

# REPUBLIC OF KENYA COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NYAMIRA THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OFFICE OF THE SPEAKER



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## COMMUNICATION FROM THE CHAIR ON SUPPORT FOR HON. IRENE NYAKERARIO MAYAKA IN THE MS. PRESIDENT COMPETITION

#### "Honorable Members

I am pleased to note that Hon. Irene Mayaka is among the top five contestants in the Ms. President competition which is a reality television series that features on KTN HOME every Wednesday from 8-9pm. The show is partly funded by the European Union and the Canadian High Commission.

I remember recently we wished her well on the Floor of this House and I believe we have all been following her progress in the academy.

Reaching the top five position has been competitive and rigorous. The contest started with over 1000 applicants who went through thorough vetting to arrive at 40 ladies who joined the Ms. President Academy to battle it out on who will be Kenya's first Female "President". Currently only 5 women representing **Garissa**, **Homabay**, **Nairobi**, **Nyeri** and **Nyamira** remain in the hotly contested competition and they will be subjected to public voting from mid-July.

#### Honorable Members

The purpose of this Communication is to rally your support behind Hon. Irene whose success is a bright illumination of our County and Assembly in the public arena. Voting will be via sms and a person will be entitled to one sms per day. The actual dates of voting will be communicated.

On 24<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 there will be a live Presidential debate where the 5 finalists will be responding to questions from moderators in a similar manner to the General elections Presidential debate.

### Honorable Members

This win will be our win. It will be a win for the women and Youth of Nyamira. When she wins, she will be required to identify a project for women and youth in the County that shall be financed by the European Union.

I urge all of us as we wait to vote for her to offer her any kind of support be it financial for mobilization or endorsement on Social media platforms such as Facebook and WhatsApp forums. I thank you."

THE HON. MOFFAT TEYA SPEAKER OF THE COUNTY ASSEMBLY OF NYAMIRA

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