



Declaration by the Maa Cultural Leaders and the Maa Council of Elders from Narok and Kajiado

Date: 25th November 2025

Occasion: Maa Cultural Leaders' Declaration to End FGM

We, the Maa Cultural Leaders and the Maa Council of Elders, hereby make the following commitments:

1. Commitment to End FGM

We pledge to end the practice of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) within the Maa community in Narok and Kajiado

2. Equal Blessing for All Girls

From today, we declare that both cut and uncut girls are equally blessed and valued in our community.

3. Inclusive Cultural Ceremonies

We affirm that in all upcoming Manyatta and cultural ceremonies, uncut women and girls are fully welcome and fit to participate.

4. Alternative Rite of Passage

As cultural leaders, we commit to designing and promoting an authentic alternative rite of passage for girls that upholds our traditions without harm.



Commitment Signed by 14 Maa Sub Tribes and the Cultural Leadership as follows;

Subtribe Name	Representative	Sign
1. IlPurko –	
2. Ilwuasingishu	SIKAWA	
3. Ilkekonyokie	OLOTUNO	
4. Ilmoitanik	OLOTUNO	
5. Isiria	OLENAISIYI	
6. Ildamat	OLEPOTI	
7. Iloitai	OLELELAI	
8. Iloodokilani	OLEK	
9. Ilkangere	CETI	
10. Ilkisongo	OLEK	
11. Ilkaputiei	OLEK	
12. Ilmatapato	OLENKABE	
13. Iltorrobo	SANARO	

Name: Daniel Kipilosh – Secretary General
On Behalf of the Maa Cultural Leaders – East Africa

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Name: Ole Minchil – Chairman, Maa Cultural Leaders
Kenya

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