

MINUTES OF DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE MEETING OF JORHAT DISTRICT FOR THE MONTH OF JULY & AUGUST'2022 HELD ON 24/08/2022, IN THE CONFERENCE HALL OF DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, JORHAT

The members present are at Annexure I.

The meeting was presided over by Sri Ashok Kr. Barman, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat. The Deputy Commissioner, Jorhat welcomed all the members present and initiated the discussion.

At the outset, the Chairperson introduced Dr. Dulen Saikia, Principal, Jorhat Central College and Sri Piyush Gattani, Proprietor MD's Organic to the house and informed that both have done fabulous job towards innovative works like rain water harvesting, LED Bulb repairing at Central College, Jorhat and production of complete Organic Vermicompost by MD Gattani, which will be more inspiring and motivating for the youth of the district as well line departments. As per the request of Chairperson, Dr. Dulen Saikia and Sri Piyush Gattani gave a power point presentation of their projects. The Chairperson offered thanks to both of them and requested to extend their helping hand in future.

The Chairperson requested the Principal, Central College, Jorhat to install "Incubator" Machine in the College to train up the students and also requested the set up such "Incubator" Machine at GP level. CEO, ZP, Jorhat was requested to conduct awareness programme in this connection. Participating in discussion EE, PHE Jorhat also requested the Principal to set up a disposable plate, glass production unit from "Betel Nut Husk (Dhakuwa)".

The Chairperson requested the ZPC Member to visit the Gatani's project and take initiative to set up such Organic Vermicompost plants at GP level where Gatani will provide all technical help.

Before going to agenda wise detail discussion the Chairperson directed all concerned Departmental Heads to submit report related to CM Dashboard immediately.

ADC (Dev) appealed to motivate the School Children for Gitanjali Model and instructed the IS, JDC to organize programme for demonstration of Gitanjali Model in every school.

The meeting reviewed the minutes of last DDC meeting thoroughly and after threadbare discussion on development activities of all departments, the following decisions were taken in the meeting.

APDCL

In reply to a query from Chair, DGM, APDCL, Jorhat intimated that Solar Panel can be installed in the "Era Suti" of Bhogdoi River. The Chairperson requested APDCL to conduct a survey in downstream portion of Bhogdoi River for installation of Solar Panel. DGM also informed that there are also provisions for installation of Solar Panel in individual households with subsidy from 1 KW to 4 KW. For success of such schemes Chairperson instructed to conduct awareness campaign especially in rural areas and requested CEO, ZP, Jorhat to take initiative for that purpose. The DGM also intimated that installation of Smart Meter is presently going on in Urban Areas only and good functional old meter received from urban households were installed at AWCs where electrical works has already been done in temporary basis until Smart Meters are received. In his connection DGM requested the DSWO to take initiative to inform the AWCs, so that APDCL can able to install meter in AWCs without any trouble.

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PHE

It was revealed that the issues of payments to compensate the labour cost is yet to be resolved for the work done by PWD, Titabor/Mariani Rd Divn. The Chairperson strictly directed EE PWD, Mariani Titabor Rd Division to settle the problem immediately and also instructed EE to communicate with PHE before starting the road construction works for uninterrupted service of JJM. EE, PHE, Jorhat informed the house that ASRLM will verify the JJM work at field level and they will act as "Implementation Support Agency". EE also informed that construction works in one Railway crossing is going on and seeking permission from Railway authority for remaining part. But till date permission not received.

Water Resources

The Chairperson instructed the EE WR, to conduct a joint survey with Circle Officer concerned for digging of Bhogdoi River and accordingly prepare a Plan in this regard. EE, WR, was also instructed to communicate with DFO (T), Jorhat in this connection. DFO, Executive Engineer, WR and local Circle Officer will identify such spots.

EE WR also informed that the erosion is too high at Nimguri Laliti Chapori area which should be included under section 50 of vulnerable point. The Chairperson directed the Engineer to justify the reason and make an Estimate immediately. For that purpose he was directed to communicate with Circle Officer, Jorhat West Rev. Circle.

Inter Departmental Matter

1. The Chairperson directed both DAO and EE Irrigation to prepare a comprehensive plan for Multi cropping for the district and submit the draft to DC office as early as possible.

2. The Chairperson directed all Departmental Heads to minimize the consumption of Electricity as possible as they can and also prepare plan for installation of Solar Panel at their Office campus which is only the alternative solution at present. For that purpose they may adopt RESCO Model through Vendor

3. In reply to a query from Chair, the Asstt. Dir, Sericulture informed that Eri cultivation is difficult in the warm season and grass cultivation is not possible at VGR land as there is no specific protection in that area. The Dy. Dir, Dairy Dev. Informed that 10 new Poultry Framers have started Multi Hatchery farming in the district. The Chairperson directed Dy. Dir. to make a survey how to improve the Grass cultivation for promotion of Dairy firming in the district. He was also instructed to communicate with DVO, Asstt. Dir, Sericulture for that purpose.

4. DTO informed that digging of Jhanji River is still going on unlawfully and requested the DFO to make a drive to prevent such activities. He also informed that they have organized traffic awareness drive week for protection of unlawful drivers.

5. On a query from Chair, DFDO informed that presently Fish seed is kept in two ponds at Jalukonibari area. He was directed to create 100 active Fish Farmers in the district. The Chairperson directed both DFDO and DVO to conduct training programme at various educational institutions alternately for motivation and awareness of the youth.

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6. Asstt. Dir, H&T informed that Govt. has launched a Flagship Programme viz. "Swanirbhar Naari" 2021-22 and for registration of weavers a portal has also been opened. For registration under this portal weavers should have at least one loom and registration process will start from 3rd Sept'22. After registration, verification process will be completed by Department within 13th Sept'22. At the initial level Gamocha, Arnai, Dumer produced by weavers will be purchased by Govt. and payment will be made within 4 days. He also informed that till date 8900 weavers have applied for registration and verification process is going on.

7. Curator, Jorhat Sc. & Planetarium informed that "Innovation Hub" has been created at Jorhat Planetarium and enrollment session will start from 29th, Sept'22. Initially 3 days programme have been finalized for 20 students to develop their innovative idea. He appealed all esteemed members to extend their support towards the programme.

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks from the Chair.

-Sd- (Ashok Kr. Barman, IAS)
Deputy Commissioner,
Jorhat

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1. The Commissioner, Upper Assam Division for kind information.
2. The Secretary to the Hon'ble C.M, Assam, Dispur, Ghy.
3. The Director (DCP), P&D Department Dispur, Ghy. For kind information.
4. All concerned Members for information and necessary action.


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