DECLARATION AFTER A ONE DAY COMMUNITY TOWN HALL MEETING ON INCLUSIVE BUDGET ORGANIZED BY NIGER DELTA BUDGET MONITORING GROUP(NDEBUMOG) WITH SUPPORT FROM OXFAM IN NIGERIA, AT OLORI 19, ABRAKA, ON THE 21ST DAY OF MAY, 2015

At an Inclusive Town Hall Meeting held on 21th May 2015 at Olori 19 Hotel, Abraka, Delta State, which was specifically for Abraka Cluster, covering, Abraka, Kwale, Okpai, Obiaruku, Beneku, Aboh, Eku, etc. The meeting was attended by Women Groups, Students, Community Based Organizations, Youth Groups, Clergies and Politicians, among others. After lengthy deliberations, participants made the following resolutions:

- 1. Budget allocation should be directed to job creation for graduating youths from higher institutions in the state in order to reduce crime rate.
- Provision of constant power supply by the Benin Electricity Distribution Company(BEDC), as exception of communities that has oil extraction related activities in their areas, all other communities are suffering from lack of power supply, e:g Kwale, Agbor, Abraka, Okuepagha, Okpai
- 3. There is need for the construction of ICT Park in Abraka, considering the high population of youth in this part of the state.
- 4. Completion of the Modern Market in Kwale, which has been in porous state .
- 5. We demand for rehabilitation of Primary and Secondary Schools around the Abraka Cluster :
 - E:g, (i) Abraka Grammar School, Abraka (ii) Utagba Grammer School, Kwale, (iii) Okpai-Oluchi Primary and Secondary School.
- 6. We also demand for construction of good irrigation systems in various area of Abraka, Okpai, Kwale, Obiaruku and Eku

- 7. That development of roads in the following areas be given priority: Abraka, Kwale, Onu-abor, Beneku, Eku. Others are: (i) Ekrejeta, (ii) Okpai, (iii) Beneku, (iv) Abraka, (v) Kwale, etc
- 8. We call for proper legislation to protect Whistle Blowers

Conclusively, we appeal to the Niger Delta Budget Monitoring Group (NDEBUMOG) to accordingly forward these resolutions to the appropriate quarters.

Signed:

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