



## **JMC continues distribution of Dry Ration Kits in Slums.**

In its endeavour to reach out to the needy & in view of the prevailing situation arising due to outbreak of Covid-19 the JMC continued distribution of Dry Ration Kits to the needy and down trodden persons living in the slum areas in the areas viz Vivek Vihar, Basant Nagar in Paloura area & 03 slums near Jammu Darbar Bye Pass road within the limits of JMC. where about 200 no's of Dry Ration Kits comprising of essential commodities like wheat flour 5kg, Rice 5kg, Dal 1kg, Sugar 1kg, Edible Oil 1L, Salt 1kg, Onion 2kg, and Potatoes 2kg have been provided to the each family living there. The other locations shall also be covered in the continuous drives for distribution of Dry Ration kits in Slums within the limits of JMC.

The said distribution of Ration has been personally monitored by Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation Ms Avny Lavasa (IAS) alongwith Secretary & the teams have been entrusted to do the needful & ensure that it is given to the genuine families living in the slums.

Besides, the Jammu Municipal Corporation is undertaking spraying and fogging in all the areas in coordination with Fire Brigade, Jammu falling within the limits of JMC as per the roster on daily basis to stop spreading of COVID-19 and also to maintain proper sanitation and hygiene.





2<sup>nd</sup> April 2020

## **ROAD SWEEPING VACCUM MACHINE DEPLOYED BY JMC.**

In order to give further boost to the cleanliness drive & fight against Covid 19, Jammu Municipal Corporation conducted an extensive drive under the directions of Ms Avny Lavasa (IAS), Commissioner, JMC in National Highway Channi towards Sidhra bye pass . The drive has been started from Jammu Darbar in the presence of Ms Tinna Mahajan, Secretary JMC. During the drive, JMC deployed both men and machinery for clearing of huge dumps of garbage & waste including Construction and Demolition waste lying on main roads from Jammu Darbar to Sidra .

Apart from routine machinery, JMC today also deployed mechanical road sweeping vacuum cleaning machine for cleaning of main roads to remove all kinds of dirt and dust particles from the road surface & from curved grooves on the road side including parapets. The JMC utilized vacuum created by mechanical pumps of the sweeping machines for suction of dirt particles which help in minimising the human touch during sweeping of main roads in view of widespread of Covid 19'.

Further intensifying the fight against Corona Virus all the red zones viz. Sunjwan, Bhatindi, Gujjar Nagar, Bhawani Nagar, Janipur as well as today morning identified location viz. Kalika Colony, Gorkha Nagar upto Bahu Fort have been fumigated and sprayed. Moreover, dedicated teams have been made for cleanliness, spraying and fumigation at all designated quarantine centers, all Hospitals, Bus Stand alongwith the routine spraying in all the wards within the jurisdiction of Jammu Municipal Corporation for which machinery viz. Disinfector Sprinklers, Autos, Fogging machines, spray pumps, Motorized Portable sprayer alongwith 500 Ltr. Tank with chemical solution and Battery are being used.

The Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation further appealed to general public to maintain proper sanitation & also to go unsocial and not to come out of their homes so that spreading of corona virus is stopped, as without the help of citizens it is hard to achieve the desired results and to make Jammu free from Covid-19.





3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020



## **JMC continues distribution of Dry Ration Kits in Slums.**

In its endeavour to reach out to the needy & in view of the prevailing situation arising due to outbreak of Covid-19, the JMC continued distribution of Dry Ration Kits to needy and down trodden persons living in the slum areas viz. Poonch House, Talab Tillo and Christian Colony. The ration kits were provided to the residents of Poonch House in the building of Music and Fine Arts and ration kits were provided to the residents of Christian at Town Hall Complex, Jammu. where about 400 no's of Dry Ration Kits comprising of essential commodities like wheat flour 5kg, Rice 5kg, Dal 1kg, Sugar 1kg, Edible Oil 1L, Salt 1kg, Onion 2kg, and Potatoes 2kg have been provided to the each family living there. JMC has been continuously covering areas in its jurisdiction to provide free ration to people are distressed due to the lock down.

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4<sup>th</sup> April 2020



## **Commissioner directs for ensuring safety and security of front line workers**

In view of the current situation regarding possible spread of Covid 19, Jammu Municipal Corporation is taking measures to stop the spread of corona virus by giving special focus on sanitation of the entire city and intensive thermal fogging and spraying has been conducted to sanitize the atmosphere. Directions have been given to Health Officer, JMC to conduct spray of Sodium Hypo Solution in the all the areas falling within the limits of Jammu Municipal Corporation especially in red zone areas on war footing to keep check on spread of virus.

Besides, daily sanitization is also conducted in all the city hospitals of Jammu like Govt. Medical College, Bakshi Nagar, Sarwal Hospital, Gandhi Nagar Hospital, SMGS Hospital, CD Hospital, Super Specialty Hospital and all the Quarantine Centres etc. The special drives are being conducted in all the residential & commercial areas of Jammu City to keep control on spread of such virus.

As far as the security and safety of the front line workers is concerned, JMC has provided all kinds of safety equipments like Hand gloves, masks, hand sanitizers, soaps, goggles, gum boots and personal protective equipment gears (PPEG) to ensure their safety. The Commissioner, JMC is personally monitoring each and everything on ground and also focusing on the health and well being of the front line workers deployed for the purpose and Health Officer was directed to ensure proper utilization of PPEG by the front line workers.

Commissioner, JMC also appealed to the general public at large to avoid major gatherings in public places and make use of alcohol based hand sanitizers and masks as preventive measure to do away with this menace and also to extend their full cooperation to Jammu Municipal Corporation so that corona virus can be stopped from spreading.







5<sup>th</sup> April 2020



## **JMC installed Decontamination & Sanitizing Tunnel at GMC.**

Today Jammu Municipal Corporation has installed a Decontamination & Sanitizing Tunnel at Govt. Medical College, Jammu in view of the current situation regarding possible spread of Covid 19, to stop the spread of corona virus by disinfecting the visitors in presence of Mayor, JMC, Mr. Chander Mohan Gupta, Dy. Mayor, Ms. Purnima Sharma, Financial Commissioner, Health and Medical Education Department, Mr. Atal Dulloo (IAS), Principal Secretary, Housing & Urban Development Department, Mr. Dheeraj Gupta (IAS), Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation, Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS) and Principal, Govt. Medical College, Dr. Sunanda Raina. While entering the tunnel the disinfectant spray will shower on the visitors and will help to reduce the chances of spreading Corona Virus. Besides, the Disinfectant Tunnel will also be very helpful for Doctors and para medical staff, even stretchers, wheel chairs are also sanitized, as extra pipe has been fixed for disinfecting the medical equipments.

The Disinfectant Tunnel is made of galvanized iron pipes by using 32 MM and 24 MM more than 100 Kgs for stability and to create robust model. 1000 ltrs. tank used with heavy angle iron stand for stability, 06 must nozzles with expandable upon 18 nozzles as per requirement provision is already in place. Besides, water proof electric panel for easy management, iron sheets fabricated for extra protection against the unpredictable weather is also in place. Special flooring provision for sanitizing shoes soles and LED illumination has been provided especially for night.

The Commissioner, JMC stated that such kinds of Decontamination & Sanitizing Tunnels shall also be established at the entry points of all hospitals, quarantine centres, red zones and wherever required to minimizing the chances of spread of Corona Virus. She further added that it was very difficult to establish the Disinfect Tunnel due to lockdown, as the required material was not easily available but due to dedication and determined efforts of staff of JMC the said Disinfectant Tunnel is established at Govt. Medical College, Jammu.



The Commissioner further appealed to the Doctors, para medical staff and visitors of the GMC to use the Disinfectant Tunnel so that aim of preventing the spread of Corona Virus is achieved.



6<sup>th</sup> April 2020





## **Exclusive Sanitation Drives by JMC during lockdown.**

In the prevailing situation arising due to outbreak of Corona Virus pandemic, the team of JMC is putting extra effort to keep the city clean. The sanitation drive was started since 23 March 2020 and is continuing, where during the drive, JMC has covered various expansive areas, extended wards like Barnai, Sunjwan, the roads of Talab Tillo, Trikuta Nagar, National highway like Narwal highway Sidhra highway which was facing a problem of accumulation of garbage since years had been intensively cleared by the teams of sanitation. During the drive desilting has also been done in deep drains falling in these areas & huge dumps & garbage also removed so as to give clean, healthy atmosphere around & improved sanitation to the general public. Further on many chronic areas twin dustbins have been installed. Apart from daily/routine lifting of garbage from entire Jammu Municipal Corporation areas, more than 2000 tonnes of garbage/silt has also been collected & transported to the dumping site at Kot Bhalwal as a result of these drives. In addition simultaneous desilting had also been carried out on daily basis in Kunj Vihar sec 4 Nanak Nagar Landoi Choi nallah, Kabir Colony nallah and Talab Tillo nallah in which more than 4800 MT of silt has been removed till date.

Jammu Municipal Corporation deployed both men & machinery for special drive conducted on the directions of Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS), Commissioner & under overall supervision of Ms. Tinna Mahajan KAS, Secretary JMC. The deployment include 4 to 6 no JCB / 10 to 12 tippers/ 25 to 35 nallah labour & 100 to 150 SKCs on daily basis.

Besides above, today Jammu Municipal Corporation in coordination with Fire Brigade, Jammu and Agriculture Department have put four boom sprayers and two new mist sprayers into service for cleaning main roads like Asia road, Airport road, Fly over, Tawi bridges, Gandhi Nagar roads, Jewel roads, Indira Chowk, Ambphalla roads etc. to stop every possibility of spreading Corona Virus. JMC shall continue to undertake such sanitation drives by putting more men and machinery to maintain proper sanitation and hygiene during these days.



The Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation further appealed to the general public to maintain proper sanitation, as without the help of citizens it is hard to achieve the desired results and to make Jammu a clean city.

Among others Health Officer, MVO, CTO, field staff of Transport & Sanitation wing continue to put their best efforts during the drive.



7<sup>th</sup> April 2020



**JMC INSTALLED ONE MORE DECONTAMINATION TUNNEL AT GOVT. HOSPITAL GANDHI NAGAR, JAMMU AND ALSO ORGANIZE MEDICAL CAMP AT VALMIKI COLONY GANDHI NAGAR JAMMU IN ASSOCIATION WITH DIRECTORATE OF INDIAN SYSTEM OF MEDICINES.**

In continuing its fight against Covid-19 more aggressively, JMC as per the directions of Ms. Avny Lavasa, IAS Commissioner, JMC has installed one more disinfectant tunnel at Govt. Hospital Gandhi Nagar which has been declared as Covid Hospital by Health Deptt, Govt. of Jammu & Kashmir in the presence of Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta, Mayor JMC & Corporators of the adjoining areas.

Apart from sanitizing the incoming & outgoing persons from head to toe, the sanitizing tunnel has been equipped with features of efficient & closed design to avoid wastage, compact & portable design, advance mist spray system, extra mobile mist spray which can be used for sanitizing equipments & instrument including wheel chairs stretcher, LED lights for night usage. Sh. Chander Mohan, Mayor while speaking on the occasion stated that it was very difficult to establish the disinfect tunnel due to lockdown, as the required material was not easily available but due to dedication and determined efforts of staff of JMC the said disinfectant tunnel has been established at Govt. Hospital Gandhi Nagar.

Mayor JMC further stated that such kinds of Decontamination & Sanitizing Tunnels shall also be established at the entry points of all hospitals, quarantine centres, red zones and wherever required to minimize the chances of spread of corona. The Chairman Health & Sanitation Sh. Beldev Singh Boloria further appealed to the Doctors, Para Medical staff and visitors of the GMC to use the disinfectant tunnel so that aim of preventing the spread of corona virus is achieved. The step has been taken by JMC to ensure safety & protection of all the Doctor and paramedical staff who are working in tough conditions prevailing due to ongoing Covid-19 pandemic. The disinfection tunnel has been designed and fabricated in the JMC workshop by team lead by Talat Mehmood Khan, AEE (TPT) and Dharamveer Singh AE (w/shop). Dr. Shamim Mir Health Officer, JMC, Mr. D.L Bhagat M.S Govt. Hospital Gandhi Nagar, Perupkar Singh Dy. M.S,

including Medical Officer & Paramedical staffs of the hospital were present on during installation of tunnel.

Besides above, a medical camp was organized at Valmiki Colony Gandhi Nagar. The camp was organized in collaboration with the team of doctors deputed by Dr. Mohan Singh, Directorate of Indian System of Medicines. The team examined the SKCs residing in Valmiki Colony and provided the medicines to the needy free of cost. Dr. Shamim Mir, Health Officer, JMC checkup Mr. Sukhwant (SKC) who is recovering from injuries got earlier. Medicines were also provided to the said SKC. Sh. Mohit Gupta Executive Engineer JMC, Dr. Zaffar Iqbal, Veterinary Officer Dr. Sushil Sharma Municipal Veterinary Officer were also actively associated with the medical camp.

Sh. Rinku Gill, Representative on behalf of SKC welcomed the initiative taken by Jammu Municipal Corporation and Indian System of Medicines and also requested to organize such medical facilities for the Safaikaramcharies on regular intervals and also thanks the authorities of Jammu Municipal Corporation.



8th April 2020



## **JMC installed five more Decontamination & Sanitizing Tunnels at various locations in Jammu City.**

In its endeavour to fight against Covid-19 pandemic, on the directions of Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS), Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation has successfully installed five more disinfectant tunnels at various locations in Jammu city area these include Govt. Chest Disease Hospital Bakshi Nagar Jammu, Govt., Hospital Sarwal, Govt. Psychiatric Disease Hospital, Yatri Bhawan & JMC Town Hall Complex, Jammu so as to provide protection to the doctors, paramedical staff & health care workers /employees engaged in emergency services to fight against Covid 19 pandemic. This will also help in minimizing the chances of further spread & control of corona virus among the community.

In the days to come JMC will also install such tunnels on many other locations also where foot fall is quite high endangering further spread/transmission of the virus. Next target would be Red Zone area like , Bathindi naka opposite Wave Mall, Gorkhanagar, Narwal Mandi, Warehouse etc.

Commissioner, JMC also appealed the general public at large to avoid major gatherings in public places and make use of alcohol band sanitizers and masks as preventive measure to do away with this menace and also to extend their full cooperation to Jammu Municipal Corporation so that corona virus can be stopped from spreading.



11<sup>th</sup> April 2020



## **Process of feeding of stray cattles, dogs and other animals in and around the vicinity of Jammu City**

Continuing its pragmatic and forthcoming initiatives during the ensuing COVID-19 Pandemic, Jammu Municipal Corporation under the guidance of Hon'ble Mayor, JMC Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta and Hon'ble Deputy Mayor, JMC Adv. Purnima Sharma under the supervision of Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS) and executed by Municipal Veterinary Officer, Dr. Sushil Kumar Sharma has initiated the process of feeding of stray cattles, dogs and other animals in and around the vicinity of Jammu City. In such an initiative Commissioner JMC today personally visited the Narwal, Bye Pass, channi, Bahu Fort, Transport Nagar adjoining areas etc and insured the feeding of strays including cattle and stray dogs.

JMC is ensuring that no stray animal is left unfed and is daily providing green fodder sourced from R.S Pura and surrounding areas, Vegetable waste from Narwal Mandi to stray cattle in JMC limits. Besides this, stray dogs are also being fed biscuits and other food materials on daily basis. Fore bearing Public health in mind JMC is ensuring that the stray animals remain healthy to avoid any concomitant spread of any other zoonotic diseases, for which daily Health surveillance is being carried out in JMC limits under the guidance of Municipal Veterinary Officer. JMC has earlier also appealed to all the Jammuites and NGO's to ensure that stray animals are fed.



14<sup>th</sup> April 2020





## **JMC sprays one lac litre mixture of chemical daily.**

In continuing its fight against Covid-19 more aggressively, JMC is spraying 1,00,000 litres of sanitization chemical mixture daily by deploying about 1000 workers and 400 vehicles on job for sanitization, cleanliness, fumigation and door to door garbage collection from all the wards of Jammu Municipal Corporation. Besides, Decontamination and Sanitizing tunnels have been installed at all Govt hospitals viz. Govt. Medical College, Jammu, Gandhi Nagar Hospital, Sarwal Hospital, Psychiatric Hospital, Bakshi Nagar, Jammu, C&D Hospital, Maheshpura Chowk, Yatri Niwas, Bhagwati Nagar, all quarantine centres.

Commissioner JMC said that the Corporation has pressed into service its mechanized decontamination vehicles and special teams of workers for sanitization and cleanliness of places of public importance.

Around 1000 workers equipped with protective gear are carrying out decontamination and sanitation works besides 400 vehicles including tippers, loaders, compactors, dumpers, tankers from Fire Services, Boom Sprayer tractors from Agriculture Department and Tractor trailed Mist Blowers and other vehicles have been put into service for stop spreading of Covid-19.

Beside, sanitization drives are being undertaken by JMC on daily basis as per roster in all the 75 wards of Jammu Municipal Corporation for decontamination of all the areas falling within the jurisdiction of JMC.

In its endeavour to reach out to the needy & in view of the prevailing situation arising due to outbreak of Covid-19 the JMC continued distribution of Dry Ration Kits to the needy and down trodden persons living in the slum areas in the areas falling within the limits of JMC which comprising of essential commodities like wheat flour 10kg, Dal 1kg, Sugar 1kg, Edible Oil 1L, Salt 1kg have been provided to the each family living there.

As far as the security and safety of the front line workers is concerned, JMC has provided all kinds of safety equipments like Hand gloves, masks, hand sanitizers, soaps, goggles, gum boots and personal protective equipment gears (PPEG) to ensure their safety. The Commissioner, JMC is personally monitoring each and everything on ground and also focusing on the health and well being of the front line workers deployed for the purpose and Health Officer was directed to ensure proper utilization of PPE by the front line workers.

Commissioner, JMC also appealed to the general public at large to avoid major gatherings in public places and make use of alcohol based hand sanitizers and masks as preventive measure to do away with this menace and also to extend their full cooperation to Jammu Municipal Corporation so that corona virus can be stopped from spreading.







18<sup>th</sup> April 2020



## **JMC distributes Dry Ration Kits in Slums.**

In view of the prevailing situation arising due to outbreak of Covid-19, the Jammu Municipal Corporation besides undertaking sanitation spraying and fumigation drives also took steps to provide the dry ration kits to the needy and down trodden persons living in the slum areas within the limits of JMC and till date approximately 7500 dry ration kits have been distributed among the needy and down trodden persons living in different slums areas catering to almost 40000 souls. Dry Ration comprising of essential commodities have been provided to the each family living there. The remaining locations shall also be covered in the continuous drives for distribution of Dry Ration kits in Slums within the limits of JMC on daily basis.

The said distribution of Ration has been personally monitored by Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation Ms Avny Lavasa (IAS) alongwith Secretary, JMC Ms Tinna Mahajan (KAS), Deputy Director Planning Sandeep Sharma, Chief Enforcement Officer Rajesh Gupta, Enforcement Officer Kamni Kesar, Revenue Officer Sunil Kumar and Sanitation Officer Rajinder Kumar & subordinate staff of JMC.





22<sup>th</sup> April 2020





## **4000 Sanitizers donated to JMC through SIDCO.**

In view of the current situation regarding spread of Covid 19, Jammu Municipal Corporation is taking measures to stop the spreading of corona virus by giving special focus on sanitation of the entire city and intensive thermal fogging and spraying has been conducted to sanitize the atmosphere so that the chances of virus transmission to others can be minimized to the extent possible. JMC's Safaikaramcharies are at the forefront of this effort.

In view of this, many organizations are extending their helping hand to Jammu Municipal Corporation by donating soaps, hand sanitizers and masks etc. In this series, 4000 hand Sanitizers bottles were donated today to Jammu Municipal Corporation through Managing Director, SIDCO, Mr. Ravindra Kumar (IAS). The sanitizers were donated under Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) from Sanjay Mehra, Managing Director Naturis Cosmetics Pvt. Limited and Ramnish Sinah, General Manager, Coromandel International Limited.

On the initiative of MD SIDCO, the said companies came forward to extend their gratitude and support to the Municipal warriors fighting COVID-19 in Jammu.

Commissioner, JMC, Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS) extended thanks to the Organization for their donation in this crucial and tough time of Covid-19. She further appealed to the general public at large to avoid major gatherings in public places and make use of alcohol based sanitizers and masks as preventive measure to do away with this menace and also to extend their full cooperation to Jammu Municipal Corporation so that corona virus can be stopped from spreading.



29<sup>th</sup> April 2020





## **Morethan 10,000 MT of garbage/silt removed during lockdown**

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Besides above, Jammu Municipal Corporation in coordination with Fire Brigade, Jammu and Agriculture Department had put boom sprayers and new mist sprayers into service for cleaning all the main roads like Asia road, Airport road, Fly over, Tawi bridges, Gandhi Nagar roads, Jewel roads, Indira Chowk, Ambphalla roads etc. to stop every possibility of spreading Corona Virus. JMC shall continue to undertake such



sanitation drives by putting more men and machinery to maintain proper sanitation and hygiene in near future as well.

The Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation further appealed to the general public to maintain proper sanitation, as without the help of citizens it is hard to achieve the desired results and to make Jammu a clean city.



30<sup>th</sup> April 2020