

# DC Rajouri reviews progress on JJM projects, SBM works, status of Aadhaar enrollment

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RAJOURI: Deputy Commissioner Rajouri, Vikas Kundal on Tuesday chaired a meeting to review the progress of Jal Jeevan Mission (JJM) schemes and works executed under Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) in the district.

The meeting focused on the status of works undertaken so far and the progress made to provide access to safe drinking water and sanitation facilities in rural areas. During the meeting, the SE Hydraulics provided an update on the progress of the JJM schemes, stating that work on 105 schemes is in progress out of the 293 approved schemes.

The Deputy Commissioner stressed on the importance of timely completion of schemes and quality work for successful implementation of the JJM projects. He asked the concerned officers to work with added zeal and make dedicated efforts to ensure that the work on the JJM schemes is completed at the earliest.



DC Rajouri, Vikas Kundal chairing a meeting.

The meeting also discussed the progress of works under SBM, with an update on completed segregation sheds, door-to-door waste collection, and employment provided under door to door collection.

It was informed that the work on 176 segregation sheds has been completed and door-to-door waste collection is in place, and 312 persons have been provided employment under door to door collection. Additionally, 150 CSCs have also been completed.

The Deputy Commissioner also stressed the importance of proper supervision for the successful imple-

mentation of SBM works to ensure that the rural population benefits from access to clean and hygienic surroundings.

Officers who attended the meeting were CPO Mohammad Khurshid; SE Hydraulics, Bhram Jyoti Sharma and Assistant Commissioner Panchayat Sheraz Chowhan.

DC also chaired a meeting to review the status of Aadhaar enrollment and the progress achieved so far in the district. Sanjeev Mahajan, Director UIDAI Chandigarh also attended the meeting through video conference.

In the meeting, the Deputy Commissioner sought a detailed report on all aspects of Aadhaar enrollment with main focus on enrollment of the 0 to 5 year age group. The meeting was apprised that 58.01 percent achievement has been recorded regarding Aadhaar enrollment of 0 to 05 years age group. Similarly, the DC also reviewed the progress achieved under Aadhaar enrollment in other age groups including 05 to 18 years and 18 years above.

The Director UIDAI Chandigarh, Sanjeev Mahajan also provided valuable suggestions to the concerned stakeholders for achieving hundred percent Aadhaar enrollment in the district. He urged the officers to work with added zeal to achieve the desired results at the earliest.

Officers who attended the meeting were ASP, Vivek Shekhar; DSEO, Sandeep Sharma; LDM, Sanjeev Bhasin; CDPO Rajouri, Naseer Ahmed and Project Manager CSC e Governance, Shahid.

# GLDM GDC Hiranagar organises counseling session on career opportunities

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HIRANAGAR: Department of Hindi Girdhari Lal Dogra Memorial Govt. Degree College Hiranagar organized a counseling session on career opportunities for the students of the college. The discussion related to career after graduation and academic versus professional programs were also at the focus of the session.

The Guest Speaker for the session was Divay Mahajan, who is Territory Manager Sunstone Eduversity Gurgaon. Diksha Managing Director and Nighat from College carrier 360 also accompanied the guest speaker.

In the interactive session Divay, the guest speaker deliberated in detail upon the different options



Resource person, faculty along with students during the event.

which the outgoing students are going to have after graduation. The opportunity in different university and the methodology by which one has to choose a field after graduation was also deliberated upon by the speaker. Students were encouraged by citing the references of many renowned people who in spite of having humble background were able to touch the pinnacle of success. The different scholarship schemes which are there to aid and support the needy students were also discussed in detail. Earlier the programme began with the welcome address by Prof. Kiran Thapa, Assistant Professor in the Department of Education. The whole programme was

organized under the guidance and support of Dr. Pragya Khanna, The Principal of the College. The Principal appreciated the efforts of the organizers in planning and executing a session for the benefit and interest of the students. The session was attended by more than 70 students of semester 6 th of the college. The faculty members who witnessed the session were Prof. Rakesh Sharma, Dr. Jyoti Rani, Prof. Kiran Thapa, Prof. Neha Bhagat, Vikram Jamwal, Dr. Bharat Bhushan, Dr. Mukesh Kumar, Dr. Ravinder Singh and others. The programme ended with the formal vote of thanks presented by Dr. Arun Kumar, Head Department of Sociology.

# GDC Kathua organises cleanliness drive under Swacch Bharat Mission



NSS volunteers collecting garbage.

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KATHUA: In continuation to its activities under Swacch Bharat Abhiyan, NSS volunteers of Government Degree

College Kathua on Tuesday organised cleanliness drive in premises of the college areas.

Volunteers collected the plastic wastes, polythene and other wastes from these spots. Volunteers also uprooted the unwanted plants and wild bushes from the parks and other areas.

They also interacted with students of Chemistry Department and appealed them to maintain cleanliness in front and back yard of the chemistry department. Volunteers also interacted with the students who were sitting in and around the canteen and appealed them to avoid single use plastic and polythene in their day to day life and adopt use of jute bag and other decompose materials for their daily use. Collected waste was later on disposed off in a proper place.

Campaign was organised under the patronage of Principal Prof Seema Mir and supervised by NSS Program officers Prof Manmohan Singh and Dr Suresh Sharma.

# Bhadarwah gears up to host 3-day Baisakhi Festival from April 13

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BHADARWAH: The Bhadervah Valley has geared up to host a scintillating 3-day festival here from April 13 to April 15 to mark the celebration of Baisakhi.

In this regard, a meeting of officers of line departments, PRIs and religious organisations was convened by Additional District Commissioner Chowdhary Dilmir here in his office chambers.

The meeting was attended by ASP, DFO, SDPO, BDO, PRIs of some panchayats and members of Mandir committees and Langer committees.

Threadbare discussion was held regarding Celebration of the Festival in the periphery of Bhadarwah. It was informed that Baisakhi mela shall begin

from Subar Dhar on 13th April where government departments put up stalls to showcase their schemes along with amusement activities for the participants. On April 14 the functions shall be held at Thuba and Gutassa. Nagni Mandir Manthala and Vasuki Nag Mandir Gatha shall host the programme on 15th April 2023. Security arrangements, arrangements for drinking water at venues, uninterrupted power supply, medical facilities were finalized. Emphasis was laid on the cleanliness of the venues where dustbins shall be installed by the Departments of BDA and RIDD. At the end of the programme Safai Abhiyan shall be held at the venues to make the area pollution free and environment friendly" they

added.

The ADC sought cooperation from the Mandir Committees and the Langer Committees for keeping the atmosphere neat and clean in and around the venues.

# SSP Kathua holds meeting with retired police officers

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KATHUA: The retired police personnel of District Kathua on Tuesday met SSP Kathua Shivdeep Singh Jamwal at conference Hall District Police Line Kathua in view of their grievances and other issues of personal importance .The meeting was chaired by SSP Kathua Shivdeep Singh Jamwal. During the meeting all the 28 members (retired Police officers) including Retd. SSP Ajit Lal Dogra, Retd. SP Sardar Khan, Retd. SP Kailash Chander, Retd. DySP Madan Lal Sharma, Retd. DySP Daljeet Singh,



SSP Kathua Shivdeep Singh Jamwal along with retired cops after the meeting.

Retd. DySP. Ram Krishan. Retd. DySP Anchal Dass, Retd. SI Pritam Singh, Retd. SI Sohan Lal, Retd. SI Ganesh Chander, Retd. SI Rashpaul Singh and others of the district participated. The participants

were assured by SSP Kathua that Kathua police is always with you to address your genuine grievances.

He also stated that they are still part of the Police organization and can approach any Police offi-

cer or Police Unit at any time.

During the meeting, the retired officers raised various issues of their personal importance i.e an office for Retired Police Personnel, Regular Medical Check up to be

conducted by the J&K Police department from time to time, Retired Police officers raised various concerns over the lack of invites to Superannuation Ceremonies and Thana Diwas/PCPG Meetings as well as other police functions. SSP Kathua assured them that their genuine issues and problems would be taken up at an appropriate level for their early redressal.

The meeting concluded with the vote of thanks and with the assurance that such meetings will be held in future also to redress the grievances of the retirees.

# Bhagwat Saptah concludes with religious fervour at Gyan Ganga Math Sunderbani

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SUNDERBANI: A week-long "Shrimadbhagwat Tatva Gyan Yagya" (Bhagwat Katha) was culminated at Gyan Ganga Math, Sunderbani with full zeal, religious fervour and gaiety. Scores of devotees from surrounding areas gathered during the seven days programme to listen to the divine acts of lord Krishna and true meaning behinds his divine acts. The programme was commenced on 1st of this month and concluded on 11th of April under the supervision of His Holiness Atal Pithadishwar Shri Shri 1008 Rajguru Acharya Mahamandleshwar Shri Swami Vishwatmanand Saraswati ji Maharaj



Religious scholars during the concluding ceremony of Bhagwat Saptah at Suderbani.

along with this, Maa Bhagwati Jagdamba Murti Sthapna Diwas were also organized in the ashram during the eleven days long programme

It is pertinent to mention here that three days "Virat Sant Sammelan" was also organized on 9th, 10th and 11th of April at Gyan Ganga Ashram Sunderbani in which HH Mahamandleshwar and Acharyas gave religious discourses on various aspects like importance of Dharma, Bhakti and Vedas in everyone's life. The saints also threw light on the life of Shri Swami Vishwatmanand Saraswati ji Maharaj for their contribution in spreading knowledge to everyone by establishing various educational institutions, including SanskritMahavidyalaya,

in different parts of J&K.

The divine personalities came from different parts of India and became a part of this viraat sant sammelan were Mahanirvani Pethadishwar HH Acharya Mahamandleshwar Rajguru Swami Shree Vishokanand Bharti ji Maharaj from Bikaner, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Anand Chetan ji from Haridwar, Former Niranjani Pethadishwar HH Swami Punyanandgiri from Delhi, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Shyam Chetanji from Vrindavan, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Aatmanand puriji from Punjab, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Vishveshvaranandji from Rohtak, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami

Chidambarnand Saraswati ji from Mumbai, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Shiv Chetanya Saraswati ji from Ambala, HH Mahamandleshwar

Swami Devendranand Giri ji from Rajouri, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Akshranand Giri ji from Jammu, HH Mahamandleshwar Swami Ashutoshanandji from Varanasi, HH Mahant Vishnu Giri ji from Maharashtra, Shri Mahant Nirmal Akhara Swami Gyan Dev Singh ji from Punjab and others.Mr.Ravindra Raina, BJP J&K UT President, Mr.Jugal Kishore Sharma, MP officials from police department and representatives from various social and religious organisations graced the occasion.

# DPAP Spokesperson writes to Priyanka Gandhi over Mir Jaffer's remarks

■ STATE TIMES NEWS


KISHTWAR: Thakur Randeep Bhandari, the Spokesperson for DPAP in J&K, has written a letter to Priyanka Gandhi Vadra, bringing to her attention recent remarks made during an emotional speech at Raj Ghat.

In the letter, Bhandari reminds Gandhi of the contributions made by her family to the country, while also pointing out that a member of her party, Jai Ram Ramesh,

had previously used similar language to describe Ghulam Nabi Azad.

Bhandari stated that while the comments made by BJP are condemnable, it is important to hold all political leaders accountable for their words and actions.

He suggests that as an ethical individual, it would have been appropriate for Gandhi to advise her party member to refrain from using such language.



**Union Territory of Jammu & Kashmir**  
**OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER**  
**PWD (R&B) UDHAMPUR- REASI CIRCLE UDHAMPUR**  
**NOTICE INVITING TENDERS**  
**NIT No. 03 of 2023-24 Dated 08/04/2023 (e-tendering)**

For and on behalf of the **Lieutenant Governor, Union Territory of Jammu and Kashmir** e-tenders are invited on **Percentage rate** from approved and eligible Contractors registered with Union Territory of J&K, CPWD, Railways and other State/ Central Governments for each of the following works :-

S. No	Name of Work	Advertised Cost (Rs. in Lacs)	Construct ion Part	Maintena nce Part	Total Cost	Cost of document (in Rs.₹)	Earnest Money (in Rs.₹)	Time Allowed for complete -on	Time and date of opening of tender	Class of Contractor
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	
1	Construction of road from Sundrani to Dhanoo via Nambie Thawal Mohra ( Length-1.75 Kms) under NABARD	379.54	37.95	417.50	6000	2% of advertised cost)	36 Months	(1400 Hrs) on or after 28/04/2023	"A" Class	

**Position of AAA** :-Accorded

**Position of T.S** :-Accorded

**Major Head of Account** :-Under NABARD RIDF-XXVIII

The Bidding documents Consisting of qualifying information, eligibility criteria, specifications, Drawings, bill of quantities (B.O.Q), Set of terms and conditions of contract and other details can be seen/downloaded from the departmental website <http://jktenders.gov.in> as per below schedule :

1	Date of Issue of Tender Notice	08/04/2023
2	Period of downloading of bidding documents	From 08/04/2023 to 27/04/2023 1800 Hrs
3	Date, Time and place of pre-bid meeting	20/04/2023 at 1200 Hrs. in the Office of Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Reasi-Udhampur , Circle Udhampur.
4	Bid submission Start Date	08/04/2023 from 1500 Hrs.
5	Bid Submission End Date	27/04/2023 1800 Hrs
6	Date & time of opening of Technical Bids (Online)	28/04/2023 on or after 1400 Hrs in the Office of Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Reasi-Udhampur , Circle Udhampur.
7	Date & time of opening of Financial Bids (Online)	To be notified after technical bid evaluation is completed

1.

Bids must be accompanied with cost of Tender document in shape of e-challan through Treasury indicating Treasury Voucher No. & date, e-NIT No. and name of work duly crediting to 0059 (Revenue) favoring Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Udhampur - Reasi Circle Udhampur and upload the same i.e treasury challan/receipt, Earnest money/Bid security in shape of CDR/FDR/BG pledged to in the Office of Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Reasi-Udhampur , Circle Udhampur. The CDR/FDR/BG shall be valid for 45 Days beyond the bid validity period. The original instruments in respect of cost of documents, EMD and relevant documents of LI be submitted to the Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Reasi-Udhampur , Circle Udhampur. at the time of allotment.

2.

The electronic bidding system would not allow any late submission of bids after due date and time as per server time. Bidders may modify their bids by uploading their request for modification before the deadline for submission of bids. For this, the bidder needs not to make any additional payment towards the cost of tender document. For bid modification and consequential re-submission, the bidder is not required to withdraw his bid submitted earlier. The last modified bid submitted by the bidder within the bid submission time shall be considered as the bid. For this purpose, modification/withdrawal by other means will not be accepted. In online system of bid submission, the modification and consequential- submission of bids is allowed any number of times. The bidders may withdraw his bid by uploading their request before the deadline for submission of bids; however, if the bid is withdrawn, the re-submission of the bid is not allowed. No bid shall be modified or withdrawn after the deadline of submission of bids.

3.

The date and time of opening of Financial-Bids shall be notified on Web Site [www.jktenders.gov.in](http://www.jktenders.gov.in) and conveyed to the bidders automatically through an e-mail message on their e-mail address. The **Financial-bids of responsive bidders** shall be opened online in the Office of Superintending Engineer, PWD (R&B) Reasi-Udhampur , Circle Udhampur. The date for same shall be intimated separately.

4.

The bids for the work shall remain **valid for a period of 120 days from the date of opening of Technical bids.**

5.

**The earnest money shall be forfeited, if :-**  
a) Any bidder/tenderer withdraws his bid/tender during the period of bid validity or makes any modifications in the terms and conditions of the bid.  
b) Failure of Successful bidder to furnish the required performance security within specified time period after issue of letter of acceptance.  
c) Failure of successful bidder to execute the agreement on same day of allotment of work contract as per Chief Engineer PW (R&B) Department Jammu's Circular No. CEJ/G/12660-87 dated 07-10-2021.

6.

**Instruction to bidders regarding e-tendering process.**  
6.1 Bidders are advised to download bid submission manual from the "Downloads" option as well as from "Bidders Manual Kit" on website [www.jktenders.gov.in](http://www.jktenders.gov.in) to acquaint bid submission process.  
6.2 To participate in bidding process, bidders have to get 'Digital Signature Certificate (DSC)' as per Information Technology Act-2000. Bidders can get digital certificate from any approved vendors.  
6.3 The bidders have to submit their bids online in electronic format with digital Signature. No financial bid will be accepted in physical form.  
6.4 Bids will be opened online as per time schedule mentioned above.  
6.5 Bidders must ensure to upload scanned copy of all necessary documents mentioned in NIT and SBD with technical bid online.

No:-SEU/2023-24/313-30

Dated: 08/04/2023

**DIP/J-222/23**

**Dated:- 11/04/2023**

SD/-

(**ER. KISHORE KUMAR**)

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