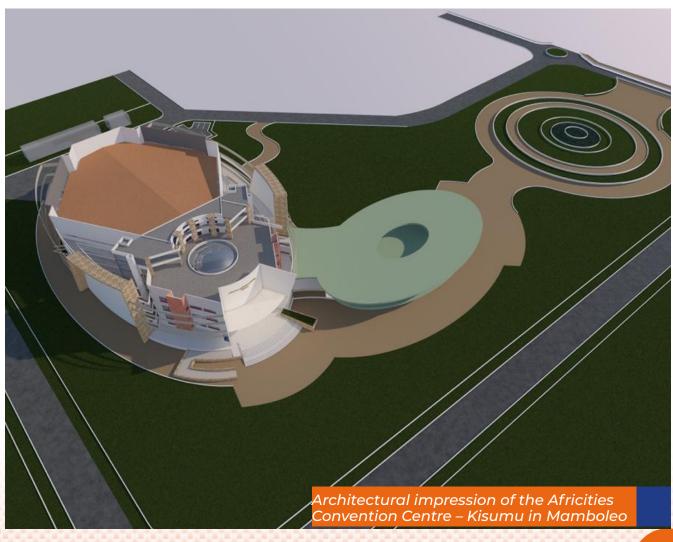


Principal Secretary for the State Department of ICT and H.E Governor Prof. Anynag' Nyong'o inspecting the ongoing training at Kisumu Business Incubation and Innovation Centre.

4. Building a Modern Conference Centre in Kisumu

 The construction of the Africities Convention Centre – Kisumu in Mamboleo is more than 70% complete in partnership with the National Government





5. Building a Modern Sports Complex in Kisumu City

- The Jomo Kenyatta international Stadium is complete, in our fruitful partnership with the national government.
- The other Sports complex is coming up at Moi Stadium, with the first phase of works including boundary wall, modern gates, ticketing offices and tracks already under construction. The next phase entails further infrastructural development and a partnership with private equity holders to develop the commercial facilities at the complex.



6. Establishment of Village Councils in accordance with the County Government Act.

 Seventy (70) Village Administration Units already established and running under Village Administrators.



The following are our Departmental Achievements in accordance with our ten (10) – point agenda:

1. AGRICULTURE:

Revitalize Agriculture for food security and agribusiness.

Our Achievements (Wasetimo)

The government prioritized interventions along the rice, dairy, poultry, fisheries, cotton and horticulture value chains that include:

- Increasing productivity/production
- Improving market access
- Enhancing product handling.

These strategies resulted in the following achievements;

Increased incomes and creation of employment opportunities in rice value chain development through provision of quality inputs, expanding area under rice growing by developing and maintaining irrigation infrastructure and improving market access for the produce.

Livestock Production;

1. Improvement of extension service delivery

Access to agricultural information enhanced by 30% through operationalization of farmers' free call center, the acquisition of 13 motorbikes, 3 double cabin pickups to improve staff mobility and engagement of 6 private service providers to complement mainstream extension capacity

2. Dairy Value Chain development:

- We initiated Integrated Dairy Development to expand the genetic merit of the dairy cattle herd for increased production and productivity through purchase and distribution of dairy cows.
- Resulted in the distribution of 508 quality dairy cows and 760 dairy goats across the county creating a multiplier effect in the industry increasing the number of superior dairy animals from 25,200 in 2017 to 34,000 in 2022. As a consequence, Kibos Dairy, a start-up sole proprietorship owned business is 60% sustained by milk tproduced locally.
- Increased milk productivity and production from 26,000,000 kg estimated at KES 1.5B in 2017 to 34,000,000 kg in 2022 with an estimated market value of KES. 2,058,280,560.00
- The dairy value chain supports 8640 producers and 4780 informal milk outlet businesses
- Enhanced access to safe and quality milk since 30% of milk produced is value added (Osiepe Dairies and Seke coop society)
- Improved access to quality fodder and feeds through the establishment of 264 ha of pastures

3. Poultry Value Chain development:

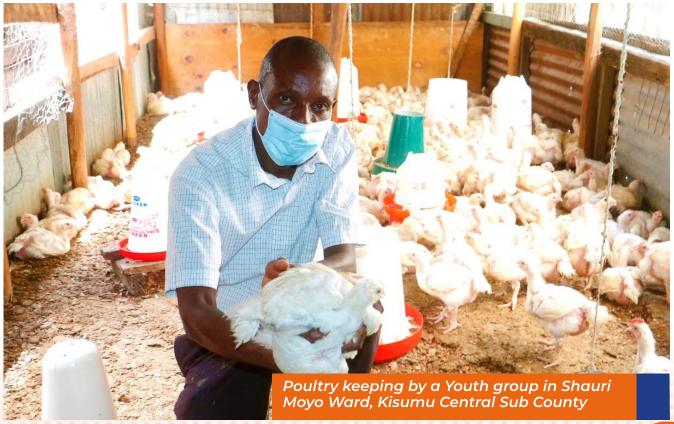
A gender sensitive and pro-poor intervention. We have distributed over 10,000 KALRO day-chicks to farmers and advanced 75 million seed capital to 150 women and youth groups and entrepreneurial skills to boost the annual chicken production to meet local (county) demand and sell outside the county.

4. Fish Value Chain development:

- Installed a fish cooling plant at Jubilee market
- Constructed a fish solar dryer at kaloka beach. We The department
- Revived 86 ponds by providing liners, predator nets and fingerlings.
- Purchased five motocycles and one vehicle to upscale extension services.







Crop production:

1. Horticultural production:

Over 30,000 households across the county have benefited and 60% of indigenous vegetables consumed in the county are now produce locally.

2. Rice Production:

Rice productivity has increased from 15 bags per acre to over 35 bags per acre. The county government is in the process of rehabilitating the Western Rice Mill at Ahero and installing a new rice mill in Nyangande.

3. Cotton production:

Since 2017, the acreages have increased from about 300 acres to over 1,500 acres in 2022. This has been made possible through promoting the new BT and Hybrid Cotton Varieties. Installation of a cotton ginnery at KALRO Kibos is almost complete.

4. Fruit Trees:

Since 2017, the county government has purchased and distributed over 20,000 fruit tree seedlings mainly mangoes and avocados. These have been distributed to farmers in Seme, Kisumu West, Nyakach and Muhoroni



Irrigation:

1. Expansion of irrigated Area:

Between 2017 to 2022, the County government in collaboration with National Irrigation Authority has expanded area under irrigation by over 6,500 acres. This include Kochieng Okana (2500 acres), Mbega (1000 acres) and Kobongo (800 acres). Works in Nyamware for 2000 acres have started. Already Kobongo, Mbega, Kochieng and Okana are under production.

2. The County Government through World Bank Funded Project

(Kenya Climate Smart Agriculture Project (KCSAP) has rehabilitated over 1,600 acres in Gem Rae, Awach Kano, and Siany Irrigation Schemes in Nyando and Nyakach. The rehabilitations involved canal lining of over 20 kms to improve water flow efficiency.

- 3. Construction of 3 water pans for livestock and domestic use;
 - 2 in East Kano Wawithi and one in Nyakach and a bore hole.
- 4. Distributed 80 water pumps and irrigation pipes supporting 2300 households especially for horticultural production









2. HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Ensure a healthy population living in a clean environment;

Our Achievements in the first term (Wasetimo):

1. Governance and Leadership:

The organizational structure has undergone restructuring to enhance effectiveness and efficiency through operationalization of;

- a) Community Health Services Act,
- b) Environmental Health Act and the
- c) Facility Improvement Fund Act
- 2. Marwa Kisumu Solidarity Health Insurance Cover (MARWA) which is an enabler to Universal Health Coverage. The Scheme in its first phase of implementation is currently covering 42,564 households and 79,761 dependents with access to 49 pilot public health facilities. When fully rolled out, the scheme will cover a total of 90,000 indigent households in Kisumu County.

3. Primary Health Care and Community Health Services:

Establishing primary care networks and family health and treatment of minor illnesses within the communities through;

a) Operationalization of 274 functional community units served by 2998 community health workers (Nyamrerwas) linked to 141 Health facilities across the county. The CHWs have been capacitated through robust training and digitizing their services.

4. Digitization of Health Care Services:

Use of technology to enhance effective management of commodities, strengthening community health care provision and effective records management;

- a) Health Products and Technologies,
- b) Community Health Information Management Systems and
- c) Facility Health Management Systems.

5. Strengthening Healthcare Workforce:

a) Recruitment of 166 health workers as well as regularizing and improving the status of many others. This has resulted in improved work environment characterized by job satisfaction.

6. Health care Infrastructure:

- a) We have built, equipped and operationalized 15 health facilities,
- b) built 5 health facilities to completion awaiting operationalization
- c) 14 facilities are at various levels of completion across the seven sub counties.
- d) Built and operationalized maternity theatres in Kombewa, Ahero and Muhoroni health centres.
- e) Upgraded Lumumba Sub County Hospital from a simple small 18-bed capacity health center; to an excellent level four hospital now boasting a bed capacity of 150 and supplied to the hospital, assorted medical and other equipment at a cost of Ksh 31 million



3. ROADS, TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Build modern physical infrastructure

Our Achievements (Wasetimo)

- We constructed 1,432 kilometers of roads linking economic, service and social amenities across the county over the past five years.
- To mitigate some of these challenges, the administration has focused on developing long term roads using traditional and new roads construction technologies.

In this regard, the county government has undertaken the following:;

- the upgrading of Namba Kapiyo –Bodi-Asat-Bao Beach Road-15.2km to Bitumen standard at a cost of 500million Kenya shillings. So far, phase one 8km Namba Kapiyo-Lolwe is almost complete. This road will provide access to Ndere Island tourist attraction site hence promoting local tourism as well as opening up other investment opportunities along the beachfront such as hotels, resorts, fishing and fish industry.
- The current traditional road construction method is being implemented alongside new road stabilization known as Claycrete which guarantees road stability for between 5-10 years. So far, the technology is currently being deployed on 12.2km roads of Guba-Gita Namba Kabong'o Filter road and thereafter Lela –Agulu Mbaka Oromo in Kisumu East and Seme sub counties.
- The roads construction strategies are backed by homegrown innovations of Kisumu Roads Maintenance Teams and machine Based Roads Construction Programme. Kisumu Roads Maintenance Teams employs the policy of facilitating routine roads maintenance using simple equipment in the county in a fair, equitable, cost effective and sustainable manner while providing employment for the hundreds of Youth, Women and People with Disability. So far, 340 people have been recruited into the program.
- The machine based roads maintenance program approach on the other hand is informed of the need to reduce the cost of roads construction and ensure effective and efficient project delivery using available government plant and equipment augmented with hired ones from the private sector. The program, in its first year has so far achieved 200km of roads.

4. EDUCATION:

Promote skills development and innovation.

Our Achievements in the first term (Wasetimo)

- the government has invested in 673 ECD centres with enrolled capacity of 51,408 children.
- The high enrollment is supported and sustained by timely provision of nutritious food to all the learners.
- To motivate the teaching staff, we have employed on Permanent and Pensionable status, 665 ECDE teachers who have been serving on contracts since 2015.
- To support needy students in high schools and colleges, the government is disbursing bursaries and providing scholarships to 36,259 students currently costing Shs 205,000,000 annually. This is a 100% increase from budgetary allocations to scholarships and bursaries in 2017.

Vocational Training Centers

- We have increased the number VTCs from 21 to 26 with the aim to establish at least One VTC in every ward.
- Enrollment in Vocational Training Centres has been increased from 3,100 to 4000 in the past Five years. This is supported by capitation of 15,000 shillings to each student annually.

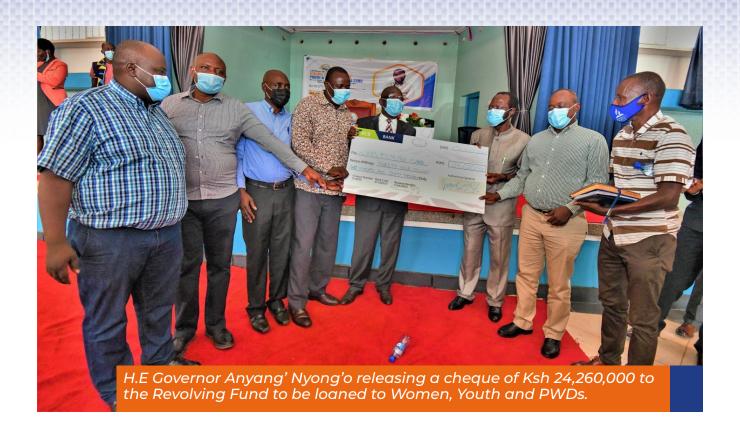
ICT

We continue to deploy ICT for enhanced service delivery including

- Automated Fleet Management System for the county vehicles,
- Agricultural Call center to support farmer extension services and
- The Marwa Health Insurance System support.

Women, Youth and PWDs

- We have initiated the Kisumu County Women, Youth and PWDs Revolving Fund to catalyze entrepreneurial abilities. So far, loans amounting to Ksh 24,260,000 have been issued to women, youth groups and PWDs.
- Seven Sign Language interpreters have been employed to ease communications with the people with hearing challenges and as a means of mainstreaming all through public participation.
- A Gender Policy has been developed and validated.



5. WATER AND ENVIRONMENT:

Conserve the environment while opening the Kisumu Lakefront for Business;

- Improved access to safe water services from 35 per cent to 72 per cent covering 33,600 households (surpassing the 68% set target for the five-year period) through development of Kisumu Water and Sewerage Master Plan, rehabilitation and expansion of existing viable water supply facilities and development of new water infrastructure; conservation of degraded land and lakeshores and strengthening environment management.
- Created a strong network and collaboration with development partners through Kisumu County WASH network forum through which alternative funding for water infrastructure was realized.
- Implementation of 243 water projects accounting for 72% coverage connecting 33,600 households. Some of the projects include Malele Water project in Seme, Yao Market Water Project in Muhoroni, Katho Water project in Nyando, Nyitienge Dispensary water project in Kisumu West, Rehabilitation of Kokello Water project in Kisumu East among many others.
- Gazzetment and launch of Kisumu County Climate Change policy and Kisumu Climate Change Act, 2020.
- Evacuation of Kachok and setting up of a new solid waste centre at Kasese
- Installation of an electronic biomedical waste incinerator at Jaramogi Referral Hospital.





6. HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT:

Provide decent housing in inclusive towns, semi-urban centres and villages;

Our Achievements (Wasetimo)

- The gazetted Maseno, Kombewa, Ahero, katito and Muhoroni towns which has put them in good stead for planning in line with international standards. So far, resources have been provided to prepare their administrative structures as well as initial spatial planning.
- Likewise, the city of Kisumu has undergone a new spatial planning in line with a long term city planning vision known as Kisumu Integrated Strategic Urban Development Plan.
- major roads within the city such as Dunga, Kaloleni Estate, Nyamasaria-Magadi have been improved to bitumen standards through Kisumu Urban project.
- Commenced the construction of affordable housing in Makasembo and Anderson estates.

Building sustainable and resilient urban areas and neighborhoods will be key to achievement of the new urban agenda and livable neighborhoods. The implementation of the SDGs and the Africa we want all point to this.



7. SPORTS AND CULTURE:

Promote Sports, Culture and the Arts;

- Constructed Jomo Kenyatta International Stadium through partnership with the National Government
- Commenced the upgrading of Moi International Stadium
- Renovated Jaramogi Oginga Odinga Sports ground and Recreational Centre
- Upgraded Community sports grounds in Nyalganya in nyakach, Ogada Stadium in Kisumu North, Pap Kadundo in Seme.
- Promoted Sports teams by supplying uniforms and equipment to teams from 30 wards across the county.
- Supported and continued sponsorship to Kisumu All Stars



INDUSTRIALIZATION:

Promote industrialization and a vibrant service sector, supported by sustainable energy sources and information and communication technologies.

Our Achievements (Wasetimo)

 We have built new markets, renovated old ones in the sub counties and mobilized traders and farmers to join co-operatives and Saccos.

Some of the markets built include:

- 1. Kombewa Market
- 2. Riat Market in Kisumu West
- 3. Awasi Market in partnership with Kenha.
- 4. Korowe Market

Strengthening co-operatives has focused on capacity building and supporting their governance systems which include; conducting inspections, Audit, election of Board Members, capacity building and general conflict resolution.

Some cooperatives that have been mainstreamed in this manner include;

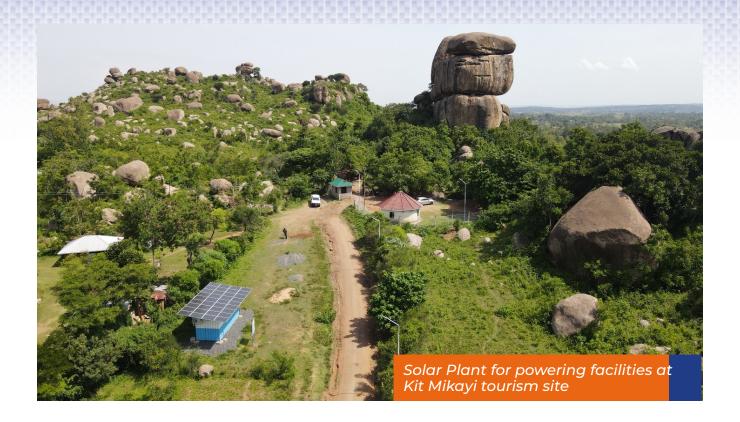
- 1. Orenge Farmer Co-operative Society in Muhoroni
- 2. Nyando/Kisumu Farmers Rural Co-operative Society
- 3. Karucho Farmers' Co-operative Society in Muhoroni
- 4. Gakuamba Farmers' Co-operative Society in
- 5. Nyando Modern Co-operative Society in Nyando
- 6. Siso Co-operative Society in Nyando
- 7. Nyabondo Dairy Co-operative Society in Nyakach
- 8. Kikope Poultry Co-operative Society in Nyando/Nyakach
- 9. Ondisore Kagola Sorghum Farmers' Co-operative Society in Nyando



9. TOURISM AND HERITAGE:

Promote tourism driven by culture and heritage as well as new products;

- Development of Heritage sites such as Kit Mikayi and Abindu Shrine
- Refurbishment of Kisumu Museum.
- Talent development through platforms such as "IAMKISUMU talent search".
- Partnering with Presidential Permanent Music Commission to train 100 youths in various talent fields.
- Partnership with Kenya Film Commission to train 150 Film Makers in a Film talent development training program
- Promotion and support for local film production (BANGARANG & JONAROBI) So far Bangarang has won international awards.
- Partnership with UNESCO to successfully host the UNESCO Culture Week.
- Coordination of inscription and listing process for practices associated with Kit Mikayi by UNESCO.
- Formation of Artists association and Network to help nurture talents –Lake Region Arts and culture Consortium (LAREACCO).
- Formation of Lake Victoria Tourism association (LVTA) –A body that helps market and promote Kisumu as a Tourism Destination.



10. GOVERNANCE AND ADMINISTRATION:

Deepen the structures of devolved governance and strengthen revenue generation and accountability in use of public funds;

- 1. Put in place Kisumu City Board in accordance with the Urban Areas and Cities Management Act (2012).
- 2. Created seventy (70) village administration units and appointed village administrators and the village councils
- 3. Carried out Kisumu Local Physical Development Plan
- 4. Completed draft plans for Ahero and Maseno Integrated Development Plans
- 5. Commenced inception of Katito, Muhoroni and Kombewa Integrated Development Plans.
- 6. Prepared a new Valuation Roll
- 7. Worked closely with the Ethics and Anti-Corruption and the office of the Auditor General to train county staff on corruption prevention and Financial reporting mechanisms and identification of possible avenues of graft.

- 8. Made staff adhere to professional accountability standards, through declaration of wealth and personal interests
- 9. Undergone Credit Rating as a measure to improve transparency in our operations and improve possibilities of external project financing, being among the only three counties to be Credit rated in the Country.
- 10. Collaborated with national government agencies to recover illegally and irregularly acquired public properties including public land and houses. As a result of an amnesty to those holding tittles for illegally acquired land, individuals have started coming forward to surrender the land. We have so far recovered 1.5 acre worth Ksh 500m that was grabbed by a private developer and a quarter acre of land hived off from Kibuye Market.
- 11. Established an ICT-based Monitoring and Evaluation system for all County government projects.
- 12. Improved own source revenues by 30% and passed legislation to establish the Kisumu County Revenue Board, to further enhance Own Source Revenue.
- 13. Implemented the performance management system.

11. Office of the First Lady;

Our Achievements (Wasetimo)

1. Early Childhood Development and Nurturing Care:

 Established in partnership with the County Department of Education and Kidogo Innovations Limited three (3) model Baby Care Centers in three Vocational Training Centers (VTCs) as a pilot program. The centers are part of pilot project to be replicated in all the 26 VTCs in the County.

2. Kisumu County Nutrition Plan:

 Developed in partnership with the department of Health and Unicef, Kisumu Nutrition Plan with the main objective to make Kisumu a Malnutrition Free County.

3. Gender-Based Violence

 Partnered with with AKILI DADA, SDG (Sustainable Development Goals), Kenya Forum, and KEFEADO to implement a campaign dubbed "Generation Equality" to push for equality in our society and fight against Gender – Based Violence in Kisumu County.

4. Nutrition For Health:

 Provided through Africa Cancer Foundation Vegetable Cone Gardens to cancer patients undergoing treatment and palliative care at JOOTRH.







12. Office of the County Persons with Disabilities;

- As part of inclusion, the government has employed more than 200 PWDs seven (7) sign language interpreters;
- The County website has been enabled for access to the blind
- The government has waived license fees for traders with disabilities
- The County government has created "County PWD Technical Working Group" for purposes of engagement with various partners in matters PWDs;
- Has trained PWDs, Youth and Women on AGPO procurement
- Under the County Climate Change Act, Ward Climate Change Committees were created which include PWDs, Youth, Women, Academia, Business Community and Religious leaders.

PART II: BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE

2022 - 2027

1. AGRICULTURE:

Revitalize Agriculture for food security and agribusiness.

Our Commitment (Wadoktimo)

- Provide resources to put more land under production in Nyando, Kisumu East,
 Muhoroni, Nyakach, Kisumu West and Seme Sub Counties.
- Revamp rice production, processing and marketing. In this regard, install a rice mill with the capacity to mill, grade and package rice in Ahero.
- Invest in horticulture and floriculture in Nyamthoe, Mboha Valley and Kano plains.
- Build farmers' capacity by providing Inputs: seeds, equipment, fertilizer, credit, technical advice
- Enhance the capacity of the Agricultural Call Centre to support the farmers with the right information on the right farming science.
- Finalize the partnership with United Greens (UK) for production and value-addition in the cotton and rice value-chains in a mega project, already agreed upon and signed between the County Government of Kisumu and United Greens;
- Accelerate the growth of the dairy industry by operationalizing the KES 132 million Kisumu Dairy Development Centre (KDDC) at Nyangore, Muhoroni Sub-County by, among other things, importation of 488 quality high yielding animals and enhanced artificial insemination;
- Harness fish production initiatives and catalyze private investment in cage fish production by ensuring sustainability of the 2,315 earthen ponds with an investment of KES 260 million, in addition to the 3 tonnes fish cooling facility at Jubilee Fish Market for fish aggregation and storage.
- Support the growth of 150 women and youth groups that have been provided with grants worth KES 75 million and entrepreneurial skills to boost the annual chicken production.





2. HEALTH AND SANITATION

Ensure a healthy population living in a clean environment;

Our Commitments (Wadoktimo)

- Optimize community health services by introducing performance-based incentives to community health workers
- Establish programmes to address rising cases of non-communicable diseases in the county
- Strengthen primary healthcare by establishing primary care networks and creating multidisciplinary Family health teams in all sub counties following the successful pilot in Nyando
- Further decentralize medical services by improving 7 sub county hospitals to receive referrals from lower-level facilities
- Increase health insurance coverage for the population in Kisumu to above 70%
- Regularize all outstanding human resource gaps including confirmation of contracted health workers. No county health worker will be engaged on a term contract less than three (3) years.
- Increase access to adequate and equitable sanitation and hygiene in households increasing households with improved latrines from the current 25% to 70%

- Complete Kisumu Comprehensive Cancer Centre at JOOTRH;
- Finalize autonomization of JOOTRH to a Semi -Autonomous level 6 hospital
- Construct Kisumu County referral hospital to a modern level 5 hospital
- Actualize the construction of the Pharmaceutical industry as per the agreement signed between the County Government, MedAditus from USA and Great Lakes University to produce pharmaceutical commodities locally while training the human resource at Great Lakes University.









3. ROADS, TRANSPORT AND PUBLIC WORKS

Build modern physical infrastructure

Our Commitments (Wadoktimo)

- Complete the 15.2 Kilometres Namba Kapiyo Assat beach tarmac road in Seme Subcounty
- Open and maintain 200 kilometres of roads in the rural areas;
- Using the Kisumu County Roads Maintenance Teams (KCRMTs), maintain 210
 Kilometres of road network in the rural areas;
- Use the machine-based Road construction program to improve the infrastructure across the County.
- Improve 10km Kadinda Soko road in Nyakach Sub county using the Claycrete roads technology;
- Improve Rabuor Nyande road in Nyando Sub County using the Claycrete technology
- Improve Ahero Ombaka road in Nyando Sub County to bitumen standards.
- Digitally register all the Boda boda operators within the county.



4. EDUCATION:

Promote skills development and innovation.

Our Commitment (Wadoktimo)-

- Enter into partnerships to enhance utilization of the Kisumu Business Incubation and Innovation Centre at Rotary Vocational Training Centre for skills development and incubation of business ideas to commercialization;
- Establish one Centre of Excellence for technical and vocational training in each subcounty;
- Transform the Incubation and Innovation center into a One stop skills innovation Complex.
- Create ICT hubs at the Social Centres in all the seven Sub Counties.
- Complete all ongoing constructions of Vocational Training Centres, equip and operationalize them.
- Work with stakeholders to revive Sigoti Agricultural College in Nyakach Sub County



5. WATER AND ENVIRONMENT:

Conserve the environment while opening the Kisumu Lakefront for Business;

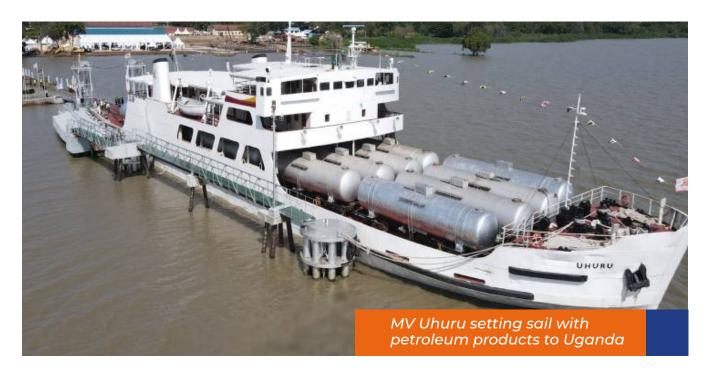
Our Commitments (Wadoktimo)

- Initiate maritime activities on Lake Victoria making use of the new port of Kisumu, to support transportation of goods into East African countries and stimulate agricultural production in the Lake Region Economic Bloc (LREB);
- Complete the Waste-to-Energy Plant in Kasese in partnership with private sector;
- Work with the national government for completion of the Koru-Soin Multi-Purpose Dam, to avoid flooding incidences in Nyando and Nyakach sub-counties and to provide water for domestic use and agriculture.
- Implement the recently unveiled National Multi-Agency Action Plan
- Modernize Transport and Fishing vessels by replacing the rickety wooden boats with water buses and fiber glass boats
- Continue with the drive to reclaim and protect degraded Water Towers;
- Implement in collaboration with the national Government the 7-billion shillings Lake
 Victoria Water and Sanitation program (LVWATSAN) to;
- Construct of 120km of water supply distribution networks in Kisumu city, Kiboswa, Bandani, Kanyamedha, Otonglo, Airport, Korando and Maseno areas to achieve 90% safe water coverage.

Construct the following major water reservoirs:

- I. 1000m3 Gee tank to serve Kiboswa area
- II. 250m3 Konya tank to serve part kajulu area
- III. 150m3 elevated tank at Bukna primary school to serve Ukweli area
- IV. 1000m3 Maseno tank to serve maseno town
- Improve safe water production in Maseno town through development of springs and drilling of deep boreholes
- Construct new extension and rehabilitation of 117Km sewer network within Kisumu City (Mamboleo, Migosi, Manyatta, Nyamasaria, Lolwe, Kanyamedha, Bandani, Otonglo)
- Construct one pumping station and rehabilitation of Kendu Lane pumping station
- Rehabilitate Nyalenda Waste Stabilization Ponds and Kisat Wastewater Treatment plan

- Develop new modern Sewerage Treatment works at Otonglo to serve Kisumu Western Corridor
- Provide technical Support to KIWASCO to reduce Non-Revenue Water from 46% to 20%.
- Construct in collaboration with the national government the Koru Soin Multipurpose Dam to;
- Increase safe water coverage beyond 2050. The Domestic component of the project will supply water to higher areas of Kisumu e.g Riat.
- Control flooding in Nyando, Nyakach and Kisumu East sub counties
- Increase area under irrigation in the lower nyando. The irrigation component will supply water to the present Ahero Irrigation schemes and additional areas in the upper side of Ahero (Miwani and Kimwana)
- Generate 6MW of Hydropower





6. HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT:

Provide decent housing in inclusive towns, semi-urban centres and villages;

Our Commitments (Wadoktimo)

- Support the construction of 1840 affordable housing units at Makasembo estate in partnership with LAPFUND;
- Support the construction of 1700 affordable housing units at Anderson Ofafa estate in partnership with LAPTRUST - CPF;
- Support the construction of MORE THAN 10,000 affordable housing units at LUMUMBA, JOOTRH, ONDIEK, ARINA, ARGWINGS under PPP framework;
- build institutional capacities of the urban centres, which entails establishing the management committees, staffing the relevant offices and completing all the spatial development templates.
- enhance informal settlements renewal programmes in partnership with Kenya Informal Settlements Improvement Projects (KISIP), including 20 kilometers Class C roads to bitumen standards, connect 500 households to water-borne sewer system and light up the informal settlement through flood lights programmes to about 400 homesteads.
- Complete and implement the spatial development frameworks for all urban centres with clear zonal regulations and development control manuals, clear Action Area Plans, Environmental Management Plans and Urban Renewal and Regeneration programs targeting dilapidated and derelict urban infrastructure including roads, sewer lines, water lines, social infrastructure such as markets, schools, hospitals and to use the approved Local Physical and Land Use Development Plans for the urban areas as budgeting and investment seeking and attracting instrument/tool.

Create functional institutions for the management of urban centres by

- o Conducting delineation of boundaries for all the established urban areas
- o Establishing Urban and / Town Management Boards in line with Urban Areas and Cities Act 2011 and ensuring their capacity in terms of the requisite human and infrastructural resources and
- o Delinking management of urban affairs from individual departments to a consolidated urban resource pot for each urban centre with clearly-defined budgets.



- Facilitation of land tenure security (by titling of all public & private properties) to;
 - o Minimize the loss of investment opportunities from prospective development partners
 - o Ensure we do not lose formally designated lands for public good including spaces for parks, schools, health facilities among others.
 - o Enhance collateral capacity of private properties by titling all market properties for them to use as avenue for accessing capital.
 - o Commit to promote increased security of tenure to all while recognizing the plurality of tenure types.
 - o Establish a functional Land Information Management System (LIMS) to help in developing among others intentional land inventory systems through gathering of information and data on land and property.
- Formation of sub-county land transition and management committees to help in identification and verification of grabbed public land formerly owned by the Town, Municipal and County councils. This will ensure land banking safety for the county for ease of supporting the infrastructural development and expansion agenda and also save the public coffers from being committed every fiscal year for the purposes of purchase of land for public good.

Urban infrastructure development by:

- o Allocating a minimum of 10% of county budget towards urban infrastructure development for markets, roads, water, sewer, fire, solid waste etc.
- o Developing infrastructure to support Bus Rabid Transit for the City of Kisumu and commission a pilot BRT.
- o Promote disaster risk reduction and management by development of equipped disaster management stations or facilities in the new towns
- o Establishment of three additional bus parks at Mamboleo, Kisian and Kiboswa
- o Modernization and expansion of the markets in our urban centres in light of increase in commercial activities in the county
- o Invigorating efforts towards raising urban financing, partnership and capacity building of urban staff.

Environmental conservation and management through:

- o Reduction of greenhouse gas emissions and air pollution through generation and sustainable use of renewable and affordable energy.
- o Adoption of Euro-4 engine buses to serve the public transport that would eventually transition to electronic buses.

7. SPORTS AND CULTURE:

Promote Sports, Culture and the Arts;

Our Commitment:

- Complete additional infrastructural works of Moi Sports Complex and enter into partnerships with the private sector to commercialize the sports complex;
- Promoting talent development in sports and performing arts, by creation of a sports and talent development fund to support talent development.
- Development of sports infrastructure in each of the seven Sub-Counties
- Promoting talent development in sports and performing arts.
- Creation of a sports and talent development fund to support talent development.
- Developing a vibrant culture, heritage, and creative industry subsector to promote socio-economic development and wealth creation in the County.
- Harnessing the County's full potential in sports talent development for socioeconomic development and wealth creation for the youth



8. INDUSTRIALIZATION:

Promote industrialization and a vibrant service sector, supported by sustainable energy sources and information and communication technologies.

Our Commitments (Wadoktimo):

- Open up the Special Economic Zone (SEZ) in Miwani to begin operations in collaboration with the Special Economic Zone Authority (SEZA);
- 9. Identify at least one product per sub-county for value-addition in agro-processing such as fruit processing, essential oil extraction, vegetable processing and cereal processing, animal products and fish processing, milk and meat processing, hides and skins and fish products.
 - Launch and implement the County Strategy for Harnessing the Blue Economy with a clear vision for industrialization within the blue economy, for specific (sub) sectors:
 - Enter into partnerships for generation and distribution of solar and other renewable energy sources for uptake by county government institutions, such as markets and other urban centres, schools, Water pumping Stations and hospitals.
- 10. Set up an Industrial Park which offers a range of fiscal incentives that help in reducing start up and operational costs thereby making exporters internationally price competitive.
- 11. Explore and exploit mineral resources within the County- for example Limestone deposits found in Koru area and invest in cement manufacturing company within Kisumu County
- 12. Establish a bio-fertilizer plant to utilize baggage and wastes from sugar industries (Chemelil, Muhoroni and Miwani companies).
- 13. Complete and operationalize Kochieng Tomato Plant in kabonyo Kanyagwal;
- 14. Complete and operationalize the Dairy Multiplication Centre in Chemelil.
- 15. Set up Waste to Energy Centre at the Kasese Solid Waste Centre in Ombeyi Ward.



The County Government has devised strategies for growing the manufacturing and light industries segment of the County by implementing the following policies;

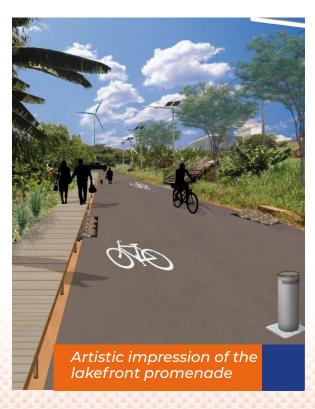
- 1. County Agriculture modernization, resource extraction and sustainable, resilient, and green infrastructure;
- 2. Policy for Establishing the appropriate macro-framework for encouraging investment and supplying capital through own resources;
- 3. Supporting capacity-building and indigenous innovation in the sectoral enabling environment;
- 4. Managing foreign investment through well-designed sectoral policies;
- 5. Strengthening the indigenous knowledge infrastructure, including absorptive capacity and fast-learning;

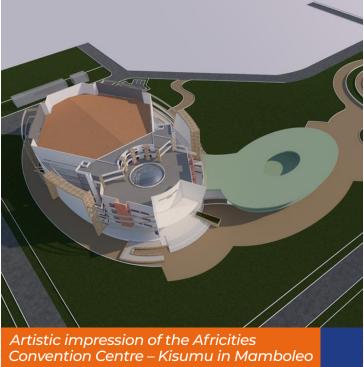
9. TOURISM AND HERITAGE:

Promote tourism driven by culture and heritage as well as new products;

Our Commitments (Wadoktimo)

- Establish community and tourist resource centres in selected tourism sites in the sub-counties;
- Complete the construction of Africities Convention Centre and position it as the catalyst for tourism value addition in the region;
- Work with the Lakefront Development Corporation to open up the lakefront to tourism activities;
- Developing and promoting the attractiveness of the county as a tourist destination to ensure increased visitor numbers and improved revenue for County.
- Developing and marketing Kisumu County as a regional MICE destination of choice, building on the profile built from the Africities Summit, 2021.
- Developing a vibrant culture, heritage, and creative industry subsector to promote socio-economic development and wealth creation in the County.
- Provide incentives to market Kisumu as film production destination
- Provide resources to improve infrastructure around tourism attraction sites within the county;









Artistic impression of Kit Mikayi View Tower

10. GOVERNANCE AND ADMINISTRATION:

Deepen the structures of devolved governance and strengthen revenue generation and accountability in use of public funds;

Our Commitment (Wadoktimo)

- L Operationalize the Kisumu County Revenue Board (KCRB) as a semi-autonomous agency for local revenue collection;
- Commence implementation of the Valuation Roll upon clearance of all encumbrances;
- Complete all the Integrated Development Plans for the new towns.
- Continue to enforce ethics and integrity principles in public office and value for money in government projects.
- Strengthen the performance management system for effective service delivery.

11. Office of the First Lady;

Our Commitment:

- Scale up the establishment of the Early Childhood Development and Nurturing Care in all the 26 Vocational Training Centres;
- Create more linkages to scale up provision of the Vegetable Cone Gardens to all the indigent households in the county;
- Mainstream the Kisumu County Nutrition Plan in the County planning tools such as CIDP 3, the ADP and the Budget to ensure that the county realizes the vision of being malnutrition free;
- Work with the County Government and other partners to construct a comprehensive Safe House for victims of gender based violence.

12. Office of the County Persons Living with Disabilities;

Our Commitment for the second term (Ma Wadoktimo):

We make these commitments in line with the Global Disability Summit 2022 Kenyan government commitments, SDGs, United Nations convention on Rights of Persons with Disabilities, World United Cities and Local Government commitments, The Agenda 2063, Vision 2030 and the Constitution of Kenya.

- Continue with disability mainstreaming in line with Kisumu Disability Act;
- Sign and operationalize Charters that promote Inclusive & Accessible Cities and Settlements to promote Non-Discrimination, Accessibility, Participation, Inclusive Urban Policies and Programs, Capacity Building and Data for Development with respect to PWDs;
- Create a Special AGPO Fund to support the Special interest groups finance AGPO Procurements
- Raise AGPO procurement from the current 30 35% while also supporting PWDs to access financing through the County AGPO Fund;



