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CULTURAL HISTORY

Before British

Vizag, the Port city is the jewel on the eastern coast of India, 2nd Biggest City Next to Capital Hyderabad. The City is a harmonious blend of the magical past and the bustling present with a breath taking panorama of golden beaches, lush green fields, verdant valleys and splendid monuments from a historically rich and religious heritage.

During British

Vizagapatnam the colonial name given to the city have become one of the important and strategic power centre for the British. British built its settlement here in Waltair which housed their Residence.

After British

From a tiny little fishing village in the previous century, Vizag as part of the coastal Andhra region came under French control in the late 18th century; the Dutch had established a colony in the early part of the 18th century. The English on establishing the Raj developed Waltair as a sister town of Vizag in the Madras Presidency. The city was the largest city at the time of Indian Independence and was divided into three manageable districts.

Vizag in modern Times

The transformation of Vizag is unique in its speed, scale, and politics. With just 25 years under the hood it changed from a sleepy town to bustling business town. Vizag's dramatic transformation into a bustling business town without leaving its sheer natural beauty and calmness is true awesomeness that calls for huge applause.



Simhachalam

Simhadri or Simhachalam is a Hindu temple located in the Visakhapatnam City, suburb of Simhachalam in Andhra Pradesh, South India. It is dedicated to the incarnation (avatar) of Vishnu, known as Narasimha (the man-lion). The architectural style of the temple's central shrine is Oriya while its entrance is Dravidian.

Bavikonda

Bavikonda Buddhist Complex (17 49 N - 83 23 E) Lies about 16 km from Visakhapatnam city on a hill about 130 mts. Above Mean Sea Level. The term Bavikonda in Telugu language means the hill of well.



ACHIEVEMENTS

Street lighting



FIRST CITY IN INDIA TO BECOME 100% LED STREET LIGHTS

- An initiative to convert entire city with LED lights having centrally controlled monitoring system.
- As a part of implementing policy of Govt. of India for introducing LED Lights, GVMC entered Agreement with Energy Efficiency Services Limited (EESL) Delhi for Rs.65.00 Cr.
- Total existing lights to be replaced with LED including BRTS Corridor :93,775
- Probable Requirement in the entire city for empty poles, others, if any : 7,586
- Presently replaced existing lights with LED lights as on 31st May'2015: 91841 No (97.9%).

URBAN Transport

VISAKHAPATNAM – METRO



- Govt. of A.P. appointed Dr.E.Sreedharan as the Principal Advisor to the Govt. for Metro.
- DMRC - Delhi as the consultant in Sep-2014 .
- 3 Corridors identified by DMRC of 39 Kms in the 1st phase.
 - Corridor –I : Madhurawada Jn to NAD Jn along NH-16 – 24 Km.
 - Corridor-II : Gurudwara Jn to Old Post Office via Jagadamba Jn.– 7 Km
 - Corridor –III : Thatichetlapalem Jn on NH-16 to Park Hotel Jn via Railway Station, Siripuram A.U out gate – 8 Km.
- Approval of State Govt. received in Jan'2015 for Preparation of DPR with the above 3 Corridors.

2 BRT CORRIDORS 43 KM.IN IMPLEMENTATION

- Total cost of the project : Rs.452.93 Cr. – 88% Completed
- 38 KMs Length of BRTS Completed.
- Efforts are on to resolve to clear private properties, religious structures and to obtain clearance from Railways and Naval authorities.
- Balance will be completed by June, 2015.



BUILDING PENALISATION SCHEME

Objectives of BPS:

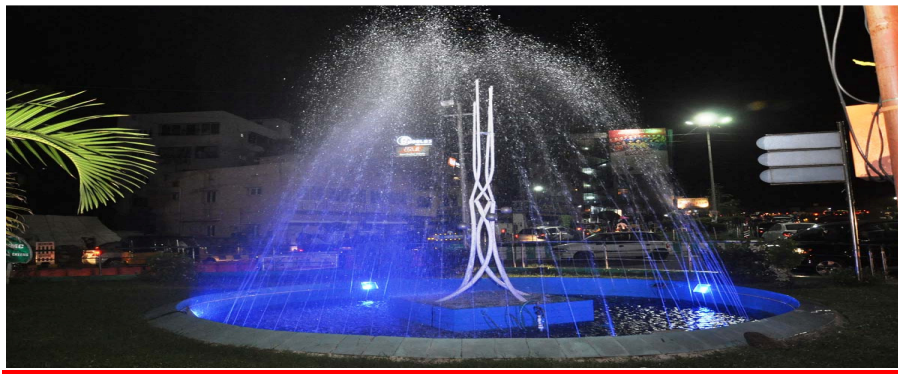
- I. To penalize each and every building constructed unauthorizedly or in deviation of the sanctioned plan so as to create deterrence against any such practice.
- II. To bring all the unauthorized constructions into planning fold and to regulate the development in urban areas.
- III. To provide an opportunity to the owners of the buildings to regulate their unauthorized constructions and deviations made to the sanctioned plan.
- IV. To provide relief to several persons who have purchased buildings without any knowledge about the building regulations.

SALIENT FEATURES OF BPS:

- The Proposed regulation and penalization of unauthorized building is ONE TIME MEASURE only.

- These orders are applicable for the constructions made after 1-1-85 and before 31-12-14.
- The entire life cycle of Building Penalization Scheme application and work flow is ONLINE BASED ONE without any involvement of manual based process.
- It is anticipated that an income of Rs. 45 to 50 crores on account of building penalization scheme.

CITY BEAUTIFICATION PLAN



- Clean and Green atmosphere with aesthetic & eco- friendly street furniture to create Smart City appearance.
- Development of 9 arterial roads, 10 major junctions and 3 major parks with street furniture with landscaping designs.
- 54KMs National Highway Road from Tagarapuvalasa to Anamapalli road junction.

PRESENT STATUS

- After HUDHUD cyclone, 59000 trees were planted along 149km road stretch.



- 90 colony parks developed and maintaining by Resident Welfare Associations (RWAs).
- Lawson bay beach development & park in 5 acres nearing completion.
- 2 Major parks Sivaji park and Mudasarlova Parks developed.
- 32 major junctions/traffic islands developed with lushgreen.
- 54Kms stretch of national highway road from Tagarapuvalasa Jn. to Anakapalle Jn. Landscaping Master plan to be completed by 20th April-2015.



IT – INITIATIVES

Services at a Glance

❖ Revenue/Tax Collection

- Property Tax
- Water Tax
- D & O Trade Licenses
- Vacant Land Tax
- Shop Leases

❖ Non Tax Collection

- Contribution Charges
- EMD's, FSD's, ASD's etc.,
- Mutation Charges.
- Building Application.

❖ Informative Services

- Complaint Registration and Legal management
- Vital Records Search
- Tenders, GO's
- Procedures (Building Plan approvals, Hoardings, cell towers)

❖ Grievance Services

- Call Center (1800-4250-0009 / 2569335)
- Dial your Tanker
- Dial your Commissioner
- Web Based Grievances

GVMC SMART VIZAG APP



- The GVMC Smart App is designed to facilitate the public to pay taxes through mobile and was inaugurated by GVMC honorable commissioner Sri Pravin kumar on 24th June 2015.
- As technology grows GVMC initiates this APP to avail the benefits of mobile apps.
- As mobile consumption habits evolve, it's imperative that app developers continue to add Functionality and robustness to their offerings. In this context GVMC take initiative to develop Mobile App (android based) through JIT WORLD Technologies for GVMC Taxes payment.
- The public can pay taxes of GVMC such as Property tax, water tax, D&O Trade License, Shop Leases at any time by downloading the APP from GOOGLE PLAY STORE.
- This APP works smoothly, and is user friendly for the citizens to use the app.
- This APP reduces the burden i.e. to stand in queue to pay taxes; the people through mobile availing the internet facility anywhere from the world can pay their taxes at one's own place.

OUR BENCHMARK

- 100% of the city with Wi-fi connectivity.
- 100 Mbps internet speed for Work Places and Residents.
Intra-connectivity to GVMC and Zonal Offices.
- Ensuring the following g services with 100% coverage under E-Platform.
- Calculation and Payment of Property Tax
- Payment and Management of Utility Bills Grievance Handling
- Building Plan Approvals
- E-Procurement and Project/ward works Solid Waste Management System
- Licenses
- Accounting System
- Personnel Management System

PROPOSED PROJECTS

Name of the Project
Wi-fi Connectivity for the City
GPS Monitoring, Surveillance Cameras etc

Daily Activities for the Month

Commissioner receiving phone calls in Dial your Commissioner



GVMC Staff making a special drive on drain clearance at Gandhi street



Commissioner coming on foot, from his residence to main office as part of Monday vehicle free zone.



gvmc commissioner pravin kumar reviewing on the various issues with HOD's at old council hall



Commissioner interacting with the bulk water stake holders on the revision of water tax.



Commissioner reviewing on the EESL team on LED lights



Commissioner Pravin Kumar addressing the Public Health officers and President and Secretaries of the Health packages



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మలేరియా నివారణ లో విద్యార్థుల పాత్ర ఆవసరం

జాతీయ మలేరియా నివారణ మానోర్యువాలను పురస్కరించు కొని జివియంసి, మలేరియా వింగ్ మొదటిగా జివియంసి, ఆద్యర్థములోనే 14 ఉన్నత పాఠశాలల్లో మలేరియా మరియు డింగ్యు నివారణపై అవగాహన కల్పించాలని ఉద్దేశ్యముతో జిల్లా మలేరియా చిల్డ్రెన్స్ జివియంసి, ప్రధాన వైద్యాధికారి డాక్టర్ . శ్రీ.M.S.రాజ గారి ఆద్యర్థములో ఈరోజు తేది. 24.06.2015. మద్యాహ్నం ఒకటవ టోన్ లోని లోటగరుపు Z.P.వై స్కూల్, మూడవ టోన్ లోని M.G.M. వై స్కూల్ మరియు నాల్గవ టోన్ శ్రీ వాంఛురం ఉన్నత పాఠశాలల్లో మలేరియా పై ప్రదర్శన ద్వారా అవగాహన కార్యక్రమము ను నిర్వహించారు.ఈ సందర్భంగా డోమల లచ్చలని, అవి పరిగి ప్రదేశాలను విద్యార్థులకు, ప్రదర్శనా మలేరియా నియంత్రణలో విద్యార్థుల పాత్రని వివరించారు.

ఈ సందర్భముగా టోన్ 4 వచోయ వైద్యాధికారి డాక్టర్ మురళి మోహన్ మాట్లాడుతూ మలేరియా మరియు డింగ్యు నివారణలో విద్యార్థులు చురుకుగా పాల్గొనాలని, వారానికి ఒకసారి డై డీ పాటించాలని విద్యార్థులకు సూచించారు. అయిలజిప్టు శ్రమితివైమణి మలేరియా మరియు డింగ్యు లక్షణాలను, అవి వ్యాప్తి చెంది చిరానమును మరియు డోమల నియంత్రణ చర్యలను వివరించారు. ఈ కార్య క్రమములో జిల్లా N.M.E.P. సబ్ యూనిట్ అధికారి యశస్విని జివియంసి, మలేరియా ఇన్స్పెక్టర్ లు వసంత కుమార్ , ప్రసన్న కుమార్ , రామచంద్ర రావు విట్టిబాబు, అప్పారావు మరియు మలేరియా హెల్త్ సూపర్ వైజర్స్ , హెల్త్ అసిస్టెంట్స్ తదితరులు పాల్గొనినారు.

అయిలజిప్టు, జివియంసి
24/6/15

Commissioner visiting the Andhra university convocation hall road for improvements of footpath



Commissioner instructing the officials to fill the drain at YMCA



