



# FRESH PRODUCE AGGREGATION AND DISTRIBUTION HUB

OFFICIAL COMMISSIONING PROGRAM  
9<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024

## COLLABORATING PARTNERS



HORTICULTURE  
INNOVATION LAB

UC DAVIS  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA



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UNIVERSITY



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**Master of Ceremony - Prof. George Abong'**

TIME (AM)	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBILITY
9.00 - 10.00	Arrival of Guests	University of Nairobi (UON)Team
10.00 - 10.40	Welcome to the Faculty	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prof. Moses Nyangiito <i>Dean FOA</i></li> <li>Prof. Catherine Kunyanga, <i>Associate Dean, FOA</i></li> <li>Ms. Pauline Ndwiga <i>Farm Manager, Upper Kabete Field Station</i></li> <li>Dr. Juliana Cheboi <i>Chair, FOA, NIW Committee</i></li> </ul>
	A brief about the Hub	Prof. Jane Ambuko/Eng. Stephen Kiruhi
	Remarks about UoN/MRM Partnership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prof. Margaret Hutchinson, <i>Deputy Vice Chancellor, RIE</i></li> <li>Prof. S.G. Kiama <i>(Vice Chancellor, University of Nairobi)</i></li> <li>Mr. Dipti Mohanty <i>(CEO, Mabati Rolling Mills)</i></li> </ul>
10.40 – 11.10	Procession to the Fresh Produce Hub	ALL
	Unveiling the Plaque	Vice Chancellor University of Nairobi & CEO Mabati Rolling Mills
	Tour of the Hub	ALL

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11.10 – 11.50	<p>Remarks from collaborating partners (3-5 minutes each)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Kenya Agricultural and Livestock Research Organization (KALRO)</li> <li>• International Center for Evaluation and Development (ICED) – implementing partner for USAID</li> <li>• Ministry of Agriculture and Livestock Development</li> <li>• Horticultural Crops Directorate (HCD)</li> <li>• Retail Traders Association of Kenya (RETRAK)</li> </ul> <p>Acknowledgment and brief remarks from other key stakeholders present</p>	MASTER OF CEREMONY
11.50 – 12.00	VOTE OF THANKS	Prof. James Muthomi
12.00	<b>REFRESHMENTS AND DEPARTURE</b>	ALL

# PICTORIAL DESCRIPTION OF THE FRESH PRODUCE AGGREGATION AND DISTRIBUTION HUB



## RECEIVING AND PREPARATION AREA



**HIGH QUALITY, SAFE AND TRACEABLE PRODUCE FROM SMALL HOLDER FARMERS IN KENYA**

## DISPLAY & SALES AREA



## COLD STORAGE



## TEMPORARY STORAGE AREA

