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PUDUCHERRY

Imprints of One Month in Office

FEB - MARCH 2021



Dr. Tamilisai Soundararajan

LT GOVERNOR OF PUDUCHERRY

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COVID -19 INITIATIVES

- On the very first day of assumption of office of Lt. Governor visited the dedicated COVID hospital for Vaccination Drive Initiatives and Interacted with frontline health workers.
- Constituted Covid Vaccination Task Force Committee involving JIPMER, ICMR, all medical colleges, IMA, NGOs for effective vaccination rollout.
- The Committee has held Five meetings every week on Thursday to review and Strategize vaccination drive
- Launched Vaccination awareness Programme on 21.03.2021 to encourage people to take COVID19 vaccination.
- Flagged off Mobile Campaign Van to promote **Mask up Puducherry | Mask my India** and vaccination Awareness
- Sanction accorded for purchase of 600 nos. hospital cots for COVID management

AMRUT MAHOTSAV

- Honoured freedom Fighter Shri. S. Sundaramoorthy at his residence for recognition of his invaluable sacrifices
- Launched the 75 Weeks of Celebrations with recreation of Dandi March at Beach, rally of 75 boats on the sea and cycle rally on the road and drive of plantation of 75000 saplings.
- Inaugurated photo-exhibition, Cultural programmes, Music Programme that populace on the ethos of freedom struggle.
- Task Force committee has been formed under the Chairmanship of Lt. Governor to oversee the conduct of 75 weeks of celebrations.

OUTREACH/FIELD VISITS

- Have undertaken 24 (twenty four) field visits until 31st March. Salient of which are :-
 - Visited Anganwadi centres and Primary Health Centres in Urban/Rural localities
 - Visited Flood affected areas during unprecedented rainfall on 21st Feb 2021.
 - Visited Government General Hospital for review of its functioning
 - Visited Rural and Urban Government Schools
 - Visited Children's Home at Kalapet
 - Visited Outlying region of Karaikal on 20th Feb 2021

WELFARE INITIATIVES

- District Review Meeting at Karaikal, to review welfare schemes and on-going Projects, civic Amenities, delivery of public services on 20.2.2021.
- Review of the resumed Mid Day Meal scheme and Morning Supplementary Milk distribution programme in Rural and Urban Government Schools.
- Approval accorded for distribution of eggs under Supplementary Nutrition Programme(SNP) in Anganwadi

REVIEW MEETINGS HELD

- A total of 24 (Twenty Four) review Meetings were held from the date of assumption
- Daily Review Meeting is held at 10.30 AM with the Advisors to Lt. Governor
- Review Meetings with Key Officers in regard to Covid Management, Green Puducherry, resolution of specific public grievance and matters of administration were held

GRIEVANCE REDRESS

- Announcement of ex-gratia to the kin of Asina Begum washed away in to floods.
- Relief measures initiated / reviewed at the flood affected areas of Rainbow Nagar, SonamPalayam, Murungapakkam, Thengathitu on 21st Feb 2021.
- Preventive measure to overcome bus transportation strike in neighbouring State.
- Visit to Kalapet to attend to civic complaints viz., Sewerage overflow
- Travelled as co-passenger in Mofussil Bus service from Puducherry to Bahour to resolve grievance of travelling public and assess monsoon damaged road conditions.
- Learning of drying up of trees on Promenade Beach, watered the trees to set an example for emulation.
- Visited Government Quarters located at Lawspet, Puducherry based on the grievances.
- Surprise Inspection of Interstate border Check post late in the night at 1.15 AM during return from Telengana to ensure vigilant surveillance mechanisms amidst pandemics and State Elections 2021.

PEOPLE CENTRIC MEASURES

- On the advice tendered to reduce VAT on Petrol / Diesel the proposal submitted for reduction of VAT by 2 %, reducing the cost approximately by Rs.1.80/- was approved.
- Sanction accorded for Rs 8.00 crore for awarding the work of "Disposal of Legacy Waste" from the Kurumbapet dumpsite through Bio-remediation and Bio-mining"
- Sanction accorded for repair of Arterial Roads to the tune of Rs 80.00 Crores
- Sanction accorded for various Tourism Infrastructures project and Smart City Projects.

RESOLUTION OF LEGACY ISSUES

- Persuaded the PSHM Association, AIDS Control employees Association to call off their ongoing strike.
- Discussion held with Bus operator representatives to restore free bus services to students.
- Sanction accorded for release of Salary and pensions to Teaching and non teaching staff of Govt. aided Private schools that had been withheld on administrative grounds.
- Sanction was accorded for release of free ration for the left out period of 6 months to BPL card holders and for 4 months to APL card holders and 4 months
- Delegated with Financial powers, all proposals that required expenditure sanction / approval of L.G, were cleared till late night on 31st March 2021 ensuring booking of expenditure about 92% of Budget.
- Review Meetings held to revive closed down Public Distribution Fair Price Shops
- Review Meetings held to explore feasibility of revival of closed down Textile Mills / Sugar Factory etc.,

Award / Recognition recieved

- ***On the Occasion of International Women's Day Celebration, Hon'ble Lt. Governor Dr.Tamilisai Soundararajan was conferred with the Top-20 Global Women of Excellence - 2021 award***

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