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**Press Release**

**Revision of Campaign Period and Polling Dates for Elections in New Municipalities, Town Councils and Sub Counties**

The Electoral Commission has revised the period for campaigns and polling dates for Parliamentary and Local Government Councils elections in new Municipalities, Town Councils and Sub Counties as follows:

No	Activities	Period
1.	Campaigns for Councillors representing Special Interest Groups (SIGs) for Youths, Persons with Disabilities & Older Persons at Municipal level	8 <sup>th</sup> June - 11 <sup>th</sup> July
2.	Campaigns for Councillors representing Special Interest Groups (Youths, Persons with Disabilities and Older Persons) at Sub County, Town and Municipal Division	8 <sup>th</sup> June – 17 <sup>th</sup> July
3.	<u>Campaign period for:</u> a) District Directly-elected Councillors b) District Women Councillors c) Sub County/Town/Municipal Division Chairpersons d) Sub County/Town/Municipal Div. Directly-elected Councillors e) Sub County/Town/Municipal Division Women Councillors	8 <sup>th</sup> June – 20 <sup>th</sup> July
4.	<u>Campaign period for:</u> a) Member of Parliament b) Municipal Directly-elected Councillors c) Municipal Women Councillors d) Municipal Chairpersons and Councillors	8 <sup>th</sup> June-25 <sup>th</sup> July
5.	Polling and tallying of results for SIGs Councillors (Youths, Persons with Disabilities and Older Persons) at Municipal level	13 <sup>th</sup> July 2018
6.	Polling and tallying of results for SIGs Councillors (Youths, Persons with Disabilities and Older Persons) at Sub County, Town & Municipal Division	19 <sup>th</sup> July 2018
7.	Polling and Tallying of results for elections in new Sub Counties Town Councils and Municipal Divisions: a) District Directly-elected Councillors b) District Women Councillors c) Sub County/Town/Municipal Division Chairpersons d) Sub County/Town/Municipal Div. Directly-elected Councillors e) Sub County/Town/Municipal Division Women Councillors	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> July 2018
8.	Polling and Tallying of results for elections in new Municipalities: e) Member of Parliament f) Municipal Directly-elected Councillors g) Municipal Women Councillors h) Municipal Chairpersons and Councillors	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> July 2018

The reason for revision of the above dates is to provide enough time between the various levels of elections.

The Electoral Commission calls on all stakeholders in the new Municipalities, Town Councils and Sub Counties to take note of the above revisions and participate in the above activities in accordance with the guidelines for the elections.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Mugenyi Simon', is written over a faint, light blue watermark of the Kenyan national flag.

Justice Byabakama Mugenyi Simon  
**Chairperson, Electoral Commission**