



RESOLUTIONS OF THE 20TH UMUSHYIKIRANO

The 20th Umushyikirano was convened in Kigali, from 5 to 6 February presided over by His Excellency President Paul Kagame.

Umushyikirano participants included leaders from government and the private sector, representatives of the Rwandan community abroad, as well as representatives of the diplomatic corps, international organizations, development partners, and media.

In his opening address, His Excellency the President emphasized the importance of implementing the resolutions adopted during Umushyikirano as a cornerstone for national development, chosen trajectory and resilience, underscoring the responsibility of leaders to foster unity, promote confidence and self-reliance, and to consistently seek homegrown solutions. In particular, he called on leaders to improve performance and collaboration, place citizens at the center of service delivery, and uphold accountability.

Deliberations during Umushyikirano focused on:

- I. Implementation of the National Strategy for Transformation (NST2)
- II. Fostering sustainable growth
- III. Rwanda's global positioning
- IV. Good governance, education, and employment

Following these discussions, the following resolutions were adopted:

I. ECONOMY

1. Strengthen project planning, monitoring, and accountability to ensure timely completion and achievement of objectives.
2. Continue professionalization of mining activities and prioritize processing and value addition.



3. Intensify efforts to increase agricultural and livestock productivity, including through expanded access to fertilizers, improved seeds, irrigation services and artificial insemination.
4. Provide targeted support to industries to boost production and competitiveness, improve value addition, and address packaging challenges.
5. Resolve outstanding issues in One Stop Centres by streamlining processes and procedures, to ensure adequate public awareness of the existence of these services.
6. Accelerate the integration of SACCOs at district and national levels.

II. SOCIAL

7. Advance education quality to align with labor market needs, nurture talents, and significantly strengthen language instruction, particularly in English.
8. Promote youth recreational activities, talent promotion and skills development for productive and decent jobs.
9. Support Rwandan content creators and creatives to effectively monetize digital platforms and online content.

III. GOVERNANCE

10. Improve planning and implementation of performance contracts (Imihigo) to better respond to citizens' concerns, enhance service delivery, and raise overall performance.
11. Reinforce citizen engagement for behaviour change to enable communities to be more active in addressing social welfare and development challenges.
12. Strengthen campaigns and educational measures against teenage pregnancies, school dropout, alcohol and drug abuse.

