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Director of Agriculture

Requirements for appointment

- Be an employee of Tharaka Nithi County;
- Has Served in Agricultural Services related fields
- Has an experience of at least 5 years
- A Degree in any of the following fields: Agriculture, Food Technology, Agriculture & Home Economics, Agricultural Education, Horticulture, or any other relevant and equivalent qualification from a recognized institution;
- A Masters' Degree in any of the following fields: Food Science, Home Economics, Agricultural Economics, Horticulture, Natural Resource Management, Agribusiness, Agriculture Extension, Agriculture Education or any other relevant and equivalent qualification from a recognized institution will be an added advantage;
- Attended a Management Course lasting not less than four (4) weeks from a recognized institution; and
- Has shown merit and ability as reflected in work performance and results

Duties and Responsibilities

- Innovation and Implementation of strategic plans and objectives of the Directorate:
 - handling technical and administrative, human resource, budgetary and assets management issues.
- Team building and setting performance targets and standards in consultation with the C.E.C Member and the Chief officer
- Addressing stakeholders' concerns and instituting operational accountability
- Cost effective research to advance County Agriculture priorities
- Modernize and make extension services responsive to customer needs
- Update and rationalize technical training
- Maximize sustainable gains from crop development activities
- Device and apply strategies to maximize value of land and optimize its use for alternative purpose
- Enhance synergies between the Directorate and stakeholders
- Enhance gainful co-operation between the Directorate and local/International Stakeholders

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Contacts

NOTE: COMMUNICATION FROM THE COUNTY PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD IS ONLY DONE THROUGH THE OFFICE MOBILE PHONE NUMBER 0748087375.

Hiring organization

Tharaka Nithi County Government

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