



MULIKA MJENGO INITIATIVE



The Mulika Mjengo project is an initiative by the Architectural Association of Kenya (AAK) aimed at empowering the public to identify and report unsafe construction sites.

These are some of the Elements to be highlighted :

Active Construction Sites

Site board information:

- Name of area and land reference number
- Ownership details
- Project description
- Supervising consultants with registration numbers
- Contractors (main and sub-contractor)
- Statutory approval numbers



Personal Protective Equipment:

- Hard hats
- Safety glasses
- Earplugs
- Gloves
- Safety shoes or boots



Display of relevant licenses and approved drawings at the site office



Safety signage throughout the site



Fall protection systems:

- Guardrails
- Safety nets
- Personal fall arrest systems



Safety nets installed around multi-floor buildings



Existing Buildings

- Proper zoning for residential, commercial, and industrial areas
- Construction on well-drained land, avoiding marshy grounds
- No private development on public land or recreational spaces
- Safe and easy access to buildings
- Adequate parking provision
- No leaks, water damage, or signs of dampness
- Adequate permanent ventilation

- Structural integrity:
 - No visible cracks, leaning walls, sagging beams, etc.
 - Stable and well-maintained buildings
- Fire safety mechanisms such as smoke detectors, fire alarms, fire extinguishers and clear and unobstructed emergency exits
- Proper electrical wiring and management:
 - Safety features for people with disabilities
 - Measures to prevent the breeding and spread of disease-carrying vectors