

**MINUTES OF THE DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (DDC) MEETING
HELD ON 4th MARCH, 2023 AT 10:30 A.M IN THE CONFERENCE HALL OF THE
DEPUTY COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, KARIMGANJ**

Members Present – As per Annexure 'A'

The meeting was chaired by Sri Mridul Yadav, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Karimganj. At the outset he welcomed all the members present in the meeting.

Thereafter the review was held department wise on the activities for the month of February 2023 which were recorded as follows:

1.P & RD: The activities of the different programme was reviewed in the meeting, some discussion and instruction against different activities are as follows:

1. As regards in- active job cards the CEO Zilla Parishad was requested to sort out the no of pending cases G.P. wise & block wise and take up the matter with concerned bank to active the same early.
2. As regards old scheme under MGNREGA it was decided that the same should be closed after completion 30% of work.
3. As regard old PWL 2016-17 to 2020-21, the CEO, ZP was requested to release 3rd installment of fund early.
4. As regard the house under PMAY against which fund has already been released. But the work has neither been started nor completed or fund diverted by the beneficiaries, FIR should be lodged against them.
5. As regards poor generating of wages against MGNREGA, PMAY-G beneficiaries under Patherkandi block the CEO was requested to take necessary step to maximize the same,
6. The CEO was requested to give priority and focus for completion of ongoing as well as previous year work under MGNREGA to take up new scheme for extending job opportunities.
7. Regarding Amrit Sarovar the CEO was requested to complete the work before starting of monsoon and PMAY-G house within the time scheduled.
8. As regard the work under 15th Finance Commission the progress of which is not satisfactory, the CEO was requested to take special initiatives for utilization of fund early.
9. Regarding payment of electricity bill of WSS the CEO, ZP was requested to instruct the BDO to transfer the necessary fund from GP Account to ZP Account immediately. If not done, salary of concern GP Secretary should be held up.

Action: CEO, Zilla Parishad

2.PWRD (Patharkandi/Ratabari): On review of the work of different programmes it was found that, out of total 23 nos. of schemes only one scheme has been completed rest 22 nos. are ongoing. The progress of the scheme under RIDF-XXVII and BADP are not satisfactory. The Executive Engineer was instructed to expedite the work so that the work may be completed immediately.

Action: Executive Engineer, PWRD (Patharkandi/Ratabari)

3.PWRD (North Kxj./South Kxj./Badarpur): The report placed by the department reflected that 7 (seven) nos. of schemes under PMGSY III for the year 2020-21 and 2 nos. of schemes under RIDF and 1 (one) under SOPD-(G), 2 nos. under Asom Darshan and 10 nos. under BADP (SC) are yet to be completed. The progress of which are not satisfactory. The Executive Engineer was instructed to take personal initiative for early completion of the same.

Action: Executive Engineer, PWRD (North Kxj./South Kxj./Badarpur)

4.PWD (BUILDING): The different schemes of the department was reviewed in the meeting. It was found that the progress of work viz. Construction of Auditorium at R.K Nagar and Women College at Karimganj and some tea garden school are very poor.

Further schemes viz. Pandit Deen Dayal Upadhaya Adarsha Mahavidyalaya, Govt. Modern College at Bazaricherra and some Educational Institutions, progress of which are not satisfactory.

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The Executive Engineer was instructed to be serious for completion of all ongoing schemes including PMJVK (MSDP) at the earliest.

As regards external electrification of CHC at R.K Nagar against which re-allotment of work yet to be made by the Chief Engineer (Electrical), Guwahati. In this regard it was decided that a communication to be made to Chief Engineer (Electrical) from the part of District Administration for early allotment of the same.

Regarding the scheme under BADP, the Executive Engineer was instructed to complete the work by 31st March.

Action: Executive Engineer, PWD (building)

5.PWD (NH): The Executive Engineer appraised the house that the overhead signboard has already been done but place identification yet to be done on Lowairpoa-Hatikhira road which to be done shortly. In a query of the chairman regarding development of existing road Dargarbond to 20 No. via Lowairpoa the Executive Engineer appraised that proposal of fund have already been submitted to the higher authority.

6.PHE: The house discussed on handing over of PWSS it was decided that the completed scheme should be handed over within 7 days positively after joint verification by P& RD & PHE officials.

Regarding 40 nos of incomplete scheme the Executive Engineer PHE assured that the same will be completed by next week & to be handed over accordingly.

As regards 2 nos of schemes pending since long the Executive Engineer was instructed to cancel & black listed the contractor concerned and re-allot the balance work to new contractor having good reputation .

Action: Executive Engineer, PHE

7.IRRIGATION: The Executive Engineer appraised that for completion of ongoing schemes, the contractor has resumed the work after repeated persuasion but the progress are not satisfactory.

It was pointed out in the meeting the scheme which are shown completed but practically not functioning. The Executive Engineer was instructed to furnish a detailed report of the scheme to the DDC for further scrutinizing as to what basis 100% fund has been released against the completed schemes.

Action: Executive Engineer, Irrigation

8.WATER RESOURCES: In a query of the Chairman on the scheme at Daspaty the Executive Engineer appraised that the work of the same has just started and assured to be completed shortly.

Regarding the scheme of the previous year 2018-19, 2019-20 under SDRF & SOPD (FDR) the progress of which are in between 65-85%. The Executive Engineer was instructed to expedite the work so that the same may be completed immediately.

Regarding the schemes under SOPD (ODS) & FER for the year 2021-22 the progress of which is very poor. The Executive Engineer was instructed to take immediate step to complete the work early.

Action: Executive Engineer, Water Resources

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9. TRANSPORT: The DTO appraised the house about the revenue collection till the month of February 2023, the cumulative achievement is Rs. 15.397 cr. against targeted Rs. 17.86 crore for financial year 2022-23. He assured that by March the target would be achieved.

Further, He appraised the house that 15 years old Govt. vehicle should be scrapped. He requested the Departments who have such vehicle to intimate the Transport Department in black and white for verification by MVI to assess the value of the same. One agency at Rangiya will take over the scrapped vehicle within 3-4 days after assessment by making necessary payment. In this connection, he also requested the departments to mention Account Number or head against which payment to be deposited.

Action: All Heads of the Departments.

10. AGRICULTURE: The different activities of the department was reviewed in the meeting. It was found that achievement on PM-KISAN (new), Paddy procurement, PMKSY, etc are not up to the mark, the Agricultural development Officer present in the meeting appraised that the Department was facing acute shortage of staff/officers for which satisfactory progress could not be made but available officials working hard to achieve the target.

11. DICG: The G.M appraised the house that under PMEGP out of sponsored 154 nos. of applications 62 nos. has been sanctioned by the banks up-to February 2023.

Further, regarding Pradhan Mantri Formalisation of Micro Food Processing Enterprises Scheme (PMFMFPES) he appraised that out of targeted 150 nos. only 52 nos. of applications have been received and sponsored to Bank and 15 nos. already sanctioned by the bank.

Regarding pending cases he was instructed to take up the matter with LDM as well as pursue the same with the bank branches.

Action: General Manager, DICG

12. T&CP: The house reviewed the progress of work under PMAY-U. The report placed by the dept. reflected that 926 nos of beneficiaries received 3rd installment of fund out of 8967, that the achievement is very poor. The T&CP authority was instructed to take immediate step so that the houses of all beneficiaries may be completed within March, 2023.

Action: Deputy Director, T&CP

13. FORESTRY: It was reported in the meeting that most of the department has not deposited the forest royalty (FR). The departments who have not yet deposited the same were instructed to deposit the FR immediately.

A discussion was held regarding transportation and seizing of limestone red soil. The ACF present in the meeting pointed out the different causes of seizing the materials without valid documents. The DFO was requested to find out easy process for transportation of the same so that the public work may not be suffered.

Action: DFO, Forestry

14. SOIL CONSERVATION: The DO, Soil Conservation appraised the house that the project at Nilambazar has already been completed and the project at Ratabari will be completed within the next two weeks which was for the year 2021-22.

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The project for the year 2022-23 at village Medha – II is in progress 70% and will be completed by March, 2023.

He also appraised that proposal of 4 nos. of projects is submitted to the govt. and approval awaited.

15.FISHERY – The activities on different programmes for the month of February'2023 was reviewed in the meeting. It was found that the achievement against distribution of motorcycles with icebox is very poor. The department was requested to take steps to complete distribution at an early date.

As regards KCC, it is observed that the Nos. of beneficiaries, received benefit from the bank compared to sponsored beneficiaries is very negligible.

The LDM was requested to look into the matter and take necessary steps so that maximum nos. gets benefited.

Action: LDM, Kxj

16.APDCL: As regards electrification of AWC's & LP school the official present in the meeting appraised that electrification of AWC's (on grid) already completed. Regarding LP Schools out of 868 nos (on grid) 769 nos already done & 99 nos yet to be done.

It was pointed out in the meeting that there are lose wire(cable) & old cable noticed in different villages including town of the district. The APDCL authority was instructed to take immediate step for replacement of old wires/cables and to strengthen the lose wires of power line to avoid untoward incidents.

Action: General Manager, APDCL

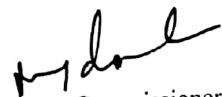
17.LABOUR: The Labour Inspector was instructed to ensure payment of wages in the tea garden who have not paid the same at the new rate of Rs. 210/day immediately.

Action: Labour Inspector, Labour

The Deputy Commissioner appraised the house that Aadhar linkages to be done with old ration card & which would be considered to issue Ayushman Card. He requested all members to pass this message to the public.

At the end, the Deputy Commissioner instructed all the Heads of the Depts. to attend the DDC meeting for better & effective decision making process and execution of the work with proper data regularly.

Then the meeting ended with vote of thanks from the chair.



Deputy Commissioner
Karimganj

Dated Karimganj the 18th March., 2023

Memo No.KDP.1/2022-23/DDC/Pt-II/ -A

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