

**Activity 2.1.1 CUTS VCA HOMA BAY COUNTY MCAs SENSITIZATION MEETING ON THE CLIMATE CHANGE FINANCE REGULATION BILL**

DATE: 14<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER, 2022      VENUE: HOTEL STARRIDGE



**INTRODUCTION**

This special Homa Bay County MCAs training was called by CUTS International to sensitize **all** members of the county assembly on the key components of the proposed climate change Finance Bill by the consultant courtesy of CUTS International. Most of the MCAs were interacting with the document for the first time and seemed to have a lot of interest in participation. The session was well attended as expected by the organizers led by the County Speaker and VCA implementing partners- CUTS and WEL.

### **SESSIONS OBJECTIVES**

- i. To build the capacity of the elected MCAs on their legislative role.
- ii. To sensitize the MCAs on the climate change Bill and Climate change Finance Regulations and other incidental matters.
- iii. To build synergy between the legislatures and VCA implementing partners i.e. CUTS International and WEL.

### **SESSIONS OUTCOME**

- i. The MCAs were able to familiarize with the climate change Bill and climate Finance regulation.
  - ii. The Governor expressed immense interest in the in passage of the Climate Change
- iii. Both the CSOs, VCA Implementing partners resolved to work together and ensure the Climate Change Bill is passed by the County Assembly.



Hon. Speaker, Environment Committee Chair, Director Roy, WEL and Daniel Asher of CUTS side meeting on the need to have the Climate Change Bill Passed at the Assembly



Sensitization of MCAs, CSOs and PSOs on the Contents of Climate Change Bill and Fund Regulation in Progress

- iv. The budget department committed to allocate funds for climate change actions once the Bill is passed.
- v. Both the Legislature and Executive unanimously resolved to adopt the community dialogue forums (CDFs) model for public participation at the grassroots level.
- vi. The County Assembly legal wing through the Clerk's office committed to building capacity of MCAs on legislative roles.
- vii. The speaker confirmed his 14 days target to fast rack the climate change bill inn the flow of the house.

## **GENERAL COMMENTS**

- The county speaker lauded the active role by the VCA partnership (CUTS and WEL) and other CSOs in campaigning for the climate change legal framework in the county.
- Both the legislative and the executive made a unanimous commitment to ensure passage of the climate change policy.
- The participants suggested the need to enhance grass root



**The Speaker Hon. Gaya Giving his Closing Remarks and appreciation to CUTS while outlining next steps towards the passage of the Climate Change Bill at the Assembly**

climate change campaigns through the community development facilitators (CDFs) and public campaign awareness on climate change mitigations.

## **CONCLUSION**

The climate change Director and the office of the Clerk to the County Assembly unanimously resolved to work together and ensure due process is followed to aid passage of the climate change bill.

**PARTICIPANTS LIST**

<b>NO.</b>	<b>NAME</b>	<b>WARD</b>	<b>Gender</b>
1.	Ouma Ogindo Richard	Kwabwai	M
2.	Ongoro Jeff Ochieng	Kanyaluo	M
3.	Jessica Achieng otieno	Nominated	F
4.	Kasera Wanjala Sylvance	Kanyikela	M
5.	Nancy Anyango Orina	Nominated	F
6.	Nyang'i Michael Ojala	Kochia	M
7.	Obondo Bob Benard	Central Kasipul	M
8.	Odongo Daniel Ouma	North Karachuonyo	M
9.	Odongo Raohael Ouma	Kasgunga	M
10.	Ogada Joan Minsari	Kojwach	F
11.	Oloo David Odhiambo	Kanyamwa Kologi	M
12.	Ondiek Mono florita	Homa-Bay Central	F
13.	Onyango Susan Akoth	Gwasi South	F
14.	Otieno Evalyne Achieng'	Nominated	F
15.	Owakaa Nicholas Otieno	Kanyamwa Kosewe	M
16.	Pamela Akinyi Okoth	Nominated	F
17.	Salim Sophie Akinyi	Lambwe	F
18.	Adinda Tom Adhiambo	Kendu Bay Town	M
19.	Adongo Walter Otieno	Kabuoch South/Pala	M
20.	Agawo Lentana Adoto Apopo	Kanyadoto	M
21.	Asiago Titus Okello	Ruma Kaksingri	M
22.	Bondo Vickins	West Kasipul	M
23.	Caroline Atieno Odundo	Nominated	F
24.	Daniel Omondi Ogada	Nominated	M
25.	Erick Otieno Owidhi	Nominated	M

26.	Erick Omollo	Homa Bay East	M
27.	Florence Ouma	Nominated	F
28.	Kakhiri Boaz Khiri	Kabuoch North	M
29.	Lieta Samuel Okuta	West Karachuonyo	M
30.	Lilian Awuor Omolo Kochola	Nominated	F
31.	Margaret Akinyi Oweje	Nominated	F
32.	Milcah Adoyo Achieng	Nominated	F
33.	Miruka Paul Barry	Kokwanyo/Kakelo	M
34.	Molo Reuben Odhiambo	Gembe	M
35.	Noah Billy Odhiambo	West Kamagak	F
36.	Nyakomitta Peter Sungu	Kabondo West	M
37.	Obuya Victor Otieno	Wangchieng'	M
38.	Obwana Samwel Ogono	Homa Bay West	M
39.	Odera George Odiwuor	Kibiri	M
40.	Odhiambo David Hamiltone	Kagan	M
41.	Odock Paul Owade	East Gem	M
42.	Ojwang Joseph Tom	Mfangano	M
43.	Okomo Samuel Oking	Rusinga	M
44.	Okoth Victor Owuor Uhuru	Kaksingri West	M
45.	Oloo Alice Weke	Kabondo East	F
46.	Ongondo Zakayo Okuma	South Kasipul	M
47.	Onyango Lazarus Ojango	Central Karachuonyo	M
48.	Otieno Tonny Okoth	Homa Bay Arujo	M
49.	Oyugi Dorine	East Kamagak	F
50.	Pauline Christine Achieng Oyoo	Nominated	F
51.	Sharon Joseph	Gwasi North	F
52.	Ware Patric Ogeja	West Gem	M

<b>53.</b>	Wilikester Aketch Andhu	Nominated	F
<b>54.</b>	Yvonne Atieno Abonyo	Nominated	F
<b>1.</b>	Kennedy Agola	Sergeant At Arm	M
<b>2.</b>	Willys Bolo	Director Budget	M
<b>3.</b>	Jacob Sawa	Driver	M
<b>4.</b>	Maurice Onguso	Staff	M
<b>5.</b>	Samson Oriko	Fiscal Analysis	M
<b>6.</b>	Ramadhan Mohammed	Budget Officer	M
<b>7.</b>	Lawrance Maganga	Governors Press	M
<b>8.</b>	Fred Nyasoro	Governors Press	M
<b>9.</b>	Caroline Apondo	Member	F
<b>10.</b>	Rachael Achieng	Member	F
<b>11.</b>	Peter Gama	Member	M
<b>12.</b>	Kennedy Otieno Okatch	VCA	M
<b>13.</b>	Queenter Anyango	Director Gender	F
<b>14.</b>	Harizon Ochola	M & E	M
<b>15.</b>	Zahra Hassan	Member	M
<b>16.</b>	Kadaam Banns	Member	M
<b>17.</b>	Antony Osana	Waste Manager	M
<b>18.</b>	Edgar Ocheya	Member	M
<b>19.</b>	Zach Gaya	Member	M
<b>20.</b>	Gravan Odera	Field Officer	M
<b>21.</b>	Kenneth Ouma	Member	M
<b>22.</b>	Gordon Ayota	Environmentalist	M
<b>23.</b>	Benedict Ochieng	Governance	M

<b>24.</b>	Barsra Daho	Member	M
<b>25.</b>	Stacy Opiyo	Member	M
<b>26.</b>	Philip Kabour	Person Living with Disability	M
<b>27.</b>	Apholine Yogo	Youth Group	M
<b>28.</b>	Mathew Owili	Chair	M
<b>29.</b>	Hassan Odidi	Team Leader	M
<b>30.</b>	Arthur Onyango	Member	M
<b>31.</b>	David Rachour	Field Officer	M
<b>32.</b>	Nicholas Omondi	Member	M
<b>33.</b>	Japheth Ojijo	Member	M
<b>34.</b>	Lydia Hongo	Member	F
<b>35.</b>	Regina Mlala	Member	F