

Minutes of the DDC meeting held on 5/6/2014 in the Conference Hall of the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Barpeta.

Members Present- incorporated in Annexure-I

Dr. Siddharth Singh, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Barpeta presided over the meeting.

At the outset of the meeting the Chairman welcomed all the members present in the meeting for their co-operation in the last Parliamentary Election and initiated the discussion as per agenda. The discussion started with the review of the minutes of last DDC meeting for confirmation of the follow up action against the concerned District Heads of the Development Deptt and review started as follows-

PHE: The Executive Engineer, PHE reported that out of target of 128 spot scheme 130 nos. have been completed in the last year. The target for the year 2014-15 has not yet been approved. Under MsDP 3282 nos. of TSP have been completed. The achievement in coverage of Habitation as per target of 499 during the month of May/2014 is nil. The overall progress of different scheme is almost Nil as T.S and administrative approval yet to be receive. E.E. PHE is directed to take up the matter with the Govt. for Administrative approval etc. (Action-PHE)

DRDA: As reported by the Project Director, DRDA, the progress of various schemes as on 31st May/2014 are as follows-

Name of Scheme	Total available amount	Amount utilized	% of utilization
IAY	2940.54 L	2171.73 L	74%
MGNRGA	207.95 L	71.01 L	34%
NRLM	237.22 L	8.50 L	3.58%

In respect of the construction of IAY houses under MSDP out of total target of 12,000 units 11,088 units have been completed. The rest 12 Nos. Will be completed within June./2014.

Zila Parishad: As reported by the Executive Engineer, Zila Parishad, Barpeta the progress of various schemes upto May/2014 are as follows-

Name of scheme	Total amount available	Amount utilized	% of utilization
BRGF 2012-13	805.00 L	795.00 L	98%
BRGF 2013-14	176.20 L	131.84 L	74.82 %`
DDP 2012-13	747.37 L	715.74 L	95.77%
DDP 2013-14	747.37 L	163.77 L	21.95%
IGNOAP	56.45 L	16.81 L	22%
NFBS	3.87 L	1.80 L	46%
IGNDPS	72.16 L	5.72 L	8%
ANNAPURNA	15.08 L	-	-

While reviewing the physical progress of works under various schemes, it is seen that the physical achievement made during the last two year is poor. Most of the works under BRGF and DDP are yet to be completed. The Chairman requested the ZP to complete the works as early as possible.

(Action- CEO,ZP)

Fishery: The Dist. Fishery Development Officer, Barpeta reported that out of total target of 49 Nos. in respect of Community tank and Rearing pond 42 nos., have been completed in the last year. In the year 2013-14 the total target has been fixed to 49 Nos. with an estimated cost. Of Rs. 19.00 L. The work has not been started as fund yet to be received. The District Fishery Officer will take up the matter with Govt. early.

Handloom & Textile: The Asstt. Director, Handloom & Textile, Barpeta informed that distribution process of bleached and dyed yarn under Chief Minister's special scheme of Assam Bikash Yojana for the year 2012-13 has been completed and for the year 2013-14 selection of beneficiary is under progress. As regards to the progress of weavers Credit Card Scheme for the year 2013-14 out of target of 500 nos. 309 nos. have been achieved. As per the scheme Banks provide loan to the weavers for purchase of equipments & raw materials.

Agriculture:: While highlighting the progress of different schemes, the Asstt. Executive Engineer, Agriculture Sorbhog informed that out of total target of 2581 under STW scheme all are completed during the year 2012-13 and 2013-14. In respect of distribution of Tractors out of total target of 82 Nos. 70 Nos. have been distributed. He told that some distribution like Power tiller, STW electrical (2.2 HP) etc. could not be done due to Parliamentary Election 2014. The Chairman asked to complete the process as early as possible. The construction of 1000 MT godown is going on and will be completed within the stipulated time. The Chairman asked the department to take necessary steps so that all the incomplete works may be completed within the targeted time.

While reviewing the progress of KCC it was informed that in the year 2013-14 20,000 KCC loan has been disbursed by the banks and in the current year 22,000 targets has been fixed.

(Action-DAO/E.E Agriculture)

PWD(Building): The Asstt. Executive Engineer, PWD(Bld) informed that construction of 66 nos. Of High School under RMSA is under process. In case of construction of Girls Hostel out of 7 nos. 5 nos. have been started. The construction works at Mandia High School campus yet to be started due to non clearing of site by the school authority. In case of construction of Barnagar Girls High School campus notice to the contractor will be served immediately to resume the works. The construction works of 200 bedded Hospital at ITI Barpeta and at Nabajyoti College, Kalgachia under MsDP are going on. As reported by the Asstt. Executive Engineer PWD(B) the construction works of ADR centre under 13th Finance Commission is topped due to non shifting of overhead H.T line by APDCL. The Chairman asked to Asstt. Manager APDCL to take necessary action in this regard. The construction of new Veterinary Hospital building at Mandia could not be started due to non finalizing of site. The progress of Chandi Barua Stadium is also very slow. The Chairman asked the deptt. To complete all the ongoing works in time.

PWD(R): While reviewing the progress of PWD Road scheme, the Chairman expressed concern over the incomplete scheme of PMGSY road which were started long back. Some road even started during 2006-07 remains incomplete till date. In addition, condition of some roads specially Mandia road, Kayakuchi Road, Barpeta Bhawanipur Road, Barpeta Jania Road are very deplorable. The Chairman asked the deptt. to take initiative to complete the works in time. The Executive Engineer, PWD(R) also informed that estimates for Beki bridge approach has been prepared and sanction is awaited. He also informed that the condition of 130 nos. of Timber Bridge in the district is very deplorable. The Chairman asked the E.E PWD to keep close watch so that no untoward incident takes place. (Action-E.EPWD(R))

Irrigation: The Chairman expressed displeasure over the functioning of Irrigation schemes in Barpeta District. In some points it is unable to irrigate water to the field due to broken cannel, power problems, Mechanical defects etc. He suggested Addl. Deputy Commissioner (Dev) to hold a separate meeting with all the wings of the department working in the District and power officials.

(Action-ADC(D)/Irrigation Deptt.)

Soil Conservation: While reviewing the progress of works under Soil Conservation deptt. It was reported that entry point activities of Kaldia Part-1 IWMP and Turkunijan IWMP is going on. 40% progress has so far been made in each of the projects.

Sports: As reported by the District Sports Officer, Barpeta the improvement works of Barpeta Road Stadium is going on. An amount of Rs. 10.00 lakh has been received in 2013-14. The work will be started shortly which was held up due to Model code of Conduct of Parliamentary Election 2014. (Action- District Sports Officer)

Health: The matter of paying old electricity bill by the Medical Staff specially Howly CHC was discussed. The Chairman asked the Joint Director of Health Services to take up the matter with ASEB. He also requested to Joint director of Health Services to make a health check up drive in 5 nos. of Schools under Kasturba Gandhi School . (Action- Joint Director Health Services).

Water Resource: As reported by the Executive Engineer, Water Resources Division the construction works of Ring Bundh of Brahmaputra at Fulbari including Pre-Siltation measures under SDRF could not be started due to LA problem. The works closing of breach at 15th KM L/B at Gahinpara including recoupmnt of breach under SDRF is going on. The Chairman asked the deptt. to keep close watch so that no untoward incident happens during the coming flood season. (Action-E.E W.R. Divn)

Misc.

The issue of felling of road side trees and shifting of electrical poll which hampers for construction works/widening of PWD road specially Howly Barpeta PWD road & proposed State High Way section was discussed in the meeting. The Chairman suggested Addl. Deputy Commissioner(Dev) to hold a meeting with the concerned officers immediately. (Action- DFO(SF)/PWD (R)/APDCL)

The meeting was ended with a vote of thanks from the chair.

Sd/- (Dr. Siddharth Singh, IAS)
Deputy Commissioner,
Barpeta

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5. The Director, Decentralised Planning, Planning & Development Department, Assam, Dispur.
6. The Sub divisional Officer (C), Bajali.
7. All Officers concerned for information and necessary action.


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