## REPUBLIC OF KENYA



# COUNTY GOVERNMENT OF NYAMIRA COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD



P.O Box 434-40500, NYAMIRA

## **ADVERTISEMENT FOR VACANCIES**

Nyamira County Public Service Board wishes to recruit competent and qualified persons to fill the following vacant positions as per the constitution of Kenya 2010 under Articles 176 and County Government Act No.17 of 2012.

### DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, LIVESTOCK AND FISHERIES

70. SENIOR VETERINARY OFFICER: NO. OF VACANCIES - FIVE (5)

Terms of service: Permanent and Pensionable

Job Group: CPSB 07

Salary as per Salaries & Remuneration Commission of Kenya.

#### **Requirements for Appointment**

- Possess a Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine (BVM) Degree from a recognized institution. Having a Master's of Science Degree in any of the following disciplines;- Veterinary Medicine, Veterinary Surgery, Animal Nutrition and Feed Sciences; Animal Genetics and breeding; Clinical studies, Veterinary Public Health, Livestock Production Systems; Poultry Science; Veterinary Anatomy; Reproductive Biology; Veterinary Pathology and Micro Biology; Clinical Pathology and Laboratory Diagnosis; Fish Science; Apiary Science; Public Health; Applied Veterinary Parasitology; Applied Microbiology; Comparative mammalian Physiology; Pharmacology and Toxicology; Wildlife Health and Management; Veterinary Epidemiology and Economics; Animal Production or Aquatic Sciences from a recognized institution; is an added advantage;
- > Atleast three years experience as a veterinary officer;
- Be registered by the Kenya Veterinary Board;
- Have a certificate in computer applications; and
- Have demonstrated a high degree of professional competence and administrative capabilities in initiating and implementing veterinary services policies.

#### **Duties and Responsibilities**

- Participating in carrying out impact assessment on animal diseases; undertaking forensic investigations and compiling appropriate reports;
- Offering veterinary services at sub county level;
- Undertaking disease control activities such as disease search, mapping, vaccination and enforcement of livestock movement, training stake holders on vector control programmes, animal health, breeding, welfare and good veterinary practices;
- Analyzing data and preparing reports on animal health products and markets;
- Undertaking post-mortem examinations and other diagnostic tests; interpreting laboratory results and making appropriate recommendations;
- Inspecting grading and licensing plants processing animal products and transport carriers and containers; examining animals and issuing animal health certificates;
- Participating in field efficiency trials for drugs, vaccines and acaricides;
- Disseminating data or information on animal health, products and markets and
- Collaborating with stakeholders in providing veterinary services.