

# Police block NRM protesters from heading to Kampala

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**IGANGA.** Police in Iganga District have blocked a group of NRM flagbearers for various elective posts in this year's general election from heading out to the party's headquarters where they had planned to stage a demonstration over failure by the party to fund their campaigns.

Others claimed discrimination in election funding saying some flagbearers had received funding while others had not.

The group led by Mr Paul Luganda, who works as the chairperson of the party's flagbearers in Iganga District, gathered at Iganga Municipal Council Primary School in Iganga Town on

Monday morning where they had been expected to board vehicles that were meant to have ferried them to the party's secretariat in Kampala to lodge their complaints.

"The party promised to fund our campaigns but since we started, we haven't received any penny yet we also campaign for..." Mr Luganda said.

Both the NRM Chairman of the district, Mr Abubaker Walubi, and Mr Mwesigye addressed the group, before it dispersed. However, *Daily Monitor* could not establish what transpired.

"We went to the school to stop an illegal assembly but I cannot divulge more as this is a sensitive matter," Mr Walubi told *Daily Monitor* on Tuesday morning.