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Onset of Monsoon in the month of June and July triggers the city towards activities for combating water logging and health hazards due to rains. CMC gears up with disilting work, cleaning of drains, bush cutting and maintenance of hygiene. Series of meetings at the highest level is taken up for proper coordination of the stakeholders.

As the month of August & September approach, festivity in the air is evident. The staff engage themselves for preparation to celebrate the local self-government day. Various competition for school students are conducted. Besides preparation for cultural programme, inauguration and laying of foundation stones for new projects forms the agenda.

The months also marked inauguration of Gourishankar park and Saheed park Cuttack.

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Faecal Sludge and Septage Management

Sixth City Sanitation Task Force meeting:

The sixth CSTF meeting was conducted on 5th July 2018 at Mayor’s conference hall, Biju Bhawan under the chairmanship of Additional Commissioner-II. The CSTF members were present and discussed various issues. TSU-FSSM facilitated the meeting. Key decisions were circulated to the members via minutes of the meeting.

Wall Painting on FSSM:

In order to create awareness among city dwellers on FSSM, TSU is being deploying various medium to create awareness. One among the IEC strategies is the wall painting on FSSM in various prominent places in Cuttack City.

Orientation of Mahila Aarogya Samiti Members on FSSM:

TSU-FSSM has been trying to create a cadre of FSSM champions in the cities in Odisha. The FSSM champions would spread the messages of FSSM in their communities and households. Mahila Arogya Samiti are the most active committees at the ward level wherein, they spread messages of sanitation in the communities. Tapping their potential to spread the messages of FSSM is the best intervention in cities. In this regard, TSU-FSSM oriented the MAS members at ward level on FSSM. The respective COs in coordinating with the Corporator organized the program and TSU-FSSM representative provided the training. The response to the training was very fruitful and opened gates for future intervention on FSSM at community.
Celebration of Local Self Govt. Day 2018

Local Self-government day has been celebrated on 31.08.2018 in the presence of Hon’ble MP, MLA, Finance Minister, Mayor, Deputy Mayor & Commissioner.
UNDP

Training of Biju Yuva Vahini

UNDP-USAID-CMC conducted the Volunteers training of Biju YuvaVahini and Project staff on 27th & 28th August 2018 in the Conference Hall of Hotel Grand Residency, Cuttack at 10.30 am under the Chairmanship of Ms. Meenakshee Behera, Mayor, CMC and Sri Bikash Chandra Mohapatra, Commissioner. On the first day Volunteers from Ward No 1 to 30 and on the second day volunteers from Ward No 31 to 59 were trained on DRR-CCA in the urban DRR Perspectives. In this Consultation Sri Ajay Barik, Dy Mayor, Sri Ramesh Chandra Sai, Additional Commissioner, Dr. BiswaKalyanPattanaik, CDMO, Sri Prabodh Rout, Dist Emergency Officer, Ms. Nirupama Swain, SIO, Er. UmakantaGarnaik, City Engineer, Health Officer, ADMO, Secretary CMC, all Enginners,all health Staff and Consultants of CMC participated.

The Consultation was inaugurated by Mayor, CMC. After the brief self-introduction Ms. Sarita Dhanwar, Dy.Commissioner facilitated the inaugural session and gave key note on the objective of conducting the consultation. Sri Ajay Barik, Deputy Mayor shared his views regarding the preparedness planning and its benefits. Additional Commissioner, CMC gave focus on the Disaster Risk Reduction is an intelligent way to disaster management and reduction. Mayor in her speech focused on the responsibility sharing for effective disaster management. The resource Persons were also attended and trained the participants. Sri Meghanath Behera,BYV, SriPrasant Kumar Nayak,ODRAF/OSDMA, SriJyotiRanjanMohapatra,CivilDefence, Smt. Nirupama Swain,OAS and State Pollution Control Board joined the training on both days to enrich the participants on successful DRR-CCA.
Meeting on sharing of Concept Note on Waste Management through PPP in the 1st Floor Mini Conference Hall, Cuttack Municipal Corporation dated 23.08.2018 at 3.00 pm Under GoI-UNDP-Project UNDP initiates the PPP mode interventions in DRR. For the purpose the AWP 2017 has the budget provision to initiate PPP interventions with industries. The initial discussions with IMFA, Dalmia and other industries have been conducted. TERI organization has been engaged to prepare the Concept Note which is the major requirements for the engagement of Industries and CMC in PPP mode for disaster risk reduction. In the initial discussions waste management came up as an major development.

A meeting was conducted under the Chairmanship of Commissioner, CMC for the sharing of Concept Note on Waste Management through PPP conceptualized for IMFA and CMC interventions in the BSNL Colony nearer to Link Road. In the meeting Mayor, Additional Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner cum Nodal Officer, Secretary, Engineering Sections, Health Section, Slum improvement sections were also present. Sukanta Upadhaya and Manas Ranjan Basantia of IMFA joined the meeting. Ms. Suruchi Bhadwal and Sri Sourabha Manuja from TERI presented the whole concept Note to the participants. Commissioner, CMC advised the agency to discuss with IMFA regarding the clauses mentioned in the Project for the role clarity. Ms. Suruchi Bhadwal, TERI informed the forum regarding the next visit to IMFA on 24.08.2018. Mayor suggested that the proposal should be mutually agreeable.

TERI was requested to submit the revised proposal with CMC after necessary discussions with IMFA. The meeting was over with Vote of thanks to TERI, IMFA and CMC Staff.
**AMRUT**

**Gaurishankar Park, Cuttack Municipal Corporation**

1. **Name of the Project:** AMRUT/OD/Cuttack/PR/09
2. **Name of the State:** Odisha
3. **Name of the ULB:** Cuttack Municipal Corporation
4. **Date of Inauguration:** 6th July, 2018
5. **Approval SAAP year:** 2016-17

Inauguration by Hon’ble MP, MLA, MAYOR, Deputy Mayor, Corporator & all CMC Staffs
SaheedPark, Cuttack Municipal Corporation

1. Name of the Project:- AMRUT/OD/Cuttack/PR/13
2. Name of the State:- Odisha
3. Name of the ULBs:- Cuttack Municipal Corporation
4. Date of Inauguration :- 19th September, 2018
5. Approval SAAP year:- 2017-18

Inauguration by Hon’ble MP, MLA, MAYOR, Deputy Mayor, Corporator & all CMC Staffs