**COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF KIRINYAGA**



**KERUGOYA KUTUS MUNICIPALITY**

**MUNICIPAL BOARD OVERVIEW**

The Kerugoya Kutus municipal board consists of professionals from various fields representing both the public and public sectors. Each member brings a wealth of experience to guide the municipality’s governance, infrastructure and urban development. Below is an overview of the board members and their roles

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| **Serial**  **No.** | **NAME** | **GROUP**  **REPRESENTATION** | **QUALIFICATIONS** |
| 1. | Lucy Kabeti Mbogo, Chair. | Private Sector  Municipal Business Community | Bachelor in Education. She is serving as the Chairman of the Board. She has over 20 years’ experience in both public and private sector service. Her extensive background enables her to provide strategic direction and oversight to the municipality, particularly in advancing collaboration with the local business community. |
| 2. | Dickson Kinyua Ngari | Recruited competitively | Bachelor of International Business Administration. He is the chair of the finance and administration committee. He has over 15 years’ experience in both private and public sector service. . As Chair of the Finance and Administration Committee, he oversees fiscal responsibility and administrative efficiency, ensuring prudent financial management. |
| 3. | Rev. Grace Wambui Kamwagire | Recruited competitively | -Bachelor of Divinity  -Master of Arts-Religion. She is an Anglican priest with over 15 years experience in both public and private sector experience. She is the Chair of the Audit and M and E Committee. |
| 4. | Timothy Njeru Thiaka | Recruited competitively | Diploma in Dairy Technology. He is the Chair of the infrastructure and roads committee. He has over 20 years’ experience in both public and private sector service. Timothy brings more than 20 years of experience from both sectors. As Chair of the Infrastructure and Roads Committee, he collaborates closely with stakeholders to enhance infrastructure within the municipality, working to improve connectivity and support urban growth. |
| 5. | Eric Muthii Kinyua | Informal Sector  Kerugoya Boda Boda Association. Represents the Youth agenda in the board. | -Diploma in Mechanical Engineering. He is the Board Vice chair. He represents the youth in the board composition. He has over 8 years’ experience in private sector service. |
| 6. | Mary Muthoni Cooper | Neighbourhood Association. Community Self-help Group | -Diploma in Hotel and Catering Management. She is the chair of the Lands and Urban planning committee. Mary oversees the Lands and Urban Planning Committee, focusing on land use, zoning, and urban planning initiatives. Her background and sector experience provide valuable insights for sustainable urban development. |
| 7. | Rev. Samuel Kanjobe | CECM – Land, Physical planning and Urban development. | -Bachelor of Theology. He is the County Executive Committee Member responsible for Urban development and serves as a member of the Board. He holds a masters of Arts in Leadership and Bachelor’s degree in Divinity. Reverend Samuel Kanjobe serves as a key link between the board and the County Executive. As the CEC member responsible for urban development, he supports the board’s strategic initiatives in planning and urban management. He tables and pursues the municipal board agenda in the County Executive Committee. |
| 8 | Hon. Fredrick Bundi. | Chief officer Land, Physical planning and Urban development | Hon Fredrick Bundi serves as the Chief officer responsible for urban development and a member of the Board. He holds over 15 years’ experience in public sector management. In his dual role, he provides operational oversight for land and urban planning functions, ensuring alignment between board policies and county development goals. |
| 9. | CPA Paul M. Muchira | Municipal Manager | Municipal Manager holds a Bachelor’s degree in Commerce (Accounting Option). He is a Certified Public Accountant of Kenya (CPAK)  He is responsible for the day-to-day operations of the Municipality. He is the municipality Chief Executive and accounting officer. The manager has an extensive over 20 years’ experience in the managerial and financial management levels both in public and private sectors. Over 15 years of the experience is from the public sector. The manager serves as the Secretary to the municipal board and all the board committees. He ensures close link of the Municipal Board with other stakeholders particularly the County executive and County assembly. |