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**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF LAIKIPIA  
(EXECUTIVE)**

**QUARTERLY REPORT AND FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>  
2024**

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**1. ACRONYMS AND DEFINITION OF KEY TERMS**

**A. Acronyms**

<i>ADP</i>	<i>Annual Development Plan</i>
<i>AIE</i>	<i>Authority to Incur Expenditure</i>
<i>CA</i>	<i>County Assembly</i>
<i>CARA</i>	<i>County Allocation of Revenue Act</i>
<i>CBK</i>	<i>Central Bank of Kenya</i>
<i>CECM</i>	<i>County Executive Committee Member</i>
<i>CE</i>	<i>County Executive</i>
<i>CG</i>	<i>County Government</i>
<i>CIDP</i>	<i>County Integrated Development Plan</i>
<i>COG</i>	<i>Council of Governors</i>
<i>CRA</i>	<i>Commission on Revenue Allocation</i>
<i>CRF</i>	<i>County Revenue Fund</i>
<i>CT</i>	<i>County Treasury</i>
<i>IPSAS</i>	<i>International Public Sector Accounting Standards</i>
<i>MCA</i>	<i>Member of County Assembly</i>
<i>OAG</i>	<i>Office of the Auditor General</i>
<i>OCOB</i>	<i>Office of the Controller of Budget</i>
<i>OSR</i>	<i>Own Source Revenue</i>
<i>PFM</i>	<i>Public Finance Management</i>
<i>PSASB</i>	<i>Public Sector Accounting Standards Board</i>
<i>NT</i>	<i>National Treasury</i>
<i>WB</i>	<i>World Bank</i>
<i>KRB</i>	<i>Kenya Roads Board</i>
<i>Kshs</i>	<i>Kenya Shillings</i>
<i>FY</i>	<i>Financial Year</i>

**B. Definition of Key Terms.**

***Fiduciary Management-*** Members of Management directly entrusted with the responsibility of financial resources of the organisation.

***Comparative Year-*** Means the prior period.

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**2. KEY ENTITY INFORMATION AND MANAGEMENT**

**a) Background information.**

Laikipia County is one of the 47 Counties in the Republic of Kenya within the Rift Valley Region. “Laikipia” is a Maasai word equivalent to vast plains reflecting the large highland plateau. It borders 7 counties namely Samburu, Isiolo, Meru, Nyeri, Nyandarua, Nakuru and Baringo to the West. It covers an area of, 9532.2 km<sup>2</sup> and is ranked as the 15<sup>th</sup> largest county in the country by land size and has a population of 518,560 as per the 2019 Kenya Population and Housing Census. The County is cosmopolitan with about 23 communities.

Laikipia County comprises of 6 administrative sub counties namely Laikipia East, Laikipia North, Laikipia West, Laikipia Central, Nyahururu and Kirima. The County consists of three constituencies namely Laikipia East, Laikipia North and Laikipia West. The County headquarters is Rumuruti in Laikipia West Sub County..

The County is largely rural in settlement and a member of the Central Region Economic Bloc (CEREB) and Frontier Counties Development Council.

The main economic activities in the county include ranching, crop farming, beef and dairy farming, tourism and trade. Major tourist attractions in Laikipia include; wildlife, the unique Maa speaking cultural practices, and the Thomson Falls. Its proximity to Mt. Kenya, Meru National Park, Aberdare ranges and Samburu game parks have equally boosted tourism within the county through provision of hospitality services.

The County is constituted as per the Constitution of Kenya and is headed by the County Governor, who is responsible for the general policy and strategic direction of the County. The County Executive is comprised of the following departments:

**Our vision:** *The greatest county with the best quality of life*

**Our mission:** *To enable every household in Laikipia to lead a prosperous life*

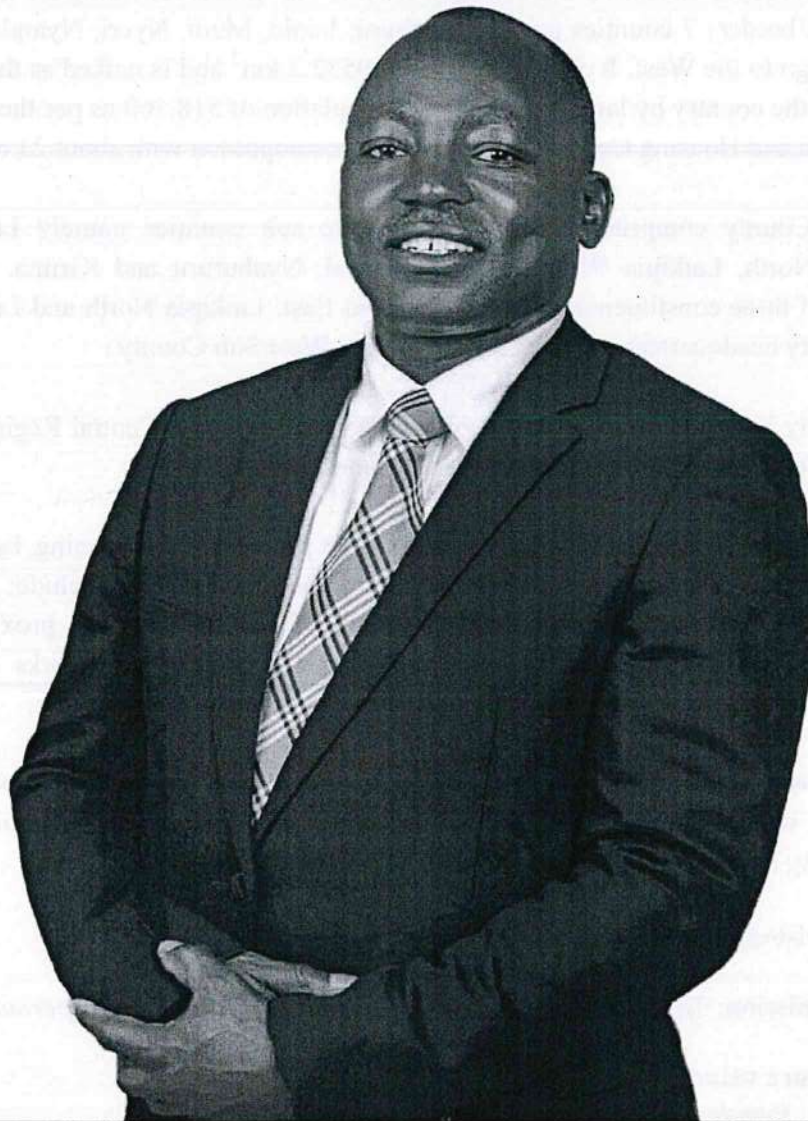
**Our core values:**

- *People-centeredness*
- *Equity*
- *Accountability*
- *Efficiency*
- *Professionalism*
- *Integrity*
- *Innovativeness*
- *Passion*

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**b) Key Management team**

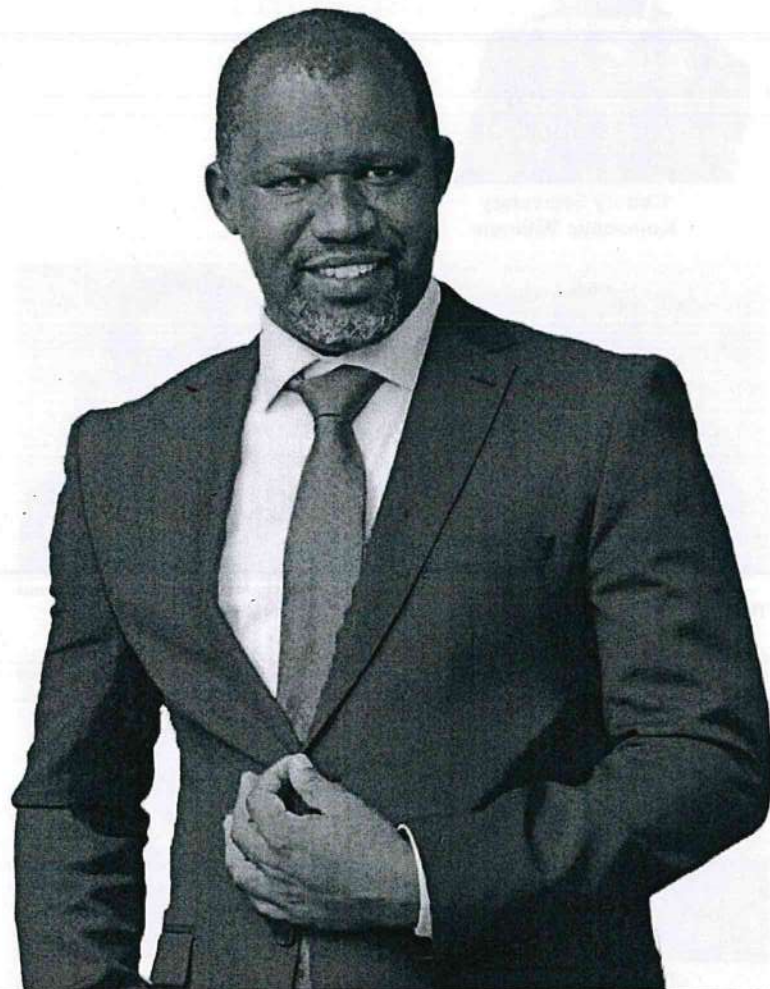


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**H.E. JOSHUA IRUNGU, EGH.  
GOVERNOR – COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF LAIKIPIA**

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**H.E. REUBEN KAMURI  
DEPUTY GOVERNOR – COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF LAIKIPIA**

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**CABINET: COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF LAIKIPIA**



**County Secretary  
Koinanage Wahome**



**Purity Kendi, County Coordination,  
Administration, ICT & Public Service**



**Stephen Kisorio, Trade,  
Tourism, Cooperatives & Enterprise  
Development**



**Leah Njeri, Water, Environment and  
Natural Resources**



**Martin Nabos; Roads, Public Works,  
Land and Energy**



**Albert Taiti, Health**



**Samuel Gachigi, Finance, County  
Planning & Development**



**Dennis Kasoo, Agriculture**

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**The County Executive's day-to-day management is under the following key organs:**

Office of the Governor  
Administration, Devolution, County Coordination & Public Service Management  
Finance, Economic Planning & County Development  
Health Services  
Agriculture, Livestock, Mechanization & Cooperatives Development  
Roads, Public Works, Lands, Housing, Energy & Urban Planning  
Education, Youth, Sports & Social Services  
Water & Sanitation, Environment, Natural Resources & Climate Change

**c) Fiduciary Management**

The key management personnel who held office during the financial year ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024 and who had direct fiduciary responsibility were:

No.	Designation	Name
1.	CECM Finance County Planning and County Development	Samuel. Wachira
2	Accounting officer- Finance, County Treasury	Daniel Ngumi
3	Accounting officer- Economic Planning & County Development	Samuel Njuki
4	Accounting Officer-Administration Devolution & County Coordination	Burje Mohamed
5	Accounting officer –Public Service management, Public participation E-governance & Public Communication	Michael Kemboi
6	Accounting Officer- Health and Medical Services	Dr Timothy Panga
7	Accounting Officer- Crop Production, Irrigation Development & Mechanisation	Elizabeth Wangari
8	Accounting Officer –Livestock, Fisheries, Cooperatives & Veterinary Services	Mary Gichuru
9	Accounting Officer – Gender, Sports, Youth Affairs, Culture & Social Services	Kenneth Kibaara
10	Accounting Officer – Education, Vocational Training & Library Services	Jecinta Segetet
11	Accounting Officer- Water, Sanitation & Climate Change	Abraham Lemanyishoe
12	Accounting officer- Rangeland management & Natural Resources	Stephen Lapian
13	Accounting Officer- Lands, Housing, Energy & Urban Planning	John Gichuki
14	Accounting Officer- Roads, Public Works & Transport	Eng. Peter Macharia
No.	Designation-County Treasury Members	Name
1.	CECM Finance County Planning and Enterprise Development	Samuel. Wachira
2.	CO Finance & County Treasury	Daniel Ngumi

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No.	Designation	Name
3	CO Economic Planning & County Development	Samuel Njuki
4	Head of Accounting Services & Financial reporting	Mary Wachiuri
5	Head of Budget Supplies	Julius Kingori
6	Ag. Head of Internal Audit	Nelson Ochungo
7	Ag. Director Economic Planning	Joseph Ndegwa
8.	Ag. Head of Supply Chain Management	Josephine Njoki
9	Ag. Head of Debt, Assets & portfolio	Francis karani

**d) Fiduciary Oversight Arrangements**

County Assembly of Laikipia  
County Executive Committee  
Laikipia County Executive Audit Committee  
Senate Public Accounts Committee  
Office of the Controller of Budget.  
Office of the Auditor-General  
Development Partners Oversight

**e) Entity Headquarters**

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Website: [www.laikipia.go.ke](http://www.laikipia.go.ke)

**g) Entity Bankers**

1. Central Bank of Kenya  
Haile Selassie Avenue  
P.O. Box 60000, City Square 00200  
Nairobi, Kenya
2. Kenya Commercial Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya
3. Co-operative Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya

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4. Equity Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya
5. Family Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya
6. ABSA Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya
7. National Bank  
Nairobi, Kenya

**h) Independent Auditors**

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**i) Principal Legal Adviser**

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Nairobi, Kenya

**j) County Legal Adviser**

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**3. FOREWORD BY CECM FINANCE AND ECONOMIC PLANNING**

It gives me great pleasure to present the County Government of Laikipia Executive Quarterly Reports & Financial Statements for the Period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.

These Financial Statements have been prepared in line with the PFM Act 2012 and are in line with the format prescribed by The Public Sector Accounting Standards Board. Section 166 (4) of The PFM Act requires that these statements be submitted to The County Assembly and copies be submitted to The National Treasury, Office of the Controller of Budget and The Commission of Revenue Allocation within one month after end of each period. Pursuant to the PFM Act 2012 Section 149, I confirm that there was accountability to the County Assembly in ensuring that the resources of the county government were authorized and lawfully utilized in an effective, efficient, economical and transparent manner.

Quarterly Reports & Financial Statements play a critical role in communicating to its readers (stake holders) the operational, financial performance, position & cash flow situation of the county Executive for decision making and accountability of public resources. The County Executive is therefore alive to the afore mentioned responsibility and is committed to and as guided by the Public Finance Management Act of 2012, exhaustively, preparing and submitting financial statements that reflect a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the county Executive.

The County Executive is committed to ensuring transparency by relaying performance on key indicators to the public. This will be realized through publishing and publicising of financial and non-financial reports as required by the Constitution and the PFM Act 2012.

In discharging its mandate to the residents of Laikipia County as espoused in the 4th Schedule of the Kenya Constitution 2010, the County Executive is guided by the applicable national and county Laws. Specifically, the County Governments Act of 2012 informs the county governance structure.

The County is headed by The Governor, who is responsible for its general policy and strategic direction and is accountable to the County Assembly and Senate Public Accounts Committee. County Governments consist of two arms namely, the County Assembly and the County Executive.

The County Assembly is the legislative authority of county laws, general oversight of the County Government and representation of the people is vested on County Assembly. It consists of 21 Members of County Assembly (MCAs) and the Speaker. The County Executive is the executive arm and comprises of the Governor, the Deputy Governor, the County Secretary and the 7 County Executive Committee Members (CECMs) for the 7 departments.

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**The County Government of Laikipia has formulated the following statutory committees and boards**

**1. Laikipia County Audit Committee**

The inaugural Audit Committee was constituted in April 2018 as required by the PFM Regulations 2015. The committee is guided by an Audit Charter that was approved in September 2018. The committee is currently constituted by the following members:

No.	Names	Designation	Qualifications
1.	James Sambu	Chairperson	MBA, CPA(K), ICPAK member
2.	Dr Joseph Kimathi	Member	PHD,MBA, CPA(K), ICPAK member
3.	Robert Angulu	Member	B. COM, CPA(K), ICPAK Member
4.	Damaris Wanjiku	Member	B. COM, MBA (Finance) CPA(K) ICPAK Member
5.	Mishek M. Gacheru	County Treasury representative	BA Economics, CPA(K), ICPAK member
6.	Nelson Ochungo	Head of Internal Audit – secretary	Dip. Business Management, CPA 2

**2. Laikipia County Public Service Board**

Laikipia County Public Service Board was established by The Laikipia County Public Service Board Act June 2014. The board members are;

No.	Names	Designation
1.	Margaret Mumbi	Chairperson
2.	Josphat Lodi Lekamario	Secretary
3.	Patricia Wangui	Member
4.	John Ekale	Member
5.	Benson Sururu	Member
6.	Christine Chepkoech	Member
7.	Moses Mwaura	Member

Other boards and committees formulated by Laikipia County Government are;

- i. Laikipia County Revenue Board (LCRB)
- ii. Laikipia County Development Authority (LCDA)
- iii. Laikipia County Enterprise Fund Board
- iv. Laikipia County Co-operative Fund Board
- v. County Alcoholic Drinks Regulation Committee
- vi. The County Budget and Economic Forum
- vii. County Environmental Committee
- viii. Nanyuki Teaching & Referral Hospital Board
- ix. Nyahururu Referral Hospital Board
- x. Rumuruti Municipality Board
- xi. Nanyuki Municipality Board
- xii. Laikipia County Assets Leasing Fund Committee

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**Budget Performance**

Due to the cash flow constraint where by the County had not received the Equitable share for the months of August and September, and also no grant had been received by the end of the period, the County Executive was only able to realize 8% of its revenue budget and utilize 6% of its expenditure budget. The Utilisation is however expected to pick up pace in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter of the fiscal year when operational and cash flow constraints will have picked up and eased respectively.

**Table 1; Budget realisation for the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

Receipt Item	Final Budget	Actual on Comparable Basis	Budget Realisation Difference	% of Utilisation
	A	B	C= A-B	D = B/A
	Kshs	Kshs	Kshs	%
Exchequer Transfers	6,816,091,946	425,840,144	6,390,251,802	6%
Opening Bank Balances	-	130,025,635	(130,025,635)	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>555,865,779</b>	<b>6,260,226,167</b>	<b>8%</b>

**Table 2; Budget Utilisation for the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024**

Sectors	Total Budget	Total Expenditure	Balance	Total Budget (%)
County Administration, Public Service and Office of The Governor	3,777,900,877	367,505,708	3,410,395,169	10%
Finance, Economic Planning and County Treasury	605,909,306	31,042,492	574,866,814	5%
Health And Sanitation	426,175,000	691,564	425,483,436	0.16%
Agriculture, Livestock and Fisheries	301,385,842	1,100,000	300,285,842	0.36%
Infrastructure And Public Works	805,796,042	6,087,873	799,708,169	1%
Education And Youth	169,610,000	1,024,200	168,585,800	1%
Trade, Tourism and Enterprise Development	439,300,000	770,381	438,529,619	0.18%
Gender, Culture and Social Services	6,200,000	320,000	5,880,000	5%
Water, Environment and Natural Resources	155,600,000	12,610,998	142,989,002	8%
Rumuruti Municipality	7,000,000	-	7,000,000	-
Nyahururu Municipality	2,000,000	-	2,000,000	-
Nanyuki Municipality	119,214,879	-	119,214,879	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>421,153,216</b>	<b>6,394,938,730</b>	<b>6%</b>

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**Operationalization & Autonomy of County Nyahururu Municipality & Health Facilities**

Nyahururu Municipality Board is in the process of being operationalized through formulation of the Board and seconding of staff. This will enable it to offer municipality management services to the residents of Nyahururu in line with the Urban Areas and Cities Act of 2011. It has an allocation of 2 million for its preliminary operations. Nanyuki Municipality which was formulated towards the end of the FY 2022/23 is now operational.

There has been changes in the statutory and structural realignment in own source revenue collected from Hospitals and health facilities in the Country that resulted with the enactment of the Facility Improvement Financing Act of 2023 during the period. This has resulted in re-categorization of Revenue Collected from the Hospitals & health facilities as Appropriation in Aid (AIA). These collections have further been exempted from being swept into the CRF but rather collected in separate Facility Improvement Fund Accounts for the respective entities.

Consequently, Nanyuki Teaching & Referral Hospital (NTRH), Nyahururu County Referral Hospital (NCRH) as well as other level 4 hospitals have gained financial and operational autonomy. They therefore will with the oversight of their respective management boards and departmental leadership collect, account for, spend and report for revenue (AIA) and expenditure at the facility levels.

This will result to the reduction of the Own Source Revenue recognizable by County Executive and also reported as received into the CRF. We are however working towards enhancing compliance and efficiency in revenue collection so as to raise the Own Source revenue generated in subsequent financial years.

**Transition from Cash to Accrual Accounting**

The national government through the Cabinet approved the transition of Ministries, Departments and Agencies of the National Government and County governments from cash to Accrual basis of Accounting with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> July 2024. The County Executive through the County Treasury will continue to sensitize its public service particularly staff involved in the Public Finance management (Accounting Officers, Accountants, Finance officers, Economists & Procurement Officers among others) on the realignments and reforms expected to take place with the transition.

The transition provides great opportunities to the County Government such as recognition of pending bills, property Plant, Equipment, Investments, and Inventory among others in the substantive financial statements. This will enhance the quality of financial reporting with the ultimate result of raising the standards of transparency accountability and openness to the public.

This 1<sup>st</sup> quarter report and financial statements for the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024 have therefore been prepared using the accrual basis and have relied upon the transitional reliefs provided by IPSAS 33. The IPSAS 33 transitional provisions allows for entities

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adopting IPSAS accrual for the 1<sup>st</sup> time to gradually implement the recognition of assets and liabilities in its Statement of Financial Position.

**Conclusion**

I wish to pass my sincere gratitude to H.E the Governor and the Deputy Governor for their stewardship of the county government during the period. Under your leadership Laikipia County has benefited from a citizen centred, development oriented and inclusive governance. Secondly, I wish to thank the County Executive Committee Members, the Accounting Officers and the entire Laikipia County Staff for their commitment, dedication, hard work and teamwork in ensuring service delivery to the people of Laikipia County. Further, I would also like to thank the entire County Assembly led by the able leadership of the Speaker and the Clerk to the County Assembly for their legislative and oversight role. Finally, my sincere appreciation goes to all the citizens of Laikipia County for their continuous engagement with the County Government to ensure efficient service delivery and value for money in all our undertakings.



**Wachira Gachigi**  
**CECM Finance, County Planning and Development**  
**Laikipia County Government**

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**4. MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

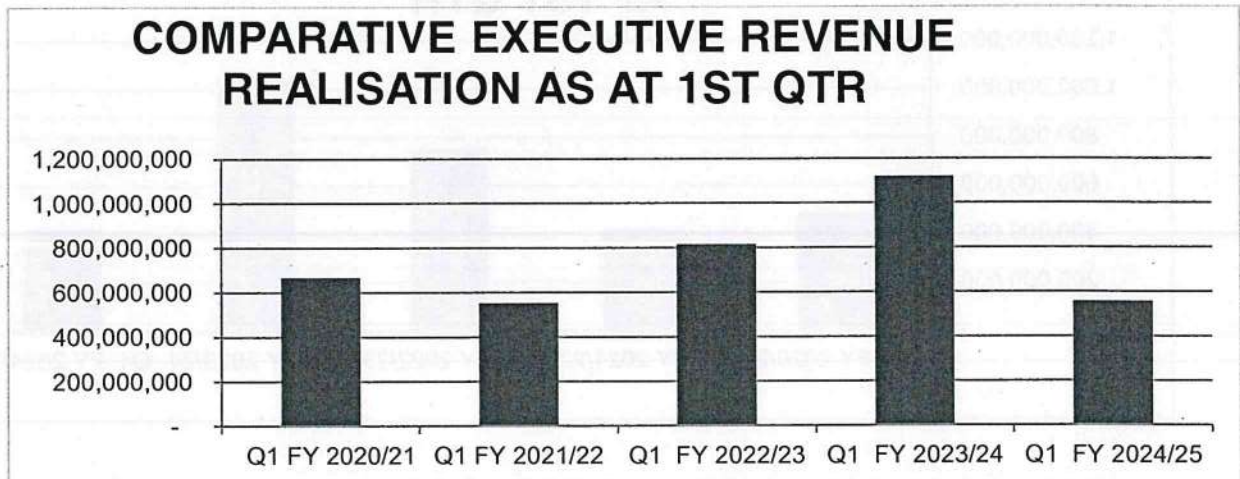
**FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**

**1. Revenue**

In the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024, the County realized Kshs 555,865,779 as its revenue representing 8%. Below we present the comparative actual revenue realisation across 5 financial years.

**Table 3: Analysis of Comparative Revenue Realisation from FY 2020/21 to 2023/24**

Receipt item	Q1 FY 2020/21	Q1 FY 2021/22	Q1 FY 2022/23	Q1 FY 2023/24	Q1 FY 2024/25
Transfers From CRF	415,218,772	385,805,024	783,412,853	1,091,787,228	425,840,144
Opening Balances	20,810,227	166,495,542	20,209,242	27,307,146	130,025,635
Other Receipts	229,834,793	-	12,000,000	-	-
<b>Total Revenue Realisation</b>	<b>665,863,792</b>	<b>552,300,566</b>	<b>815,622,095</b>	<b>1,119,094,374</b>	<b>555,865,779</b>



**2 Payments**

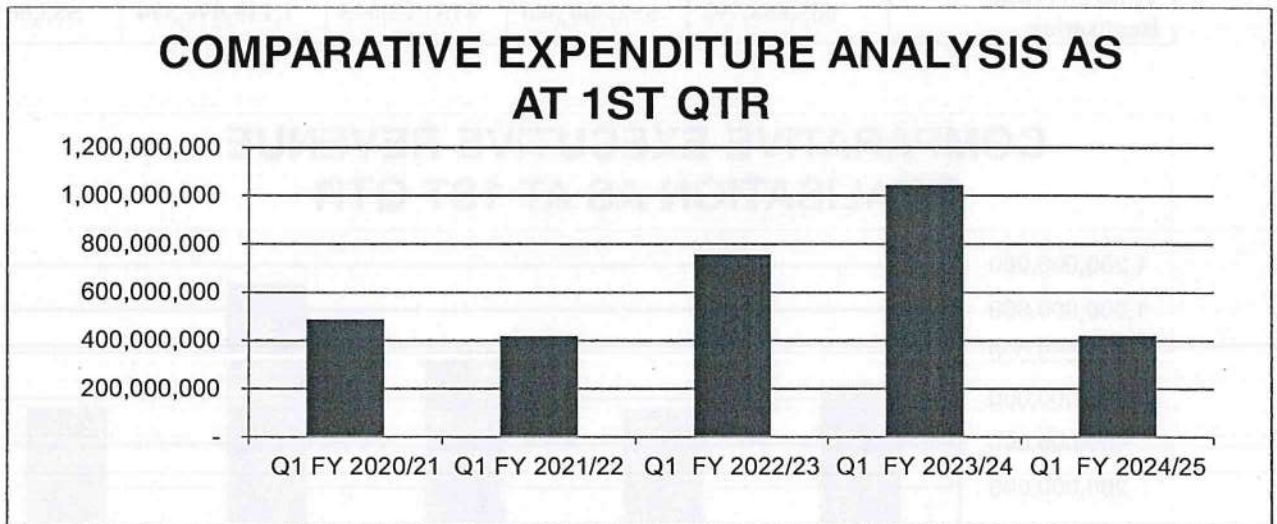
The PFM Act of 2012 provides for management of public funds and gives guidelines on planning, budgeting and execution of public funds. Laikipia County Executive adhered to these guidelines when implementing the budget.

The County Executive attained 6% budget utilization as at the end of the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2024 of the FY 2024/25. The comparative analysis across the past 5 financial years is further illustrated in the below table:

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**Table 5: Comparative Expenditure Analysis from FY 2020/21 to 2024/25**

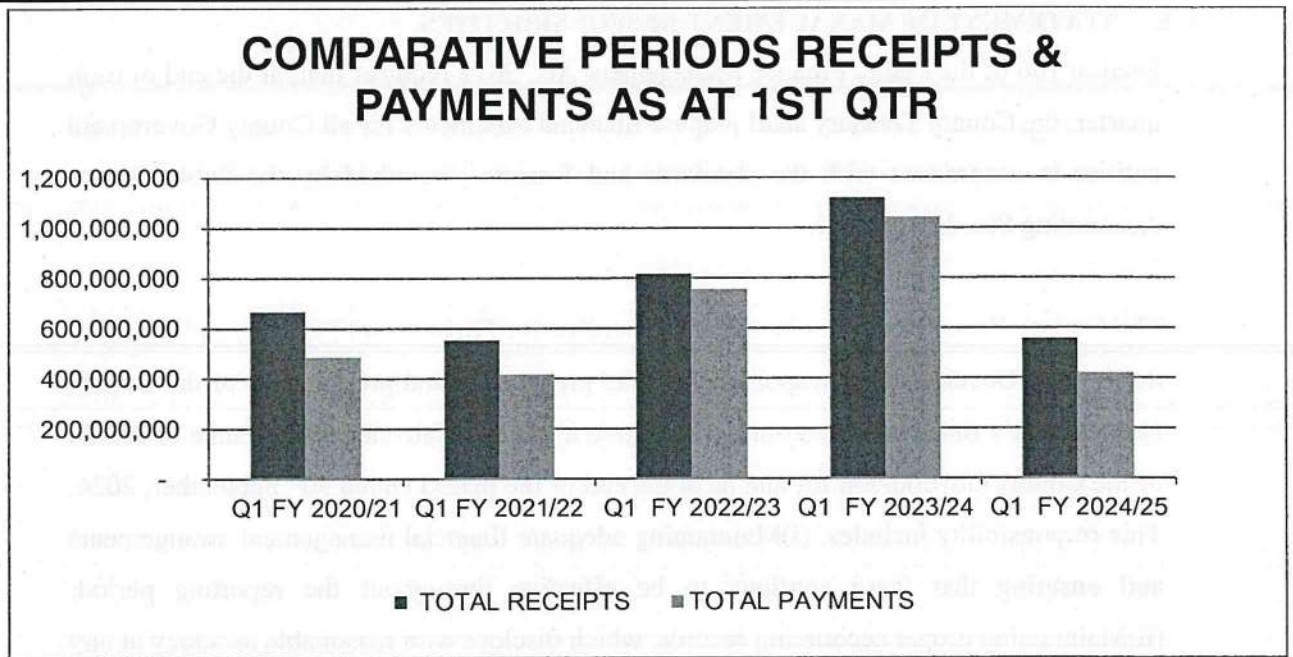
<b>PAYMENTS</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2020/21</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2021/22</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2022/23</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2023/24</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2024/25</b>
Compensation of Employees	257,386,235	260,855,614	705,186,732	629,602,389	285,664,209
Use of goods and services	106,080,732	73,719,817	33,780,420	252,905,563	100,839,709
Transfers to Other Government Entities	84,872,471	40,483,598	17,390,238	92,099,164	33,699,298
Other grants and transfers	-	740,000	-	-	-
Acquisition of Assets	22,921,703	37,238,785	-	68,140,047	-
Other Payments	14,719,202	3,588,366	-	-	-
<b>TOTAL PAYMENTS</b>	<b>485,980,343</b>	<b>416,626,180</b>	<b>756,357,390</b>	<b>1,042,747,163</b>	<b>420,203,216</b>



**Table 6; Comparative 1st quarter cash inflows and outflows from FY 2020/21 to FY 2024/25**

<b>Receipts/Payments</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2020/21</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2021/22</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2022/23</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2023/24</b>	<b>Q1 FY 2024/25</b>
Total Receipts	665,863,792	552,300,566	815,622,095	1,119,094,374	555,865,779
Total Payments	485,980,343	416,626,180	756,357,390	1,042,747,163	420,203,216

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Further details on realisation and utilization of revenues and expenditure are more elaborated under the statement of budget verses actual.

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**5. STATEMENT OF MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES**

Section 166 of the Public Finance Management Act, 2012 requires that, at the end of each quarter, the County Treasury shall prepare financial statements for all County Government entities in accordance with the standards and formats prescribed by the Public Sector Accounting Standards Board.

The County Executive Committee (CEC) member for Finance and Economic planning of the County Government is responsible for the preparation and presentation of the County Government's financial statements, which give a true and fair view of the state of affairs of the County Government for and as at the end of the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2024. This responsibility includes: (i) Maintaining adequate financial management arrangements and ensuring that these continue to be effective throughout the reporting period; (ii) Maintaining proper accounting records, which disclose with reasonable accuracy at any time the financial position of the county government; (iii) Designing, implementing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements, and ensuring that they are free from material misstatements, whether due to error or fraud; (iv) Safeguarding the assets of the county government; (v) selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and (vi) Making accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances.

The CEC member for Finance and Economic planning accepts responsibility for the County Government's financial statements, which have been prepared on the Accrual Basis Method of Financial Reporting, using appropriate accounting policies in accordance with International Public Sector Accounting Standards (IPSAS). The CEC member for Finance and Economic Planning is of the opinion that the County Government's financial statements gives a true and fair view of the state of the County Government's transactions during the period ended 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2024, and of its financial position as at that date.

The CEC member for finance further confirms the completeness of the accounting records maintained for the County Government which have been relied upon in the preparation of

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the financial statements as well as the adequacy of the systems of internal financial control.

The CEC member for Finance and Economic planning confirms that the County Government has complied fully with applicable Government Regulations and the terms of external financing covenants (where applicable), and that the County Government's funds received during the quarter were used for the eligible purposes for which they were intended and were properly accounted for. Further, the CEC member for finance confirms that the County Government's financial statements have been prepared in a form that complies with relevant accounting standards prescribed by the Public Sector Accounting Standards Board of Kenya.

**Approval of the financial statements**

The County Executive's financial statements were approved and signed by the CECM for Finance on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2024.



**Wachira Gachigi**

**CECM Finance, County Planning and Development  
Laikipia County Government**

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**6. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE FOR THE PERIOD ENDED 30<sup>TH</sup>  
SEPTEMBER 2024**

Description	Notes	Period ended September, 2024 Kshs
<b>Revenue from non-exchange transactions</b>		
Transfers from CRF	5	786,717,773
<b>Revenue from exchange transactions</b>		
<b>Total revenue</b>		<b>786,717,773</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Employee costs	6	835,731,652
Use of goods and services	7	100,839,709
Transfers to other Government Entities	8	33,699,298
<b>Total expenses</b>		<b>970,270,659</b>
<b>Deficit for the period</b>		<b>(183,552,886)</b>
Taxation		-
<b>Net Surplus/Deficit</b>		<b>(183,552,886)</b>

The Financial Statements set out on pages 1 to 6 were signed by:

 	 	
Chief Officer- Finance & County Treasury Daniel K. Ngumi ICPAK Number: 8207	Head of Accounting Services Mary W. Wachui ICPAK Number: 7055	Ag Asst. Director FRU Mishek M. Gacheru ICPAK Number: 26623

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**7. STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup> 2024**

Description	Notes	Period ended	Opening Statement
		September, 2024	1st July 2024
		Kshs	Kshs
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current Assets</b>			
Cash and Cash equivalents	13	136,292,948	136,615,218
Receivables from Non-Exchange Transactions	14	762,110,453	373,491,590
<b>Total Current Assets</b>		<b>898,403,400</b>	<b>510,106,808</b>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>			
<b>Total Non- Current Assets</b>		-	-
<b>Total Assets (A)</b>		<b>898,403,400</b>	<b>510,106,808</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current Liabilities</b>			
Trade and Other Payables	15	835,731,652	285,664,209
Refundable deposits and prepayments	16	1,739,583	6,589,583
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>		<b>837,471,235</b>	<b>292,253,792</b>
<b>Non-Current Liabilities</b>			
<b>Total Non- Current Liabilities</b>		-	-
<b>Total Liabilities (B)</b>		<b>837,471,235</b>	<b>292,253,792</b>
<b>Net Assets (A-B)</b>		<b>60,932,165</b>	<b>217,853,016</b>
<b>Represented by:</b>			
Accumulated Surplus		60,932,165	217,853,016
<b>Net Assets</b>		<b>60,932,165</b>	<b>217,853,016</b>

The Financial Statements set out on pages 1 to 6 were signed by

  
**CHIEF OFFICER**  
**28 OCT 2024**  
 COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF LAIKIPIA  
 FINANCE & COUNTY

Chief Officer- Finance & County  
 Treasury  
 Daniel K. Ngumi  
 ICPAK Number: 8207

  
**HEAD OF ACCOUNTING SERVICES**  
**27 OCT 2024**  
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**8. STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>  
 2024**

Description	Accumulated Surplus	Total
<b>As at 30<sup>th</sup> June 2024 (cash basis)</b>	<b>102,718,490</b>	<b>102,718,490</b>
Adjustments: (to recognize assets and liabilities)	115,134,526	115,134,526
<b>As at July 1, 2024</b>	<b>217,853,016</b>	<b>217,853,016</b>
deficit for the period	(183,552,886)	(183,552,886)
Returns to CRF	(159,199)	(159,199)
Additions during the period	26,791,234	26,791,234
<b>As at 30<sup>th</sup> September 2024</b>	<b>60,932,165</b>	<b>60,932,165</b>



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**9. STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup> 2024**

Description	Notes	Period ended Sep 2024
		Kshs
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>		
<b>Receipts</b>		
Transfers from CRF		425,840,144
<b>Total receipts</b>		<b>425,840,144</b>
<b>Payments</b>		
Employee costs		285,664,209
Use of goods and services		112,238,599
Transfers to other Government Entities		28,100,408
<b>Total payments</b>		<b>426,003,216</b>
<b>Net cash flows from/(used in) operating activities</b>	16	<b>(163,072)</b>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>		
<b>Net cash flows from/(used in) investing activities</b>		<b>-</b>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>		
Returns to CRF		(159,199)
<b>Net cash flows from financing Activities</b>		<b>(159,199)</b>
<b>Net increase/(decrease) in cash &amp; Cash equivalents</b>		<b>(322,271)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents as at Period Start	13	136,615,218
<b>Cash and cash equivalents as at Period End</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>136,292,947</b>

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10. STATEMENT OF COMPARISON OF BUDGET AND ACTUAL AMOUNTS FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup> 2024

A) RECURRENT AND DEVELOPMENT BUDGETS COMBINED

Revenue/expense item	Original budget A	Adjustments B	Final budget C=(A+B)	Actual on comparable basis D	Budget utilization difference E=(C-D)	% of utilization F=D/C *100
<b>Revenues</b>						
Opening balance (Non-refundable special purpose accounts)	-	-	-	136,615,218	(136,615,218)	-
Transfers from CRF	6,816,091,946	-	6,816,091,946	425,840,144	6,390,251,802	6%
<b>Total revenues</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>562,455,362</b>	<b>6,253,636,584</b>	<b>8%</b>
<b>Expenses</b>						
Employee costs	3,469,255,593	-	3,469,255,593	285,664,209	3,183,591,384	8%
Use of goods and services	854,194,244	-	854,194,244	112,238,599	741,955,645	13%
Transfers to other Government Entities	1,146,436,721	-	1,146,436,721	28,100,408	1,118,336,313	2%
Other Grants and Subsidies	321,857,706	-	321,857,706	-	321,857,706	-
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,791,744,264</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,791,744,264.0</b>	<b>426,003,216</b>	<b>5,365,741,048</b>	<b>7%</b>
<b>Capital items</b>						
Acquisition of PPE	1,024,347,682	-	1,024,347,682	-	1,024,347,682	-
<b>Total Development expenses</b>	<b>1,024,347,682</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,024,347,682</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,024,347,682</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>6,816,091,946</b>	<b>426,003,216</b>	<b>6,390,088,730</b>	<b>6%</b>
<b>Surplus/ deficit</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>136,452,146</b>		

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**Budget Notes**

**Under-realisation of the revenue budget was due to:**

- Under realisation of revenue Budget at the CRF Level whereby kshs 938,117,405 relating to Equitable share for the Months of August & September 2024 had not been realised.

**Under-Utilisation of the Expenditure budget was due to:**

- Under-utilisation of expenditure budget for all the expenditure categories was due to the under realisation of revenue as explained above.

**RECONCILIATION STATEMENT BETWEEN THE ACTUALS IN THE STATEMENT OF BUDGET VS ACTUALS & THE STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS**

	Operating	Total
<b>Actual amounts on comparable basis presented in the budget and actual comparative statement</b>	<b>136,452,146</b>	<b>136,452,146</b>
Basis difference	-	-
Timing differences	-	-
Entity differences	-	-
Classification differences	(159,199)	(159,199)
<b>Actual in the statement of cash flows</b>	<b>136,292,947</b>	<b>136,292,947</b>

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**11. NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**1. General Information**

Laikipia County Executive is established by and derives its authority and accountability from The Constitution of Kenya 2010. The County Executive is domiciled in Kenya and its principal activities are as set out in the 4<sup>th</sup> Schedule of the Constitution of Kenya 2010.

**2. Statement of Compliance and Basis of Preparation**

**Statement of Compliance**

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the Public Finance Management Act, 2012. The County Executive has opted to take advantage of the transitional provisions under IPSAS 33 and therefore these Quarterly Financial statements of the 1<sup>st</sup> financial year are transitional financial statements. Therefore, Non-financial Assets and liabilities have not been recognised as the County Executive has taken advantage of the transitional provisions outlined in IPSAS 33.

These financial statements were authorised for issue by the accounting officer on **28<sup>th</sup> October 2024**

**Basis of Preparation**

These financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis, and the accounting policies have been applied consistently throughout the period. These financial statements have been prepared on an accrual basis unless otherwise specified (for example, the Statement of Cash Flows). Under an accrual basis, revenues are recognised when rights to assets are earned or levied rather than when cash is received, and expenses are recognised when obligations are incurred rather than when they are settled. The financial statements have been prepared and presented in Kenya Shillings, which is the functional and reporting currency of the County Executive. The accounting policies adopted have been consistently applied to all the years presented.

**Critical accounting judgements**

IPSAS requires accounting judgements to be made in determining accounting policies that impact the presentation of these financial statements. The most critical of these judgements, and their impact, are:

**Recognition of revenue**

A revenue is an increase in the net financial position, other than increases arising from ownership contributions. Revenue is required to be measured when the event occurs and when recognition

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criteria (probable inflow of resources and ability to reliably measure their value) are met. Judgment is required to determine if these criteria are met, particularly where limited evidence is available at the time the revenue is earned.

**Recognition of non-exchange expenses and liabilities**

A liability is a present obligation to the County Executive for an outflow of resources that results from a past event. Expenses (and other liabilities) are recognized when there is a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event. An outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will probably be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate of the obligation can be made. Judgment is required in assessing each of these conditions, and therefore reporting if an expense and a present obligation should be reported.

The County Executive pursues a number of policy targets and outcomes. However the commitment to these targets and outcomes, generally, do not of themselves constitute a present obligation unless the County Executive is clear on the cost it intends to incur, when payment will be made, and to whom and as a consequence has raised a valid expectation. As a consequence, liabilities are not reported for costs associated with the County Executive policy objectives and targets. Where a policy choice gives rise to an obligation that exists independently of the County Executive future actions, expenses (and other related liabilities) are recognized for that policy.

**Purpose and nature of financial instruments**

Judgment is required in determining whether financial assets (including investment in securities and advances) and financial liabilities are held for trading or to provide a return through interest and principal transactions. Depending on that judgment, financial instruments will be reported at fair value or on an amortized cost basis.

**Climate change obligations**

Kenya's current National Determined Contribution (NDC) to deliver on the goals of the Paris Agreement sets a headline target of a 32 per cent emission reduction by 2030 relative to the business-as-usual scenario of 143 MtCO<sub>2</sub>eq. The County Executive's commitment to climate change action does not constitute a present obligation on the balance sheet but are disclosed separately.

**Physical assets**

An asset is a resource presently controlled by the County Executive as a result of a past event. The primary reason for holding property, plant and equipment and other assets is for their service potential rather than their ability to generate cash flows. Because of the types of services provided, a significant proportion of assets used by public sector entities including roads, national parks, heritage buildings

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etc are specialized in nature. There may be a limited market for such assets and so judgement is required on measurement. Judgment is also required whether assets are held for commercial purposes or public benefit purposes.

**3. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

**a) Revenue recognition**

**i. Revenue from non-exchange transactions**

**Transfers from other government entities**

Revenues from non-exchange transactions with other government entities are measured at fair value and recognized on obtaining control of the asset (cash, goods, services and property) if the transfer is free from conditions and it is probable that the economic benefits or service potential related to the asset will flow to the County Executive and can be measured reliably. Recurrent grants are recognized in the statement of financial performance. Development/Capital grants are recognized in the statement of financial performance after meeting revenue recognition criteria. Conditional grants are recognized as revenue upon fulfilment of the set conditions.

**ii. Revenue from exchange transactions**

**Interest income**

Interest income is accrued using the effective yield method. The effective yield discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to that asset's net carrying amount. The method applies this yield to the principal outstanding to determine interest income each period.

**Dividends**

Dividends or similar distributions must be recognized when the shareholder's or the County Executive's right to receive payments is established.

**Rental income**

Rental income arising from operating leases on investment properties is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease terms and included in revenue.

**b) Budget information**

The original budget for FY 2024/25 was approved by the County Assembly on 28<sup>th</sup> June 2024. Subsequent revisions or additional appropriations were made to the approved budget in accordance with specific approvals from the appropriate authorities. The additional appropriations are added to the original budget by the County Executive upon receiving the respective approvals in order to conclude the final budget. Accordingly, the County Executive did not have any additional

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appropriations during the period. The County Executive's budget is prepared on a different basis to the actual income and expenditure disclosed in the financial statements.

The financial statements are prepared on accrual basis using a classification based on the nature of expenses in the statement of financial performance, whereas the budget is prepared on a cash basis. The amounts in the financial statements were recast from the accrual basis to the cash basis and reclassified by presentation to be on the same basis as the approved budget. A comparison of budget and actual amounts, prepared on a comparable basis to the approved budget, is then presented in the statement of comparison of budget and actual amounts. In addition to the Basis difference, adjustments to amounts in the financial statements are also made for differences in the formats and classification schemes adopted for the presentation of the financial statements and the approved budget. A statement to reconcile the actual amounts on a comparable basis included in the statement of comparison of budget and actual amounts and the actuals as per the statement of financial cash flows has been presented under the Statement of Comparison of Budget & Actual Amounts of these financial statements.

**c) Investment property**

Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. The carrying amount includes the replacement cost of components of an existing investment property at the time that cost is incurred if the recognition criteria are met and excludes the costs of day-to-day maintenance of an investment property. Investment property acquired through a non-exchange transaction is measured at its fair value at the date of acquisition. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are measured using the cost model and are depreciated over the periods. Investment properties are derecognized either when they have been disposed of or when the investment property is permanently withdrawn from use and no future economic benefit or service potential is expected from its disposal. The difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset is recognized in the surplus or deficit in the period of de-recognition. Transfers are made to or from investment property only when there is a change in use.

**d) Property, plant and equipment**

All property, plant and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items. When significant parts of property, plant and equipment are required to be replaced at intervals, the County Executive recognizes such parts as individual assets with specific useful lives and depreciates them accordingly. Likewise, when a major inspection is performed, its cost is recognized in the carrying amount of the plant and equipment as a replacement if the recognition criteria are satisfied. All other repair and maintenance costs are recognized in surplus or deficit as incurred. Where an asset is

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acquired in a non-exchange transaction for nil or nominal consideration the asset is initially measured at its fair value

**e) Right of use asset**

The right-of-use assets comprise the initial measurement of the corresponding lease liability, lease payments made at or before the commencement day, less any lease incentives received, and any initial direct costs. They are subsequently measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Whenever the County Executive incurs an obligation for costs to dismantle and remove a leased asset, restore the site on which it is located or restore the underlying asset to the condition required by the terms and conditions of the lease, a provision is recognized and measured under IPSAS 21 or IPSAS 26. To the extent that the costs relate to a right-of-use asset, the costs are included in the related right-of-use asset, unless those costs are incurred to produce inventories. Right-of-use assets are depreciated over the shorter period of lease term and useful life of the underlying asset. If a lease transfers ownership of the underlying asset or the cost of the right-of-use asset reflects that the County Executive expects to exercise a purchase option, the related right-of-use asset is depreciated over the useful life of the underlying asset. The depreciation starts at the commencement date of the lease. The right-of-use assets are presented as a separate line in the statement of financial position.

**f) Tangible Natural Resources**

The County Executive recognises a tangible natural resource recognized if, and only if: It is probable that service potential associated with the natural resource will flow to the County Executive; the County Executive controls the tangible natural resource as a result of past events; and the tangible natural resource can be measured reliably. Where this criterion is not met, the County Executive discloses the tangible natural resource in the notes to the financial statements. Where a tangible natural resource is recognized as an asset as the result of an event that is not a transaction in an orderly market, including non-exchange transactions, the asset shall be measured initially at its deemed cost. An County Executive shall apply IPSAS 46, Measurement, when measuring the deemed cost of such a recognized tangible natural resource. A recognized tangible natural resource acquired through an exchange transaction shall be measured at its cost. Historical cost model is applied after initial recognition less any depreciation and impairment losses.

**g) Leases**

Finance leases are leases that transfer substantially all of the risks and benefits incidental to ownership of the leased item to the County Executive. Assets held under a finance lease are capitalized at the commencement of the lease at the fair value of the leased property or, if lower, at the present value of the future minimum lease payments. The County Executive also recognizes the associated lease

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liability at the inception of the lease. The liability recognized is measured as the present value of the future minimum lease payments at initial recognition. Subsequent to initial recognition, lease payments are apportioned between finance charges and reduction of the lease liability so as to achieve a constant rate of interest on the remaining balance of the liability. Finance charges are recognized as finance costs in surplus or deficit. An asset held under a finance lease is depreciated over the useful life of the asset. However, if there is no reasonable certainty that the County Executive will obtain ownership of the asset by the end of the lease term, the asset is depreciated over the shorter of the estimated useful life of the asset and the lease term.

**h) Intangible assets**

Intangible assets acquired separately are initially recognized at cost. The cost of intangible assets acquired in a non-exchange transaction is their fair value at the date of the exchange. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalized development costs, are not capitalized and expenditure is reflected in surplus or deficit in the period in which the expenditure is incurred. The useful life of the intangible assets is assessed as either finite or indefinite.

**i) Research and development costs**

The County Executive expenses research costs as incurred. Development costs on an individual project are recognized as intangible assets when the County Executive can demonstrate:

- i) The technical feasibility of completing the asset so that the asset will be available for use or sale;
- ii) Its intention to complete and its ability to use or sell the asset;
- iii) How the asset will generate future economic benefits or service potential;
- iv) The availability of resources to complete the asset;
- v) The ability to measure reliably the expenditure during development.

Following initial recognition of an asset, the asset is carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Amortization of the asset begins when development is complete, and the asset is available for use. It is amortized over the period of expected future benefit. During the period of development, the asset is tested for impairment annually with any impairment losses recognized immediately in surplus or deficit.

**j) Financial instruments**

IPSAS 41 addresses the classification, measurement and de-recognition of financial assets and financial liabilities, introduces new rules for hedge accounting and a new impairment model for financial assets. The County Executive does not have any hedge relationships and therefore the new

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hedge accounting rules have no impact on the Company's financial statements. (amend as appropriate). A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to a financial asset of one County Executive and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity. At initial recognition, the County Executive measures a financial asset or financial liability at its fair value plus or minus, in the case of a financial asset or financial liability not at fair value through surplus or deficit, transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial asset or financial liability.

**i. Financial assets**

**Classification of financial assets**

The County Executive classifies its financial assets as subsequently measured at amortized cost, fair value through net assets/ equity or fair value through surplus and deficit on the basis of both the County Executive's management model for financial assets and the contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset. A financial asset is measured at amortized cost when the financial asset is held within a management model whose objective is to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows and the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding.

A financial asset is measured at fair value through net assets/ equity if it is held within the management model whose objective is achieved by both collecting contractual cash flows and selling financial assets and the contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding. A financial asset shall be measured at fair value through surplus or deficit unless it is measured at amortized cost or fair value through net assets/ equity unless the County Executive has made irrevocable election at initial recognition for particular investments in equity instruments.

**Subsequent measurement**

Based on the business model and the cash flow characteristics, the County Executive classifies its financial assets into amortized cost or fair value categories for financial instruments. Movements in fair value are presented in either surplus or deficit or through net assets/ equity subject to certain criteria being met.

**Amortized cost**

Financial assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows where those cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest, and that are not designated at fair value through surplus or deficit, are measured at amortized cost. A gain or loss on an instrument that is subsequently measured

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at amortized cost and is not part of a hedging relationship is recognized in profit or loss when the asset is de-recognized or impaired. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method.

**Fair value through net assets/ equity**

Financial assets that are held for collection of contractual cash flows and for selling the financial assets, where the assets' cash flows represent solely payments of principal and interest, are measured at fair value through net assets/ equity. Movements in the carrying amount are taken through net assets, except for the recognition of impairment gains or losses, interest revenue and foreign exchange gains and losses which are recognized in surplus/deficit. Interest income from these financial assets is included in finance income using the effective interest rate method.

**Trade and other receivables**

Trade and other receivables are recognized at fair values less allowances for any uncollectible amounts. Trade and other receivables are assessed for impairment on a continuing basis. An estimate is made of doubtful receivables based on a review of all outstanding amounts at the year end.

**Fair value through surplus or deficit**

Financial assets that do not meet the criteria for amortized cost or fair value through net assets/ equity are measured at fair value through surplus or deficit. A business model where the entity manages financial assets with the objective of realizing cash flows through solely the sale of the assets would result in a fair value through surplus or deficit model.

**Impairment**

The County Executive assesses, on a forward-looking basis, the expected credit loss ('ECL') associated with its financial assets carried at amortized cost and fair value through net assets/equity. The County Executive recognizes a loss allowance for such losses at each reporting date.

**ii) financial liabilities**

**Classification**

The County Executive classifies its liabilities as subsequently measured at amortized cost except for financial liabilities measured through surplus or deficit

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**k) Inventories**

Inventory is measured at cost upon initial recognition. To the extent that inventory was received through non-exchange transactions (for no cost or for a nominal cost), the cost of the inventory is its fair value at the date of acquisition. Costs incurred in bringing each product to its present location and conditions are accounted for, as follows:

- i) Raw materials: purchase cost using the weighted average cost method.
- ii) Finished goods and work in progress: cost of direct materials and labour and a proportion of manufacturing overheads based on the normal operating capacity but excluding borrowing costs.

After initial recognition, inventory is measured at the lower of cost and net realizable value. However, to the extent that a class of inventory is distributed or deployed at no charge or for a nominal charge, that class of inventory is measured at the lower of cost and current replacement cost. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of operations, less the estimated costs of completion and the estimated costs necessary to make the sale, exchange, or distribution. Inventories are recognized as an expense when deployed for utilization or consumption in the ordinary course of operations of the County Executive.

**l) Provisions**

Provisions are recognized when the County Executive has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits or service potential will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Where the County Executive expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example, under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognized as a separate asset only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the statement of financial performance net of any reimbursement.

**m) Contingent liabilities**

The County Executive does not recognize a contingent liability but discloses details of any contingencies in the notes to the financial statements, unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits or service potential is remote.

**n) Contingent assets**

The County Executive does not recognize a contingent asset but discloses details of a possible asset whose existence is contingent on the occurrence or non-occurrence of one or more uncertain future events not wholly within the control of the County Executive in the notes to the financial statements. Contingent assets are assessed continually to ensure that developments are appropriately reflected in

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the financial statements. If it has become virtually certain that an inflow of economic benefits or service potential will arise and the asset's value can be measured reliably, the asset and the related revenue are recognized in the financial statements of the period in which the change occurs.

**o) Nature and purpose of reserves**

The County Executive creates and maintains reserves in terms of specific requirements

**p) Changes in accounting policies and estimates**

The County Executive recognizes the effects of changes in accounting policy retrospectively. The effects of changes in accounting policy are applied prospectively if retrospective application is impractical.

**q) Employee benefits**

**Retirement benefit plans**

The County Executive provides retirement benefits for its employees and directors. Defined contribution plans are post-employment benefit plans under which an Entity pays fixed contributions into a separate Entity (a fund), and will have no legal or constructive obligation to pay further contributions if the fund does not hold sufficient assets to pay all employee benefits relating to employee service in the current and prior periods. The contributions to fund obligations for the payment of retirement benefits are charged against income in the year in which they become payable. Defined benefit plans are post-employment benefit plans other than defined-contribution plans. The defined benefit funds are actuarially valued tri-annually on the projected unit credit method basis. Deficits identified are recovered through lump sum payments or increased future contributions on proportional basis to all participating employers. The contributions and lump sum payments reduce the post-employment benefit obligation.

**r) Foreign currency transactions**

Transactions in foreign currencies are initially accounted for at the ruling rate of exchange on the date of the transaction. Trade creditors or debtors denominated in foreign currency are reported at the statement of financial position reporting date by applying the exchange rate on that date. Exchange differences arising from the settlement of creditors, or from the reporting of creditors at rates different from those at which they were initially recorded during the period, are recognized as income or expenses in the period in which they arise.

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**s) Borrowing costs**

Borrowing costs are capitalized against qualifying assets as part of property, plant and equipment. Such borrowing costs are capitalized over the period during which the asset is being acquired or constructed and borrowings have been incurred. Capitalization ceases when construction of the asset is complete. Further borrowing costs are charged to the statement of financial performance.

**t) Related parties**

The County Executive regards a related party as a person or an Entity with the ability to exert control individually or jointly, or to exercise significant influence over the County Executive, or vice versa. Members of key management are regarded as related parties and comprise the Governor, Deputy Governor, County Secretary, County Executive Committee Members and Chief Officers, Directors and senior managers.

**u) Service concession arrangements.**

The County Executive analyses all aspects of service concession arrangements that it enters into in determining the appropriate accounting treatment and disclosure requirements. In particular, where a private party contributes an asset to the arrangement, the County Executive recognizes that asset when, and only when, it controls or regulates the services the operator must provide together with the asset, to whom it must provide them, and at what price. In the case of assets other than 'whole-of-life' assets, it controls, through ownership, beneficial entitlement or otherwise – any significant residual interest in the asset at the end of the arrangement. Any assets so recognized are measured at their fair value. To the extent that an asset has been recognized, the County Executive also recognizes a corresponding liability, adjusted by a cash consideration paid or received.

**v) Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents comprise cash on hand and cash at bank, short-term deposits on call and highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less, which are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and are subject to insignificant risk of changes in value. Bank account balances include amounts held at the Central Bank of Kenya and at various commercial banks at the end of the financial year.

**w) Comparative figures**

In preparing these financial statements, the County Executive has elected to apply paragraph 79 of IPSAS 33, which allows for the election by an entity to present one statement of financial performance, one statement of cash flow, one statement of net assets and the statement of financial

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position and an opening statement of financial position as at the time of first time adoption of the accrual basis of accounting.

**x)Subsequent events**

There have been no events subsequent to the financial year end with a significant impact on the financial statements for the Period ended September 30, 2024.

**4. Significant Judgments and Sources of Estimation Uncertainty**

The preparation of the County Executive's financial statements in conformity with IPSAS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities, and the disclosure of contingent liabilities, at the end of the reporting period. However, uncertainty about these assumptions and estimates could result in outcomes that require a material adjustment to the carrying amount of the asset or liability affected in future periods. State all judgements, estimates and assumptions made:

**Estimates and assumptions.**

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the reporting date, that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year, are described below. The County Executive based its assumptions and estimates on parameters available when the financial statements were prepared. However, existing circumstances and assumptions about future developments may change due to market changes or circumstances arising beyond the control of the County Executive. Such changes are reflected in the assumptions when they occur.

**Useful lives and residual value**

The useful lives and residual values of assets are assessed using the following indicators to inform potential future use and value from disposal:

- a) The condition of the asset based on the assessment of experts employed by the County Executive.
- b) The nature of the asset, its susceptibility and adaptability to changes in technology and processes.
- c) The nature of the processes in which the asset is deployed.
- d) Availability of funding to replace the asset.
- e) Changes in the market in relation to the asset

**Provisions**

Provisions were raised and management determined an estimate based on the information available.. Provisions are measured at the management's best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the obligation at the reporting date and are discounted to present value where the effect is material.

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Notes to the financial statements (continued)

5. TRANSFERS FROM CRF

Nature of Transfer	Amount recognized to Statement of financial performance.	Amount deferred under deferred income.	Total transfers for Period ended September, 2024
	Kshs	Kshs	Kshs
Recurrent	543,002,441	-	543,002,441
Development	232,715,332	-	232,715,332
Special Purpose Transfers	11,000,000	-	11,000,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>786,717,773</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>786,717,773</b>

6. EMPLOYEE COSTS

Description	Period ended September 2024
	Kshs
Basic salaries of permanent employees	718,352,774
Basic wages of temporary employees	117,378,878
<b>Employee costs</b>	<b>835,731,652</b>

7. USE OF GOODS AND SERVICES

Description	Period ended September 2024
	Kshs
Utilities, supplies and services	3,558,254
Domestic travel and subsistence	1,328,000
Printing, advertising, and information supplies & services	2,000,000
Hospitality supplies and services	3,264,000
Insurance costs	79,391,499
Specialized materials and services	2,399,022
Other operating expenses	474,200
Office and general supplies and services	589,320
Fuel Oil and Lubricants	7,785,414
Routine maintenance – vehicles and other transport equipment	50,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>100,839,709</b>

8. TRANSFERS TO OTHER GOVERNMENT ENTITIES

Description	Period ended September 2024
	Kshs
Transfers to other County Government entities	33,699,298
<b>Total</b>	<b>33,699,298</b>

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**13. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS**

Description	Period ended September 2024	Opening Statement 1st July 2024
	Kshs	Kshs
Recurrent Account	5,089,490	1,248
Development Account	-	157,950
Special Purpose Accounts	129,463,875	129,866,437
Deposit Account	1,739,583	6,589,583
<b>Total</b>	<b>136,292,948</b>	<b>136,615,218</b>

**(a) Detailed Analysis of the Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Account Name	Account number	Period ended September 2024	Opening Statement 1st July 2024
		Kshs	Kshs
<b>Recurrent Accounts Total</b>		<b>5,089,490</b>	<b>1,248</b>
Laikipia County Recurrent Account	1000171208	5,089,490	726
Laikipia County Health FIF Account	1000392959	-	523
<b>Development Accounts Total</b>		<b>-</b>	<b>157,950</b>
Laikipia County Development Account	1000171162	-	157,950
<b>Special Purpose Accounts</b>		<b>129,463,875</b>	<b>129,866,437</b>
Laikipia County Roads Maintenance Levy Fund Account	1000285842	66,862	66,862
Laikipia County Health Services Account -	1000285858	16,290	16,290
Laikipia County Kenya Climate Smart Agriculture Project Account	1000367717	-	0.35
Laikipia County Village Polytechnic Project	1000368896	26,097	26,097
Laikipia County Kenya Devolution Support Program	1000418451	3,043	3,043
Laikipia County Kenya Devolution Support Program	1000427728	286,323	286,323
Laikipia County Emergency Fund	1000451181	14,985,452	14,985,452
Laikipia County Climate Change Fund	1000546786	105,508,742	104,769,740
Laikipia County Primary Health Care	1000574046	71,066	212,630
Laikipia County Food System Resilience	1000737767	8,500,000	9,500,000
<b>Laikipia County Deposit Total</b>		<b>1,739,583</b>	<b>6,589,583</b>
Laikipia County Deposit	1000285834	1,739,583	6,589,583
<b>Total</b>		<b>136,292,948</b>	<b>136,615,218</b>

**14. RECEIVABLES FROM NON-EXCHANGE TRANSACTIONS**

Description	Period ended September 2024	Opening Statement 1st July 2024
	Kshs	Kshs
debtors (outstanding transfers from CRF)	761,160,453	373,491,590
Other debtors (outstanding imprests)	950,000	
Less: impairment allowance	-	-
<b>Total receivables from non-exchange transactions</b>	<b>762,110,453</b>	<b>373,491,590</b>

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**15. TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES**

Description	Period ended September 2024	Opening Statement 1 <sup>st</sup> July 2024
	Kshs	Kshs
Employee payables	835,731,652	285,664,209
<b>Total trade and other payables</b>	<b>835,731,652</b>	<b>285,664,209</b>

**16. REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS AND PREPAYMENTS**

Description	Period ended September 2024	Opening Statement 1st July 2024
	Kshs	Kshs
Customer deposits	1,739,583	6,589,583
<b>Total deposits</b>	<b>1,739,583</b>	<b>6,589,583</b>

**17. Events after the Reporting Period**

There were no material adjusting and non- adjusting events after the reporting period.

**18. Ultimate And Holding Entity**

The County Executive’s ultimate parent is the Government of Kenya.

**19. Currency**

The financial statements are presented in Kenya Shillings (Kshs).

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12. APPENDICES

APPENDIX I: STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE BY QUARTER

Description	Notes	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Total
		Kshs	Kshs	Kshs	Kshs	Kshs
<b>Revenue from non-exchange transactions</b>						
Transfers from CRF	5	786,717,773				786,717,773
<b>Total revenue</b>		<b>786,717,773</b>				<b>786,717,773</b>
<b>Expenses</b>						
Employee costs	8	835,731,652				835,731,652
Use of goods and services	9	100,839,709				100,839,709
Transfers to other Government Entities	10	33,699,298				33,699,298
<b>Total expenses</b>		<b>970,270,659</b>				<b>970,270,659</b>
<b>Surplus/Deficit for the year</b>		<b>(183,552,886)</b>				<b>(183,552,886)</b>
Taxation	19	-				-
<b>Net Surplus/Deficit</b>		<b>(183,552,886)</b>				<b>(183,552,886)</b>

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APPENDIX II: TRANSFERS FROM OTHER GOVERNMENT ENTITIES

Name of the Entity Transferring the funds	Date received as per bank statement	Transaction Reference No	Nature: Recurrent/Development/Others	Total Amount - KES	Statement of Financial Performance	Where recognized			Total Transfers during the Period
						Deferred Income	Receivables	Others - must be specific	
County Revenue Fund	9/6/2024	FT24250WX8NX	Recurrent	10,069,519	10,069,519	-	-	-	10,069,519
County Revenue Fund	9/10/2024	FT24254C3JXZ	Recurrent	241,462,803	241,462,803	-	-	-	241,462,803
County Revenue Fund	9/13/2024	FT242576ZQJ8	Recurrent	51,253,632	51,253,632	-	-	-	51,253,632
County Revenue Fund	9/13/2024	FT242574PLY6	Recurrent	79,391,499	79,391,499	-	-	-	79,391,499
County Revenue Fund	9/17/2024	FT24261QH16P	Recurrent	12,711,318	12,711,318	-	-	-	12,711,318
County Revenue Fund	9/20/2024	FT24264TR044	Recurrent	3,293,814	3,293,814	-	-	-	3,293,814
County Revenue Fund	9/23/2024	FT242673HH2B	Development	16,657,559	16,657,559	-	-	-	16,657,559
County Revenue Fund	9/6/2024	FT24250WRC7X	Development	11,000,000	11,000,000	-	-	-	11,000,000
<b>Total</b>				<b>425,840,144</b>	<b>425,840,144</b>	-	-	-	<b>425,840,144</b>