

MINUTES OF THE DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE (DDC) MEETING
HELD ON 10/11/2022 AT THE CONFERENCE HALL OF DEPUTY
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE TINSUKIA

Members present- Enclosed at Annexure-I

The DDC meeting was presided over by Shri Narsing Pawar, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Tinsukia. At the very outset of the meeting the Chairman & Deputy Commissioner welcomed all the Departmental Heads of the district.

General Instructions:

1. The Chair instructed all the officials to inspire their office staffs and family members to write at least one paragraph on the achievement of the Great Assamese Commander Lachit Borphukan and ensure submission of the write ups by 19th November, 2022 to commemorate the 400th birth anniversary of the great assamese commander.
2. The Chair also asked all the HoDs to get prepared for weeklong celebration of 400th Birth Anniversary of Lachit Borphukan which will commence from 18th November.

The department wise discussions were as follows-

1. **Agriculture:** The Chair instructed the DAO to ensure that poorest of the poor farmers of the district should not be left out from the ambit of PM-KISAN scheme. The DAO apprised the house that out of total 45,199 eligible beneficiaries, Aadhar authentication have been done for 26,489 beneficiaries, e-KYC have been done for 21,297 beneficiaries & total land integration till date is 20621. Regarding non achievement of targets under PM-KISAN for the district, DAO apprised the Chair that due to land integration and Aadhar related issues all the eligible beneficiaries in the district have not been able to get benefits under PM-KISAN. In this regard, the Chair instructed the DAO to complete Aadhar authentication and resolve land integration related issues at the earliest with the help of Circle Officers. No achievement of which will be viewed seriously. The Chair also directed the DAO to bring more farmers under the purview of PMFBY scheme by creating awareness among the farmers of the District. The Chair directed the DAO to distribute the targets of PM-KISAN among the ADOs so that targets can be accomplished within stipulated time.
2. **Food, Civil Supplies & CA:** On query from the Chair regarding the status of paddy procurement in the district, the Deputy Director of Food, Civil Supplies & CA informed the house that the achievement percentage of Kakopather, Tinsukia & Makum PPC are 83.31 %, 72.64 % & 100% respectively. The Deputy Commissioner directed the Deputy Director of Food Civil Supplies & CA to work for the achievement of 8000MT enhanced paddy procurement target in the district this year.
3. **PHE:** The Chair directed the Executive Engineer, PHE to censure strict quality monitoring of all the ongoing works under the Department. The Chair also instructed the Ex Engineer to complete the Balance works of Latrine under SBM phase-II along with this month's target of FHTC immediately. The Chairman also directed the Ex. Eng PHE to facilitate the 68 households of Plastic Park with water connection.
4. **DICC:** The Chair instructed the GM, DICC to give emphasis on PMFME. The GM, DICC informed the house about the shortage of manpower in the Office. The Chair asked the GM, DICC to submit a copy of requirement of manpower in the department and directed him to generate awareness among the public about the PMFME scheme.
5. **Education:** The Chair instructed the IS to ensure that all the students of the secondary schools (both govt. and private) write at least one paragraph on the life and achievement of Great Assamese Commander Lachit Borphukan and ensure their submission at the earliest. In the regard, the Chair also instructed the DEEO to inspire the students from class IV onwards to write on Lachit Borphukan. Regarding Gunutsav 2023, the DEEO informed the house that the selection of



- Nodal teachers for Gunusav 2023 have been completed. The Chair also enquired about the training of teachers under "NISHTHA". In this regard, the DEEO informed the Chair the portal still has not been opened. In regard to the celebration of Lachit Divas in schools, the Chair instructed both IS and DEEO to organize essay competition/cleanliness drive and develop kitchen garden/flower plantation in their respective school premises.
6. **Health:** On query from the Chair regarding status of Dengue in the district, the Joint Director of Health apprised the house that as of now 5 number of cases have been identified in the district. The Chair asked the Joint director to raise awareness and create publicity through DIPRO about identification and prevention of Dengue. In this regard, the Chair instructed the joint Director to identify the sources of Stagnant water and take preventive measures so that no new cases of dengue can be emerged. The Chair then directed the Joint Director to ensure fogging in the dengue susceptible areas of the district. The Chair also stressed on the early detection of high risk pregnancy cases in the district. Emphasis was also given on creating awareness against child marriage especially in the tea Garden areas in order to reduce MMR and IMR. The Chair also laid stress on increasing night C-Section facility in the hospitals of the district. The Chair also enquired about the issues /problems regarding FRUs in the District. The Joint Director apprised that there is shortage of doctors and nurses in the FRUs of the District.
 7. **APDCL:** The CEO, APDCL apprised the house that electricity connection to 68 households have been provided in the vicinity of Plastic park of the district. Regarding the query on damage related works of electric post in elephant corridors of the district, the CEO apprised that survey has been done at Gelapukhuri area.
 8. **Irrigation:** The Deputy Commissioner directed the Ex. Engineers of both the divisions of irrigation to expedite the works under PMKSY. The Chair directed the Ex. Engineers of both the divisions to expedite the works in the department under SOPD. The Chair asked the Ex. Engineers to increase the percentage of land under irrigation in the district to have optimum output from the cultivable land. Stress was also given on improving the soil health to boost productivity.
 9. **Veterinary:** On query regarding vaccination by the Chair, the DVO apprised the house that Vaccination against Foot and Mouth Disease (FMD) are going on in the district. The Chair also enquired about new cases of Asian Swine Fever (ASF) in the district. In reply, the DVO informed the house that no new cases of ASF have been reported in the district. The Chair then enquired about culling compensation for pig farmers. The DVO apprised that 2 compensation
 10. **Transport:** On query regarding achievement of the Department by the Chair, the DTO informed the Chair that 47% of assigned target has been achieved till date. The Chair instructed the DTO to keep a vigil on Coal carrying Vehicles during night time. The Chair also directed the DTO to impose heavy penalties on overloaded vehicles. The Chair then directed the DTO to organize an Eye camp for the drivers of Heavy Motor Vehicles. In this regard, the Chair directed the Joint Director of Health to provide necessary support to the DTO. The Chair instructed the DTO to implement all the road safety measures in order to reduce the road accidents in the district. The Chair also asked the DTO to utilize the Truck Terminus effectively to reduce traffic congestion in the town area of the district.
 11. **Social Welfare:** On query regarding rationalization of Anganwadi Centres, the DSWO apprised the house that the district level committee has already been formed. Moreover, survey & verification have also been completed. Regarding query on Model Anganwadi Centres, the DSWO informed the house that all the 55 Model Anganwadi Centres in the district have been completed. The DSWO also informed the house that the proposal of 10 Model Anganwadi Centres per LAC for the district has been submitted. The DSWO also apprised the house that they have received an amount of Rs. 10.00 lakh for renovation of 5 Anganwadi



Centres in the district under CSR project. Regarding PMMVY, the DSWO apprised the house that out of 552 targets under PMMVY, 360 have been achieved for the month of November.

12. **PWD (Tinsukia/ Sadiya/ Doomdooma territorial road division)** : On query regarding PMGSY work the Ex. Engineer apprised the Chair that PMGSY works have been completed in the district. The Chair also enquired about the construction of bridges under SDRF from the Ex. Engineer. The Ex. Engineer apprised that construction works of 2 bridges under SDRF are going on and 75-80% progress has been achieved in this regard. On query regarding ROB, the Ex Eng informed the house that, works at the Sripuria side is going on and there is no progress at the National Highway side due to a court case.
13. **PWD (Digboi/ Margherita territorial road division)** : Regarding PMGSY, the Ex. Engineer informed the house that the works under PMGSY are nearing completion in the division. The Chair also enquired about the works under ASOM MALA. In this regard, the Ex. Engineer apprised the Chair that work order has already been issued. The Chair instructed the Ex. Engineer to expedite all the ongoing works under the Department.
14. **PWD (Chabua/ Duliajan & Naharkatia territorial road division)**: The ADC (ULB etc) has brought into notice of the house about the poor quality of repairing works of the Rongagora roads. The ADC informed that the no WBM has been done while repairing the potholes of the roads. The Chair strictly directed all the Ex. Engs of all the Road division to maintain quality of the roads. To ensure this, the Chair stated that any irregularities on the part of the contractor should not be entertained.
15. **PWD (NH)** : The Chair directed the Ex. Eng of NH to ensure marking of all the speed breakers in the highways of the district properly at a reasonable distant as part of road safety measures.
16. **Excise** : The superintendant of Excise informed the house that the revenue collection of the district for the current FY stands at 45.90%. The Chair directed the superintendant of Excise to ensure complete ban on the import of illicit liquor in the district.
17. **Fishery**:. The DFDO informed the house that the 80% of construction works under PMMSY have been achieved in the district. The ADC (Agriculture etc.) directed the DFDO to offer handholding support & technical knowhow to those youths of the district who are producing fishes through bio-flocks through their own initiatives.
18. **Handloom & Textile** : The Superintendent of Handloom & Textile informed the house that the tender has been called for setting up 30 numbers of Handloom Work Shed for Baghjan Cluster Project .On query regarding the status of SwaNirbhar Nari scheme the Superintendent of Handloom & Textile informed the Chair that the procurement of **Gamusas** from the weavers under the scheme will begin from December. The Chair instructed the Superintendent of Handloom & Textile to organize one state level mela in the district in collaboration with Sericulture Department to showcase their indigenous products .
19. **Sericulture**: The Chair instructed the Asst. Director, Sericulture to lay stress on Eri production in the district. The Chair also suggested the Director to work in collaboration with Handloom & Textile department.
20. **Water Resource**: On query regarding the SOPD works under the Department ,the Assistant Executive Engineer(AEE) informed the house that the works of two projects under SOPD are going on. The AEE also apprised the house that the works at Phelai and Hatighuli areas are under way and in regards to the work at Khamtiguali, materials have been already procured. The Chair laid stress on identification of all the vulnerable pockets in the districts which are prone to erosion.
21. **Soil Conservation** : The Assistant Soil Conservation Officer apprised the house that there is no any allocation of budget for the district for the financial year 2022-23 under Social Conservation department for any major works.



- 22. Housing & Urban Affairs :** Regarding PMAY(U) ,the CPM informed the Chair that more than 85% targets under PMAY(U) have been achieved in the district. The Chair directed the ADC (H&U affairs) to ensure that all the beneficiaries under Chapakhowa Municipal Board get benefit under PMAY(U) at the earliest. The Chair also directed the CPM, PMAY(U) to bring all the beneficiaries to third instalment who have availed 2nd instalment & to bring all those to the purview of 2nd instalment who have already availed 1st instalment.
- 23. P & RD :** The Chair enquired about the issue of landless beneficiaries under PMAY-G under Margherita Development Block. The BDO, Margherita apprised the Chair that lands have already been allotted by Circle Officers for the landless beneficiaries and a survey of those lands has also been done. The Chair instructed all the BDOs to sort out the land related issues of PMAY(G) beneficiaries in consultation with the concerned Circles Officers. The Chair also directed the BDO Margherita to release the 3rd installment to all the PMAY(G) beneficiaries under the block by 15th December 2022 who have already availed the 2nd installment. The Chair also instructed all the BDOs to expedite the works of conversion of Kutcha house to Pucca house. Regarding mandays generation at tea gardens of the district under MGNREGA, the Chair expressed his dissatisfaction regarding the poor achievement. In this regard, the BDO, Saikhowa stated that in the MIS of MGNREGA, the option for physically completed is not available and a scheme can be completed only when the material bill is paid. As there are already spill over works in different GPs, so they are unable to place demand for new work although demands for work is available with the blocks. So, due to the short comings of the system, they are not able to achieve the desirable targets in tea gardens. The Chair directed that the matter is taken up with appropriate authority.
- 24. ASRLM :** The Chair instructed the DPM, ASRLM to encourage the members of SHGs to write atleast one paragraph on Lachit Borphukan as part of the weeklong Celebration of birth anniversary of great assamese commander Lachit Borphukan.
- 25. ASULM:** Regarding PM-SVAnidhi scheme ,the CPM of ASULM informed the Chair that a survey was conducted to identify Street Vendors against the new target of 795, however due to lack of beneficiary, target has not been fulfilled. The Chair instructed the CPM to identify spaces/locations in the town area of the district to create vending zones for the street vendors so that they can't occupy the public roads/streets .

At the end of the meeting, the Chair suggested all the HoDs to work on the action points and monitorable targets of their respective Department and achieve the same before the next Deputy Commissioner's Conference scheduled to be held in Tinsukia.


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1. The Addl. Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Transformation & Development Department, Dispur for favour of kind information.
2. The Commissioner, U.A.D Jorhat for favour of kind information.
3. The Director, E&M Division, Dispur, Guwahati for kind information
4. The Director, DCP, T&D Department, Assam, Guwahati for kind information.
5. The SDO(Civil) Margherita/Sadiya.
6. All members Of DDC for information & necessary action.


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