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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

HCR 412: RESOURCE MANAGEMENT FOR URBAN COMMUNITIES

DATE: 7/5/2019

TIME: 8:30 – 10:30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS:

This paper consists of **five questions**.

Answer Question 1 and any other **two** questions

Question 1 carries 30 marks

Question 2-5 carry 20 marks each

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the following terms
 - i) Integrated Urban Development (4 marks)
 - ii) Urban dividends (4 marks)
 - iii) cost-sharing (4 marks)
- b) Describe three (3) factors that affect the implementation of sustainable urban development Globally (6 marks)
- c) Climate change is a big challenge for sustainable urban areas. Expound (6 marks)
- d) Describe three (3) phases of urban development strategic planning (6 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) As we move forward, urban resource development faces enormous current and future challenges. Discuss (14 marks)
- b) Citing examples, discuss 3 stresses urban people face (6 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Giving examples, discuss 4 features of unsustainable urban centers (12 marks)
- b) Discuss 4 strategies to be taken towards achieving sustainable cities (8 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Citing examples, discuss 5 characteristics of Integrated Urban Development (15 marks)
- b) By 2050, Africa's urban population is expected to triple to approximately 1.23 billion People or 60% of the total population. Expound the threats posed by predominantly urban Population (5 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Sustainable development is becoming popular as far as Resources management for urban communities, As a newly employed staff at Drylands Natural Resources Centre (DNRC), which is a local NGO promoting sustainable development in Makueni, county. Discuss

- a) 4 sustainable principles (12 marks)
- b) The three legged stool of sustainability. (8 marks)