

REPUBLIC OF KENYA



COUNTY ASSEMBLIES' FORUM (CAF)

## MESSAGE OF CONDOLENCES FOR HON. BEATRICE MWABILI

From

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Honourable Beatrice Mwabili was an active member of the County Assemblies Forum Governing Council. She was one of the three Hon Members representing TAITA TAVETA COUNTY ASSEMBLY in the FORUM. She championed for the rights of women and Persons with Disabilities and stood out as the only elected woman MCA in Taita Taveta County Assembly. Her death has left a gap in the Gender Representation in the Region but also the good leadership she presented while serving as a member of the CAG Governing Council.

Honourable Mwabili had a loving nature that made her work well with others. She utilized her leadership skills to help guide the proceedings in the County Assembly. This led to her election as the chairperson of the Committee on Delegated County Legislation. She also played a huge role in resolving the budget dispute witnessed last year between the Assembly and the Executive. She was very influential in the house and will be missed both by her colleague MCAs and staff that she interacted closely with. It is imperative in the wake of her demise, that we emulate her leadership skills and ensure that we protect the vulnerable in our society through strategic leadership.

As we remember her in light of her leadership qualities, we must also remember that she will be very dearly missed by her family and close friends. It is our duty as her colleagues to ensure that we continue to support her beloved husband and children in this difficult moment.

The County Assemblies Forum, which is the coordinating body for all the 47 County Assemblies in Kenya, condoles with the family, friends and the people of Wundanyi/Mbale Ward. We acknowledge that there is no right time for our loved ones to leave us, and we hope that you find comfort in the loving grace of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Lastly, we beseech the people of Wundanyi/Mbale ward and Taita Taveta County and the entire CAF Family to continue to hold the hand of Our Sisters' family. May The Lord Grant her Eternal Peace. Amen