Commissioner JMC, convened a meeting of Sanitation Wing

Commissioner JMC, Mr. Pankaj Magotra convened a review meeting of Sanitation Wing during the course of meeting he took various issues pertaining to sanitation of each ward of Jammu Municipal Corporation and directed the Health Officer to issue further instructions to his field staff to resolve sanitation issues on war footing basis.

He also pointed out that the graph of user charges is also on lower side and issued directions to gear up the collection of user charges and added that the facility of Door to Door collection of garbage will be started in every ward of the Corporation. He directed the Chief Transport Officer, JMC to fully coordinate with Health Wing by providing garbage lifting vehicles in time so that garbage is lifted properly. He asked Health Officer to issue notices to bulk waste generators who have not installed composter in their establishments.

He emphasized on checking of attendance of SKC's in each ward by the concerned Sanitary Supervisor so that proper sanitation is maintained within the limits of JMC. He further directed the Chief Transport Officer to get ready for quick reaction to deal with choking deep drains and nallahs during monsoon season.

Commissioner appealed the general public to extend their helping hands to JMC in maintaining the proper sanitation and not to throw the construction waste and polythene carry bags into nallahs as this is the main cause of choking of nallahs.

Among others Mr. Pardeep Singh, Joint Commissioner (A), Ms. Sunaina Sharma, Secretary, Dr. Saleem Khan, Health Officer, Mr. Talat Mehmood Khan, CTO, Sanitation Officers, Assistant Sanitation Officers, Transport Officer and Sanitary Inspectors etc. participated in the meeting.







2nd July 2019



Swachh Bharat Abhiyan drive by Jammu Municipal Corporation in collaboration with Indian oil Corporation.

Commissioner, JMC Mr. Pankaj Magotra initiated the special sanitation drive under the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan drive in collaboration with Indian Oil Corporation (IOC) from Narwal to Panama Chowk and Railway Station.

The people of the surrounding areas as well as shopkeepers were made aware about the mission of swacchh Bharat Abhiyan started by Hon'ble Prime Minister of India Mr. Narinder Modi on 2nd oct 2014. In which nearly 4237 cities participated and Indore was awarded 1st prize consecutive three years. This developed a deep sense among the listeners and they assured to do best to bring Jammu in to cleanest city of India.

After making them aware regarding the daily waste of their home and shops they were given two dustbins to collect kitchen waste in blue dustbin and dry or plastic waste in green dustbin. With the consent of people the dumpers are lifted and tempo service of JMC is provided to all the people of locality twice a day to put into segregated daily waste. The public perception was favouring such events and they determined to provide best service to keep clean Jammu.

They further demanded for a special website of JMC where they can upload all the pictures of their surroundings so that any person who will not obey the rule of the JMC in that case fine can be imposed on the defaulters.

Commissioner JMC apprised the gathering that an App of JMC is already existing, the people can upload pictures and file complaint on the said website. The prominent members who were present on the event as well as councilor of the ward appreciated JMC for this. The Councillor also requested people to deposit the routine collection in JMC Office for smooth cleaning.

Contribution of IOC is praiseworthily. They have provided Caps and T-Shirts and refreshments to all the participants. They determined to step again in other parts of Jammu such events with Jammu Municipal Corporation. Officers/Officials of IOC team appreciated the work done by JMC team for undertaking Swachh Bharat Abhiyan drive.



Among others Mr. H.S. Sohi, G.M, I.B (IOC), mr. Sanjeev Sharma Chief area Manager (IOC), Mr. A.K. Wazir, Chief Manager (IOC) Jammu alongwith JMC team members Dr. Saleem Khan, Health Officer JMC, Dr. Zaffaf Iqbal, Municipal Vetnary Officer JMC, Mr. Talat Mahmood Khan, Chief Transport officer, JMC, Mr. Jorawar Singh, were participated in the drive.





5th July 2019



JMC Removes unauthorised advertisement structures / hoardings

In order to curb the menace of unauthorised advertisements, the Jammu Municipal Corporation has launched an extensive drive against the unauthorised hoardings/structures erected to display the advertisements within the jurisdiction of Jammu Municipal Corporation. During the drive that started a few days back, the team constituted for the task have dismantled 12 nos. of such unauthorised hoardings/structures which were erected at different places like Panjthirthi, Gandhi Nagar, Trikuta Nagar, B.C. Road, Tope Sherkhania, Narwal, Sidhra, Roop Nagar, Shastri Nagar, Kunjwani etc. by pressing men & machinery into service. The removed structures were in violation of the provisions of J&K Municipal Corporation Act 2000.

Whereas, as per the J&K Municipal Corporation Act, 2000 no advertisement shall be erected, exhibited, fixed or retained upon or over any land, building, wall, boarding, frame, post or structure or upon any vehicle or shall be displayed in any manner, whatsoever in any place within the municipal area without the written permission of the Commissioner granted in accordance with bye-laws, made under the Act.

Whereas, as per the Advertisement Policy 2010 no person except licensed or registered advertisers or agencies is allowed to undertake the display of advertisement on behalf of others without prior permission of Commissioner.

Whereas the installation of such illegal hoardings / sign boards / posters / banners / bill boards defaces the property, buildings and walls of the city and are also constant threat to pedestrians and traffic safety.

Whereas, as per the Jammu & Kashmir Prevention of Defacement of Property Act, whoever defaces any property in public view by writing or marking with ink, chalk, paint or any material, except for the purpose of indicating the name & address of the owner or occupier of such property, shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three months or with fine which may extend to one thousand rupees or with both.



Whereas, the advertisement policy further provides that "Whenever any advertisement is displayed in contravention of section 116 of the J&K Municipal Act 2000, the same is actionable as per provisions of section 119 and 384 of the J&K Municipal Act 2000.

The Jammu Municipal Corporation appeals to all those who have erected, exhibited, fixed unauthorised advertisements either on their private buildings / on public spaces to remove and dismount all such advertisements and structures forthwith failing which the same shall be removed forthwith at the risk, cost and responsibility of violators and penal action as per the provisions of J&K Municipal Corporation Act, 2000 shall be initiated against them. The drive shall also continue in the coming days.





16th July 2019



JMC in Collaboration with various Social and Non-Government Organizations started a "Mega Plantation Drive" at B.C. road, Jammu by planting various medicinal, flowering and ornamental plants.

Jammu Municipal Corporation in collaboration with Urban Forestry, Jammu, State Forest Research Institute, Jammu, School Education Department and various Social and Non-Government Organizations such as Arogya Bharti, Disha Foundation & Nehru Yuva Kendra, NSS started a "Mega Plantation Drive" as a part of Govt. of India's "Jal Shakti Abhiyan" and as an initiative to preserve environmental resources. Hon'ble Mayor Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta, Dy. Mayor, Advocate Purnima Sharma, Chairperson, Sh. Jeet Angral, Councillors Sh. Amit Gupta, Sh. Narotam Sharma & Sh. Jagdish Kumar Sharma and Commissioner, JMC Sh. Pankaj Magotra inaugurated the Plantation drive at B.C. road, Jammu by planting various medicinal, flowering and ornamental plants in presence of Joint Commissioner (A), JMC, Sh. Pardeep Singh, Secretary, JMC, Smt. Sunaina Sharma, Asstt. Commissioner (R), JMC, Sh. Prem Singh, Joint Commissioner (W), Sh. Jaspal Singh and other senior officers and officials of Jammu Municipal Corporation.

After inaugurating the plantation drive at B.C road, Mayor, Deputy Mayor, Councillors of ward no. 2&3, Commissioner, JMC and other team members planted the trees at Panjthirthi area, Mubarakh Mandi, JMC Park, Mubarakh Mandi Complex, Peer Kho Mandir Garden Complex, Jhulaka Mohallah and Higher secondary School, Jhukala Mohallah, Jammu. Students, local residents and volunteers of various organizations evinced keen interest and actively participated in the drive.

The plantation will be conducted over a fortnight between 20-07-2019 to 03-08-2019 at different locations within the Jammu City. The basic idea of plantation drive is to restore and noticeably increase green cover in the city over next few years besides involving the citizens of Jammu in this Green and Clean Jammu initiative of the corporation.



Jammu Municipal Corporation appeals to all the citizens of Jammu City both young and old students and various Social and Non- Government Organizations to come forward and actively participate in the Mega Plantation drive to make the drive a great success.





20th July 2019

