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DETAILED PROGRAMME

WATER AND SANITATION INVESTORS CONFERENCE (WASIC) 2024

6TH TO 8TH MARCH, KENYATTA INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION CENTRE (KICC), NAIROBI

Overall Theme: Accelerating Investments for Sustainable Access to Water and Sanitation for All

TIME	DAY 1 SESSIONS (6 th March 2024)		
8.30am – 06.00 pm	Exhibitions (run all day)		
<p>09.00am – 10.30am (High Level Plenary Session) <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p>	<p>Water and Sanitation for all: The Road to universal Access by 2030</p> <p>Facilitator: Eng. S.A.O. Alima, Water Secretary, Ministry of Water, Sanitation & Irrigation (MWSI)</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Samuel Kareithi (Country Director, Gatsby Africa) Executive Director, Sanitation & Hygiene Fund (Mr. Dominic O’Neill) African Development Bank H.E Andrew Mwadime, Chair, Water, Forestry and Natural Resources Management, COG, Governor, Taita Taveta County Mr. Zachariah Njeru, EGH, CS, Ministry of Water, Sanitation & Irrigation (MWSI) – <i>Key Note</i> 	<p>Panel Discussion:</p> <p>Achieving SDG 6 – Kenya’s National Water and Sanitation Investment and Financing Plan</p> <p>Moderator: UN-Habitat</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Julius Korir, CBS: PS, State Department of Water & Sanitation, MWSI H.E. Joshua Irungu, Vice Chair, Water, Forestry & NRM Committee, CoG Head of Climate Team Mr Tobias von-Platen Hallermund Dominick Revell de Waal, Senior Economist and part of WATSAN DPG Troika, World Bank Sanitation & Hygiene Fund (Executive Director, Mr. Dominico O’Neill) Jukka Illomaki, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Finland 	<p>Discussions:</p> <p>NAWASIP Perspective:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Where we are; figures & statistics (global, regional & national) Challenges & gap</i> <i>Current funding and Investments requirements</i> <i>Investments portfolio highlights/ opportunities</i> <i>Potential for increased financial commitments from partners (public, private, civil society etc.)</i>
10.30am – 11.00am	HEALTH BREAK & B2Bs		

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<p>11.00am – 01.00pm <i>(Opening Ceremony)</i> Room: Amphitheatre</p>	<p>Facilitator: Mr. Julius Korir, CBS: PS, MWSI, Water & Sanitation</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Mr. John Gachora, Chairman, Kenya Bankers 2. Stephan Schønemann Danish Ambassador 3. Mr. Bert Ubamadu, Deputy Mission Director, USAID Kenya and East Africa 4. Dr. Erick Rutto, Chairman, Water Sector Trust Fund 5. H.E Andrew Mwadime, Chair, Water, Forestry and Natural Resources Management, COG, Governor, Taita Taveta County 6. Mr. Zachariah Njeru, EGH – CS, Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation 7. Chief Guest (The Executive) 	<p>Launch of NAWASIP</p>
<p>01.00pm – 01.30pm</p>	<p>VIEWING OF EXHIBITIONS BY CHIEF GUESTS</p>	
<p>01.30pm – 02.30pm</p>	<p>LUNCH AND B2BS</p>	

TIME	DAY 1 SESSIONS (6 th March 2024)		
<p>02.30pm – 04.00pm <i>(High Level Plenary Session)</i> <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p>	<p>Governance and Policy Framework: Enabling Environment for investments</p> <p>Facilitator: Mr. Julius Itunga, CEO, WASREB</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Japhet Mbuvi, Chief of Party, USAID WKWP 2. AfDB 3. Ms. Mary Mwiti, Chief Executive Officer CoG 4. Mr. Julius Korir, CBS-PS Water and Sanitation (Key Note) 	<p>Panel Discussion: Regulatory framework as an accelerator for investments</p> <p>Moderator: Abdi Wario, Gatsby Africa</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eng. Alima, Water Secretary (MWSI) 2. Mr. Julius Itunga, PHD, Ag. CEO, WASREB 3. Mr. Mohamed Shurie, CEO, WRA, 4. Mr. Antony Ambugo, CEO, WASPA 5. Jorgen Erik Larsen, Water Sector Counsellor – Danida 6. Mr. Malesi Shivaji, CEO, KEWASNET 7. Robert Kisyula – Chief of Party, USAID STAWI 	<p>Discussions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Strengthening accountability 2. Intergovernmental coordination 3. Regulatory anchorage of private sector in water sector 4. Bankability of water institutions 5. Public and private sector roles in national and devolved systems of governance 6. Regulatory reforms addressing gaps for enhanced investor confidence
<p>04.00pm – 05.30pm</p>	<p>CONVENOR SESSIONS</p>		
<p>Convener Session 1</p>	<p>Presenting Kenya's Water & Sanitation initiatives for Bottom-up Economic Transformation Agenda (BETA) & Dams initiative</p> <p><i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation</p> <p>Facilitator/Moderator: Eng Jacob Mwakio, MWSI</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eng. SAO Alima, EBS - Water Secretary Irrigation Secretary • Eng. Vincent Kabuti, OGW Ag. Irrigation Secretary 	

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<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Perspectives of economic and operational sustainability of water sector infrastructure investments</p> <p><i>Room: Aberdare</i></p> <p>Royal Danish Embassy (RDE) Nairobi</p> <p>Facilitator: Jørgen Erik Larsen, Water Sector Counsellor RDE</p>	<p>Main Speakers & Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Annelise Boysen, Chief Advisor, DANIDA Sustainable Infrastructure Finance • Eng Samuel Odhiambo, PE Assistant Director Water Infrastructure Development, Athi Water • Ms Katrine Foss Pedersen, Chief Advisor, Danish Environment Protection Agency • Mr Moses Kinya, MD Thika Water and Sewerage Company Ltd • Mr Anthony Ambugo, CEO WASPA Kenya • Mr John Muruka, Corporation Secretary & Manager Legal Services, WASREB, Kenya 	

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<p>Convener Session 3</p>	<p>Kenya's sanitation economy, the new frontier for impact investment and sustainable development</p> <p><i>Room: Shimba</i></p> <p>Sanitation and Hygiene Fund (SHF) and Water and Sanitation for the Urban Poor (WSUP)</p> <p>Facilitator: Aline Sylvie Pawele (Country Fund Portfolio Manager, The Sanitation and Hygiene Fund)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dominic O'Neill (Executive Director– Sanitation & Hygiene Fund) • Willis Ombai (CEO – WSTF) • Anthony Wainaina (Director Environmental Health Division – MOH) <p>Presenter: Didier Allely, WHO WASH Accounts</p>	<p>Moderator: Eng. Kimanthi Kyengo (Director Sanitation – MWSI)</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Priscilla Oluoch (Malindi Water Company), Thomas Odongo (Kisumu Water Company), Emily Kirigha (WSUP) • UN Environment • Private Sector Operator Kariuki, Mugo WaterAid • Wangechi Kariuki, Deputy President's Office • Thomas Odongo (Kisumu Water Company) • Emily Kirigha (WSUP) • Didier Allely, WHO WASH Accounts • Nandita Kotwal, Sanivation
<p>Convener Session 4</p>	<p>Showcase Sessions for Successful and Replicable Blended Finance Models</p> <p><i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>Kenya Innovative Finance Facility for Water (KIFFWA) and Kenya Climate Ventures (KCV)</p> <p>Facilitator: Victor Ndiege – CEO Kenya Climate Ventures (KCV)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Oded Distel – Chief Executive Officer at Tal-Ya Agriculture Solutions (Israel) 	<p>Moderator: Victor Ndiege – CEO Kenya Climate Ventures (KCV)</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lieselotte Heederik – Founder and CEO Nazava • Carolyne Kirabo – Founder and CEO M-Kyala Ventures • Erik Labee – CEO Kenya Innovative Finance Facility for Water (KIFFWA) • Donald Wangunyu – Chairman, Kenya Association Stockbrokers and Investment Banks (KASIB)

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Convener Session 5	<p>Using development funding to leverage private sector finance for improved water access in Northern Kenya</p> <p><i>Room: Taifa</i></p> <p>Millennium Water Alliance</p> <p>Moderator:</p>	<p>Main Speakers / Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Emmanuel Olela- Millennium Water Alliance Kenya- Monitoring, Evaluation, Reporting and Learning (MERL) Manager June Samo – Millennium Water Alliance Kenya- WASH Systems Manager- Presenter/Panellist Alfred Ileri – Catholic Relief Services- Presenter/Panellist Styvers Kathuni- Millennium Water, Country Director- Panellist 	
05.30pm – 07.00pm	<p>Side Event: Exploring Public Private Partnerships (PPPs) in Kenya’s Water Sector, Opportunities and Challenges</p> <p><i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>BCDIP</p> <p>Moderator: Rose Kananu, Project Manager & PPP Advisor, Director, Howard Aidevo</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Eng. Stanley Mwawasi, Project Leader, Nairobi Expressway PPP Eng. Joseph Kamau, Ag. Chief Executive Officer, Athi Water Works Development Agency Bahati Moraa, PPP Technical Advisor, World Bank Sanuel Chasia, Director, GUARANTCO 		
05.30pm – 06.00pm	B2Bs & EXHIBITIONS		

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8.30am – 06.00pm	Exhibitions (run all day)		
<p>08.30am – 10.00am <i>(High Level Plenary Session)</i></p>	<p>Public Private Partnerships: Kenya's Potential for PPP <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Eng. Kyengo, Ag. Director, Sanitation Management & Head of Development Cooperation, MWSI</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. USAID, James Leigland 2. Nathan Rono Tuimising, Senior PPP Specialist OR Aijaz Ahmad-CIC, Lead PPP Specialist, World Bank 3. Neala Wanjala – Acting head of Legal Department – Public Private Partnerships Directorate, National Treasury 4. PS, MWSI, State Department of Irrigation 5. Mr. Julius Korir, CBS, PS MWSI, State Department of Water & Sanitation (DWS) – Key Note 	<p>Panel Discussion: Water and Sanitation PPPs Framework in Kenya</p> <p>Moderator: Barbara Senkwe, Deputy Head of Party, WASH FIN</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Eng. SAO. Alima, Water Secretary, MWSI 2. Mr. Chris Kirigua, OGE, PPP Directorate, National Treasury 3. H.E. Joshua Irungu, Vice Chair, Water, Forestry & NRM, COG, Governor Laikipia County 4. Dr. Erick Rutto, Chair, WaterFund & President KNCCI 5. AfDB 6. Eng. Joseph Kamau, Ag. CEO, Athi WWDA 7. Gatsby Africa, Abdi Wario 8. Marcel Ham, Rebel Group, Principal & Co-Founder (Netherlands) 	<p>Discussions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. PPP Model in Kenyan Context 2. Rationale for uptake of PPPs in Kenya's Water Sector 3. Ongoing initiatives towards realizing Water Sector PPPs in Kenya 4. Pricing of water, sanitation & irrigation PPPs 5. (Bankability, Viability gap funding, derisking measures, affordability, Fiscal Commitment & Contingency Liabilities-FCCL) 6. Global experience in PPPs. 7. Collaboration between NG and CG contracting Authority
10.00am – 10.30am	HEALTH BREAK & B2BS		

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10.30am– 12.00pm	CONVENOR SESSIONS		
<p>Convener Session 1</p>	<p>Presenting Kenya's water and sanitation PPPs projects pipeline- by host <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation & National Treasury PPP Directorate</p> <p>Facilitator/Moderator: Eng Martin Ngaa <i>Ag. Director Water, Harvesting, Storage and Flood Control , MWSI</i></p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministry of Water, Sanitation Irrigation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Eng. Kimanthi Kyengo, State Department of Water & Sanitation ○ Eng Boniface Mulama: Head of PPP Unit, MWSI ○ Eng. Vincent Kabuti, Irrigation Secretary, State Department of Irrigation • Christine Nganga – Director (Origination and Structuring) – PPP Directorate, National Treasury • Athi Water Works Development Agency 	
<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Building Bankability of Water Utilities for Sustainable Investments – Our Experiences <i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>Gatsby Africa</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Managing Director, National Bank 	<p>Moderator: Dorris Kirui</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Richard Cheruiyot, WASREB • David Momanyi, Tachasis • Kennedy Kitonga, Nanyuki Water • Cooperative Bank • COG • Joshua Kibet, Aqua for All

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<p>Convener Session 3</p>	<p>Investment Opportunities in groundwater research and development <i>Room: Aberdare</i> Regional Centre on Groundwater Resources Training and Research(RCGW)</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geol. Chrysanthus M. Gicheruh – Managing Director Earth Water Ltd and Former Chairperson Geological Society of Kenya 	<p>Moderator: Geol. Chrispinus Juma</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geol. Titus Z. Ingana - State Department of University Education and Research • Geol. Chrysanthus M. Gicheruh - Earth Water Ltd • Jørgen Erik Larsen - Water Sector Counsellor RDE <p>Mr. John Waema -Davis & Shirtliff</p>
<p>Convener Session 4</p>	<p>Solar Water Solutions & Reduction of NRW <i>Room: Shimba</i> USAID WASH-FIN 2</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barbara Senkwe, Deputy Chief of Party, USAID WASH FIN 	
<p>Convener Session 5</p>	<p>Innovative financing to Sanitation <i>Room: Shimba</i> Sanivation</p>		

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12.00 Noon – 01.30pm	CONVENOR SESSIONS		
<p>Convener Session 1</p>	<p>Innovative Financing for water resources management. From Source to Sea</p> <p><i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Gatsby Africa</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Phillip Osano, SEI 	<p>Moderator: Abdi Wario</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WWF • The Nature Conservancy • CETRAD • DANIDA • World Bank • SEI
<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Positioning the Water and Sanitation Sector to mobilize Climate Finance in Kenya: Challenges and Opportunities</p> <p><i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>USAID's WASH-FIN 2</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Barbara Senkwe, Deputy Chief of Party, USAID WASH FIN 	
<p>Convener Session 3</p>	<p>Closing the loop: Financing for last mile connectivity</p> <p><i>Room: Aberdare</i></p> <p>Water Sector Trust Fund</p> <p>Facilitator: Elly Ochere, Ag. Manager Planning, Research and M&E, WSTF</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Willis Ombai – CEO WSTF • Chair of CECs for Water, Environment, Climate Change & Natural resources • Ms. Nancy Njenga, Danida • Ms. Sheillah Karimi, KfW • Board of Trustee, WSTF 	<p>Moderator: Violet Mucheni, Principal Programme Officer, WSTF</p> <p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Isaac Kega, GM, Programmes, WSTF • Mr. Thomas Nyangau – Manager Commercial Financing, WSTF • Peter Koech, Manager, Water and Sanitation Services, WSTF • Ms. Rose Nyikuri, Manager, Water Resources Management & Climate Change, WSTF • Jukka Illomaki, Ministry of Foreign affairs of Finland

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<p>Convener Session 4</p>	<p>Catchment to Tap (C2T): Upscaling IWRM for sustainable investments and water security" with the focus on how to shift infrastructure heavy financing to catchment management for the benefit of WASH.</p> <p><i>Room: Shimba</i></p> <p>World Wide Fund for Nature Kenya (WWF)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p>	<p>Moderator: SHIVAJI SM (CEO KEWASNET)</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prof. Eng. Japheth Onyando, IWRM Expert & Coordinator CIWAB, Egerton University 2. Dr. William Ojwang, Freshwater Lead, WWF Kenya 3. Thomas Odongo, Managing Director, Kisumu Water and Sanitation Company Limited 4. Eng. James N. Gachathi, Managing Director, Nakuru water and Sewerage Co. Ltd 5. Mr. A. Kinyua, Director, Water Resources 6. Development Partner representative
<p>Convener Session 5</p>	<p>The Role of Accreditation in the Recognition of Water Testing Laboratories</p> <p><i>Room: Taifa</i></p> <p>Kenya Accreditation Service (KENAS)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <p>The KENAS CEO, Mr. Martin Chesire</p>	
<p>01.30pm – 02.30pm</p>	<p>LUNCH AND B2BS</p>		

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<p>02.30pm – 04.00pm <i>(High Level Plenary)</i></p>	<p>Private Sector Engagement: Blended Financing Mechanisms <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i> Facilitator: Nganga Mbage, KPMG Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. USAID 2. Executive Director, Sanitation & Hygiene Fund (Mr. Dominic O'Neill) 3. Danida – Vice President Sustainable infrastructure finance 4. World Bank 5. Willis Ombai-CEO, WaterFund (Key Note) 	<p>Panel Discussion: Unlocking private finance for sustainability in Water and Sanitation provision Moderator: Robert Bunyi Panellists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. KfW 2. AfDB 3. Commercial Bank Rep 4. GM, Fund Development, WSTF 5. Nyeri WSP MD 6. Japhet Mbuvi, USAID WKWP 7. Nganga Mbage, KPMG 8. Kenya Association of Manufacturers (KAM) 9. Safaricom 	<p>Discussions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Role of represented institutions in enabling blended /private sector engagement</i> 2. <i>Efficient business models that ensure value for money in bankable water and sanitation interventions.</i> 3. <i>Opportunities for blended/private sector financing</i> 4. <i>Challenges of blended/private financing</i> 5. <i>De-Risking blended/private sector financing</i>

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04.00pm – 05.30pm	CONVENOR SESSIONS		
<p><i>Convener Session 1</i></p>	<p>Result Based Financing and Blended Loan Facility, Leveraging & De-risking Private Finance</p> <p><i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Water Sector Trust Fund</p> <p>Facilitator: Isaac Kega, General Manager, Programmes, WSTF</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr. Willis Ombai – CEO WSTF • World Bank • Ingwell, Kuil – Rebel Group (Netherlands) • Aanthony Mulinge – MD, Fresh Life • Cooperative Bank 	<p>Moderator: Nganga Mbage</p> <p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Ruth Nganga – GM Fund Development, WSTF • Mr. Thomas Nyangau – Manager Commercial Financing, WSTF • Jairus Thomas, USAID • Family Bank • Equity Bank • MD, Embu Water & Sanitation Company • Polycarp Ngoje, USAID WKWP

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<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Bridging the Gap in Universal Access to Water and Sanitation services in the Counties, Kenya</p> <p><i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>Council of Governors</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> H.E Andrew Mwadime, Chairperson Water, Forestry and Natural Resources Management, Council of Governors 	<p>Panellists</p> <p>Moderator: Mr. Abdi Wario, Director Water, Gatsby Africa</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hon. Zachariah Njeru E.G.H, Cabinet Secretary, Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation H.E Joshua Irungu, EGH- Governor Laikipia County & Vice Chairperson Water, Forestry and NRM, CoG H.E Hon. Muthomi Njuki, EGH- Governor Tharaka Nithi County Amanda Robertson, Senior WASH Advisor, USAID
<p>Convener Session 3</p>	<p>Sustainable Financing solutions for Rural Water Access in the Arid and Semi-Arid Lands (ASALs)</p> <p><i>Room: Aberdare</i></p> <p>USAID STAWI</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ronald Kubasu, USAID STAWI Deputy Chief of Party Stephen Katelo, Director IT, Water Department – County Government of Marsabit 	<p>Moderator:</p> <p>Jason Oyugi, Learning Advisor, USAID STAWI</p> <p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cliff Nyaga, Director – FundiFix Hon. Ms. Faith Aletea – CECM Water, County Government of Turkana Hon. Dennis Musyoka, Chairperson – Budget and Appropriation Committee, County Assembly of Makueni Eunice Kivuva, USAID STAWI Policy and Regulatory Specialist

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<p>Convener Session 4</p>	<p>Catchment Protection in enhancing climate change resilience among communities in Kenya</p> <p><i>Room: Shimba</i></p> <p>Water Resources Authority</p>	<p>Main Speakers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mohamed M. Shurie OGW, MBS- CEO Water Resources Authority • Donald Murgor - Chairperson Water Resources Authority <p>Presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Kinyanjui: Manager Water Resources Assessment & Monitoring – WRA 	<p>Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth Diego: Manager Resources Mobilization and Stakeholder Engagement-WRA <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WRA • WWF Kenya • JICA • World Watenet - Blue Deal • USAID-STAWI • World Bank • African Development Bank TBC • Coca-Cola (TBC)
<p>05.30pm – 06.00pm</p>	<p>B2Bs & EXHIBITIONS</p>		
<p>06.00pm – 10.00pm</p>	<p>GALA NIGHT DINNER</p> <p><i>Dress Code: Something African or Something Blue</i></p>		

TIME	DAY 3 SESSIONS (8 th March 2024)		
8.30am – 06.00pm	Exhibitions (run all day)		
08.30am – 10.00am (High Level plenary)	<p>Safeguarding our Future: Catchment to Tap and Climate Change Investment Opportunities</p> <p><i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>Facilitator: Geol. Agnes W. Mbugua, CEO, Regional Centre on Groundwater Resources</p> <p>Speakers:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> AfDB Eng. Festus K. Ng'eno, PS Ministry of Environment and Forestry CPA Ephantus Kimotho, CBS, PS, MWSI, Irrigation Mr. Julius Korir, CBS PS, MWSI, Water & Sanitation (Key Note) 	<p>Panel Discussion: Effective Water Resources Management</p> <p>Moderator: Mohamed Awer, WWF</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> WRA CEO WSTF CEO National Treasury – Climate / Flocca Unit WASHFIN, Paul Mbole EU The Nature Conservancy (TNC) 	<p>Discussions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <i>Innovative financing for water resources management</i> <i>Pricing of water resources / water accounting</i> <i>Nature Based Solutions</i> <i>Carbon credit for water market</i> <i>Enhancing collaboration between National Government and County Govts</i> <i>Water stewardship and collective action</i>
10.00am – 10.30am	HEALTH BREAK & B2BS		

TIME	DAY 3 SESSIONS (8 th March 2024)		
10.30am – 12.00 Noon	CONVENOR SESSIONS		
<p>Convener Session 1</p>	<p>Sector Financing through capital markets <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i> Ministry of Water, Sanitation and Irrigation, & Embassy of Netherlands</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Julius Korir, Principal Secretary, State Department for Water and Sanitation, MWSI • Willis Ombai, Chief Executive Officer, Water Sector Trust Fund (WSTF) • Maarten Brouwer, Ambassador, Embassy of the Kingdom of the Netherlands in Kenya <p>Presenters:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Justus Agoti, Senior Manager Market Development, CMA Kenya • Rob Winters, Managing Director, Rebel Group • Engineer Kyengo, Director, MoWSI • Joseph Rono, Group Executive Director, CPF Financial 	<p>Moderator: Julians Amboko</p> <p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rob Winters, Rebel Group • Ernest Poku, AWIDCO • Engineer Kyengo, Ministry of Water and Sanitation • Justus Agoti, Capital Markets Authority • Robert Bunyi, Kenya Pooled Water fund

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<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Challenges, Barriers, and Opportunities in Sanitation Financing; the USAID Western Kenya Sanitation Project Proposals for Creation of Market-based Sanitation.</p> <p><i>Room: Aberdare</i></p> <p>USAID Western Kenya Sanitation Project (WKSP)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wycliffe Mwanzi, WKSP 	<p>Panellists</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A representative from WSSP: Tom Nyonje, Managing Director, HOMA WASSCO. • Market Facilitators: USAID WKSP/USAID-KEA WASH dept/World Bank/AMFI (K) • Financial Institutions: John Patrick Kamau, Senior Manager, Branch Banking, Sidian Bank Ltd • Social Enterprise: Samuel Langat, Leader, Africa- SATO Toilets • Private Enterprises: Vincent Alila, Director, LACOMP Ltd • Impact Investor: John Mathai, Investment Lead, WASTE NL, The Hague
<p>Convener Session 3</p>	<p>Strengthening the Integrity Framework in Public Private Partnerships (PPPs) in the Water Sector</p> <p><i>Room: Shimba</i></p> <p>Water Integrity Network</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George Osoro, WIN • Edwin Korir, GM Audit & Risk, WSTF 	

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<p><i>Convener Session 5</i></p>	<p>Investing in Women: Water and Sanitation Business</p> <p><i>Room: Taifa</i></p> <p>SISTARS: Transforming Institutions to Advance women in Leaders in STEM</p>	<p>Facilitator / Moderator: Eng. Simon Thuo, Director, Resilience Center</p> <p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof Faith Karanja, Chair Geospatial and Space Technology, UON and Team Leader- SISTARs • WIWAS Chair/ Executive Officer • Dr Blessing Mberu, Head of Urbanization and Wellbeing, APHRC • Dr Caroline Kabaria, SISTARS project coordinator, APHRC • Dr Leunita Sumba, Co-Principal Investigator, SISTARs project 	<p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MD- Tana Water Works Authority • MD- Nyeri Water and Sanitation Company • MD- Muranga Water and Sanitation Company • MD- Kisumu Water and Sanitation Company • CEO- WSTF or representative

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12.00 Noon – 01.30pm	CONVENOR SESSIONS		
<p>Convener Session 1</p>	<p>Operational Efficiency to water and sanitation management.</p> <p><i>Room: Amphitheatre</i></p> <p>USAID Western Kenya Water Project (WKWP)</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Cheruyoit Richard -Director Monitoring and Evaluation WASREB 	<p>Moderator: Japheth Mbuvi, Chief of Party, WKWP</p> <p>Panellists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mr. Atwa Fred -CEO Managing, Kakamega County Rural Water and Sewerage Company (KACRUWASCO) Tom Odongo – Managing Director, Kisumu Water and Sewerage Company (KIWASCO) Mr. Patrick Omondi-Water Services Lead, Western Kenya Water Project Mr. Marcel Schreurs, Managing Director, Maji Milele Mr. Collins Obango; Chief Officer Water and Sanitation, Homa Bay County. <p>Mr. Jamlick Mutie-CEO Rural Water Management Solutions (RUWASCO)</p>
<p>Convener Session 2</p>	<p>Water and Sanitation for All: Bridging the Water and Sewerage Demand for Nairobi, Kiambu and Murang'a</p> <p><i>Room: Lenana</i></p> <p>Athi WWDA</p>	<p>Main Speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ag. Eng. Joseph Kamau, CEO Athi WWDA 	

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Convener Session 3	Positioning Utilities for Efficiency and Bankability <i>Room: Aberdare</i> WASPA Session		
Convener Session 4	Regeneration of Nairobi Rivers <i>Room: Shimba</i> Nairobi Rivers Commission		
01.30pm – 02.30pm	LUNCH AND B2BS		
02.30pm – 04.30pm	Closing Ceremony: <i>Room: Amphitheatre</i> Facilitator: Eng. SAO Alima, EBS - Water Secretary Presenting Conference Resolutions: Mr. Julius Korir, CBS, PS, MWSI, Water and Sanitation Speakers 1. Dr. Erick K. Rutto, Chairman WSTF 2. H.E Anne Waiguru, EGH Chair, COG 3. Mr. Zachariah Njeru, EGH, CS, MWSI 4. Chief Guest (Executive)		
04.30pm – 06.00pm	WASIC 2024 CONFERENCE ENDS B2BS & CLOSURE OF EXHIBITIONS		

<p><i>Saturday 9th March 2024</i></p> <p><i>09.00am – 04.00pm</i></p> <p><i>(Field Visits)</i></p>	<p>Saturday 9th March 2024</p> <p>FIELD VISITS:</p> <p><i>(Athi Water Works Development Agency & Nairobi City Water and Sewerage Company)</i></p>
<p>END OF WASIC ACTIVITIES</p>	