

**Minutes of meeting of Umma wa Wapanda Baisikeli Dar es Salaam
10 May 2008**

Attendance

Ally Athuman Jumbe
Ally Saidi Mwishehe
Aseli Wilison
Edgar R Paulo
Elaine Baker
Filbert Mbecha
Husein Hamza Hamisi
Juma Ali Salehe Jongo
Jumanne Idd Selemani
Kassim Bakari
Markus Weise
Mussa Omari
Saidi Mbaruku

Road safety project - Wamba Memorial Fund

On Tuesday Juma, Elaine and Markus met with National Institute of Transport and HUWATA at the National Institute of Transport. NIT are ready to cooperate with us on this project and to provide a the classroom and open space for the training of trainers. They suggested we also involve a representative of the traffic police in the training of trainers. It was agreed that each organization would share potential training materials with each other by email. It was also agreed that Markus and Juma would meet HUWATA again on Tuesday to discuss which schools to choose.

Elaine emailed Wamba Memorial Fund and they replied to say their bank could not transfer the money directly so will now try to transfer it via the correspondent bank.

The issue of schools was discussed. We agreed that we would plan to visit Mbondole Secondary School on Saturday 24th May, starting to cycle at 7am. It is estimated to take 3 hours to cycle there. We will take cycle repair tools, food and plenty of water with us. We will also pay a small allowance as people taking part will be missing a whole day of work.

Edgar suggested the school in Tungi in Kigamboni as another school we could include as they also have many students cycling to school and he said he will find contact details for them. Ali Athman suggested we all ask people we know to find out about other schools with students cycling, especially one in Kinondoni district. It was also suggested that we ask Kali Mata group for recommendations on which schools in Kigamboni to work with.

Radio Station

Mejah send a message that he has contacted the Radio One environment programme and they have already decided their schedule for this month but could include us next month. He will continue to follow up.

Finances

Juma received Tsh 20,000 previously and Tsh 7,000 today to cover four weeks. He gave Tsh 10,000 to Jumanne for the lino as agreed. He spent Tsh 2,000 getting a copy done of the UWABA post office box key. He now has Tsh 29,000 of UWABA money.

Traffic police

Elaine phoned Mr Balele who said that we should visit them again to arrange a meeting. Juma and Markus will go there on Tuesday and try to arrange a meeting on Thursday for several UWABA members.

Helmets

Juma said there are three helmets left over from the office opening ceremony. Mejah sent a message that he would send the five helmets he is donating. However we should see if any of them is small enough for Mussa Alex and if not then get a small helmet for him.

Other business

Members asked that photos of the opening ceremony be put in the office. Ali Athman suggested that we get a map of the full Dar es Salaam region for the office and he will find out where to get one and what price they are. Members reminded Elaine about some ID cards she has not yet done.