

Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation chaired a meeting in the Conference Hall of JMC regarding redressal of issues of general public.

Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation, Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta today on 07.07.2020 chaired a meeting in the Conference Hall of JMC along with Dy. Mayor, Adv. Purnima Sharma, Commissioner, JMC Ms. AvnyLavasa, Chief Engineer(PDD) S. Gurmeet Singh, Chief Engineer(PHE), Sh. MuneeshBhat. Officers from JMC, PDD and PHE were also remained present in the meeting. Sh. MohitMahajan I/c JC(W) JMC, Sh.LS Jamwal (Xen)-Electric JMC , Sh. GulamRasool (Xen)- Div. I JMC, Sh. Arun Gupta (Xen)- Div. II JMC, Sh. Ashwani Gupta (Xen)- Div. III JMC, Sh. Sunil Sharma (Xen)- Div. IV JMC, Sh. Ashwani Seth (Xen), UEED JMC, Sh. Thakur Dass (Xen), ED I, Sh. P.D Singh (Xen), ED II, Sh. Neeraj Sharma, (Xen) ED III, RakeshMahajan (Xen) PHE, Sh. P.B. Suri (Xen) PHE, Sh. NareshKhajuria (S.E Urban Circle Jammu, Sh. R.K.Rakhwal (Xen) Mech. PHE also remained present in the meeting.

A threadbare discussion on the redressal of burning issues of general public were discussed and Mayor, JMC issued instructions to the Chief Engineer, PDD and Chief Engineer, PHE, that Xen's/ JE's under their control be directed to attend the phone calls of Hon'ble Councillors for public importance matter.

Mayor, JMC issued instructions to the Chief Engineer, PDD that damaged transformers be immediately replaced, schedule/ unscheduled cuts be brought to the notice of Mayor/ Deputy Mayor and concerned Councillor of the ward, all the transformers be properly fenced with chain link fencing, all the old/ defunct electric poles lying on the main roads be immediately removed, connection should be provided where cabling work has been completed, electric poles be installed/ shifted where roads has been widened due to mega projects, upgradation of electric transformers, load of the individual households be increased, cabling be started in the areas where there is no cable, approval of scope of work for the proposed retendering of supply, installation, testing and commissioning of high Mast light and allied electrical infrastructure for street lighting within JMC limits and proper cleanliness be maintained especially nearby

the installed transformers in the city as large quantity of garbage/ filth as well as China grass have been seen gathered in that particular area which is one of the reason of short circuit and damage to transformers.

Mayor, JMC also issued instructions to the Chief Engineer, PHE that leakages of water pipes be immediately plugged with proper lead instead of jute rope, bleaching powder/chlorine should be mixed with water supply to public to avoid any type of water borne diseases, water pipes passing through drains be replaced especially in old city areas, new tube wells be installed/constructed to cope up with shortage of drinking water, damaged/ defunct over head tank to be dismantled/removed, proper infrastructure/furniture be provided in the PHE offices/ tube well stations and damaged water pipes lying within the limits of JMC be replaced.

Chief Engineer, PDD and PHE assured the Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation that every possible steps to be taken for redressal of the genuine demands of the general public and necessary instructions be issued to the staff to take the issues of Councillors on priority basis.





7th July 2020

Press Release regarding PM Street Vendor's AtmaNirbharNidhi scheme

Hon'ble Mayor, JMC Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta accompanied by Hon'ble Deputy Mayor, JMC Adv. Purnima Sharma and Commissioner, Jammu municipal corporation Ms. AvnyLavasa (IAS), Chairman Social Justice Committee ShJeetLalAngral today held a press conference in the Conference Hall of JMC highlighting the work done by Jammu Municipal Corporation to combat the spread of COVID-19 pandemic including fogging/spraying, installation of disinfectant tunnels at various public places appealed the general public to maintain social distancing norms as the number of positive cases are increasing day by day. Hon'ble Mayor further stressed that as the government has increased the testing rate per day there is no need for panic but to take precautionary measures. He also appealed the street vendors to apply for working capital loan up to Rs 10,000 under PM Street Vendor's AtmaNirbharNidhi scheme recently announced by central government a special micro-credit facility for street vendors making street vendors self-reliant under AtmaNirbhar Bharat to be launched by Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor, J&K shortly. While highlighting the benefit of the micro-credit facility for street vendors announced by the Government of India Hon'ble Mayor said that street vendors represent a very important constituent of the urban informal economy and play a significant role in ensuring availability of the goods and services at affordable rates at the door-step of the city dwellers. They are known by different names like vendors, hawkers, thelewala, rehriwala etc. The COVID-19 pandemic and consequent lockdowns have adversely impacted the livelihoods of street vendors. They usually work with small capital base and might have consumed the same during the lockdown. Therefore, there is an urgent need to provide credit for working capital to street vendors to resume their business. JMC has started a mega drive To identify all those street vendors who could not get themselves registered till date and it is a golden opportunity to get them covered under ongoing survey through concerned area Sanitation Officer/Sanitary Inspector/Sanitary Supervisor/officials designated for the same. The registered street





vendors can avail the facility of capital loan under PM SVA Nidhi by going to the nearest bank where they can apply manually or can opt for online application on PM SVA Nidhi website.



16th July 2020

JMC launched an intensive drive to remove the illegal hoardings & banners from various main roads, on the rooftop of various buildings of city.

JMC has launched an intensive drive from today which will continue for one whole month to remove the illegal hoardings & banners from various main roads, on the rooftop of various buildings of city and from the pole kiosks across the city. This drive has been launched in association with the District Administration.

The team was headed by Secretary JMC, Ms. TinnaMahajan under the overall supervision of Commissioner, JMC, Ms. AvanyLavasa, where the team today cleared Panjtirthi area: From Dohuntly Bazar to ChowkChabutra, PaccaDanga: From ChowkChabutra to Parade via Moti Bazar, Rani Park: From Rani Park to KachiChawani via Jain School, KachiChawani: From CPO Chowk to KachiChawaniChowkuptoRanbirLibarary. All these hoardings were installed without the permission of JMC.

The installation of such illegal hoardings, signboards, posters, banners & bill boards deface the property, buildings and walls of the city and are also constant threat to pedestrians and traffic safety. As per the advertisement, “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 with fine which may extent to Rs. 5000/- and with a further fine which may extend to Rs. 1000/- for every day during which the offence continues.”

The Jammu Municipal Corporation appeals to the general public to remove all such hoardings, sign boards, posters, banners, bill boards & pole kiosks installed illegally failing which action will be initiated against the offenders and further contravention of the same shall attract penalty against such defaulters.



16th July 2020

Mega plantation drive at different locations of Jammu City under “Clean and Green Jammu” as an initiative to procure environmental resources.

During the Monsoon season, Jammu Municipal Corporation in collaboration with Urban Forestry, State Forest Research Institute J&K Bank and Non-Government organizations today on 20.07.2020 started a mega plantation drive at different locations of Jammu City under “Clean and Green Jammu” as an initiative to procure environmental resources. The plantation drive was started from Panjthirthi area by the Mayor, JMC, Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta in presence of Dy. Mayor, Adv. Purnima Sharma, Councillor, Sh. Rahul Kumar and Miss Bhanu Mahajan. The drive was started with the initiative of Commissioner, JMC, Ms. Avny Lavasa under the overall supervision of Secretary, JMC, Ms. Tinna Mahajan. During the drive Xen.(Div. III), Sh. Ashwani Kumar, AEE(Tpt.), Sh. Harvinder Singh, AEE and JE Div. III of JMC, officers/ officials of Horticulture Section and Health Section of JMC also remained present. Mayor, Dy. Mayor and Councillors started the plantation drive by planting various medicinal, flowering and ornamental plants at Panjthirthi, New Plot, Green Belt area of Gandhi Nagar and Gole Market area of Gandhi Nagar.

The Plantation will be conducted under “Clean & Green Jammu” drive over a month between 20.07.2020 to 13.08.2020 at different locations within the limits of Jammu Municipal Corporation. The basic idea of plantation drive is to restore and noticeably increases green cover in the city over next few years besides involving of the citizens of Jammu in this “Clean & Green Jammu” initiative of the Jammu Municipal Corporation.

Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation appeals to all the citizens of Jammu City to come forward and actively participate in the “Clean & Green Jammu” drive to make the drive a great success.



20th July 2020

Exclusive Sanitation Drive by JMC

Today in continuation to the drives undertaken by JMC for city beautification and face lifting, sanitation drive has been started and will continue for the next one month. During the drive desilting of drains/deep drains and Nallahs have been undertaken falling in different wards of JMC for maintaining clean, healthy atmosphere in ward no. 14, 19 & 38 from Asia Chowk to Bhagwati Nagar and Canal head, Jammu. 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 KotBhalwal as a result of this drive. In addition simultaneous desilting has also been carried out on daily basis different areas falling within the limits of JMC.

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 includes 4 to 6 no JCB / 10 to 12 tippers / 25 to 35 nallah labour & 100 to 150 SKCs on daily basis.

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 and it is a duty of every citizen to extend his helping hand to JMC for giving new look to Jammu city.

Besides, a meeting regarding beautification of Jammu City was also conducted by Commissioner, JMC in presence of Hon'ble Mayor, JMC, Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta wherein various issues with regard to sanitation drives, removal of illegal hoardings, installation of fountains in identified rotaries, plantation drive and lifting of C&D waste were discussed threadbare and directions were issued to concerned officers for undertaking activities relating to the same so that city can be given a proper face lift.



21st July 2020

Another Sanitation Drive by JMC

Today in continuation to the drives undertaken by JMC for city beautification and face lifting further sanitation drive has been started along the route Bhage-e-Bahu via Bawewali Mata Mandir to National Highway. During the drive desilting of drains/deep drains and Nallahs have been undertaken for maintaining clean, healthy atmosphere. In addition simultaneous desilting has also been carried out on daily basis different areas falling within the limits of JMC.

Further, regarding illegal hoarding, the team today cleared from Narwal Chowk to Sainik Colony both sides of Bye Pass road, ChanniHimmat from Ritz Hotel to Railway track via sector no. 1, 2 3 and 1A and back from Railway track to Bye pass road via sector no. 4,5,6 & 7, ChanniHimmat, Jammu. All these hoardings/structures were installed without the permission of JMC.

The Plantation drive today was also conducted under “Clean & Green Jammu” drive in all three zones covering six wards in number. The basic idea of plantation drive is to restore and noticeably increases green cover in the city over next few years besides involving of the citizens of Jammu in this “Clean & Green Jammu” initiative of the Jammu Municipal Corporation.

Jammu Municipal Corporation deployed both men & machinery for all drives conducted on the directions of Ms.AvnayLavasa (IAS), Commissioner & under overall supervision of Ms.TinnaMahajan KAS, Secretary JMC. The deployment included 2 JCBs /10 to 12 tippers/10 to 12 nallah labour & 100 to 150 SKCs ,Mallies, labour.During the drive Xen.(Div. III), Sh. Ashwani Kumar, Health Officer, AEE(Tpt.), Sh. Harvinder Singh, and officers/ officials of Horticulture Section and Health Section and Transport Section of JMC also remained present.

The Jammu Municipal Corporation appeals to the general public to remove all such hoardings, sign boards, posters, banners, bill boards & pole kiosks installed illegally failing which action will be initiated against the offenders and further contravention of the same shall attract penalty against such defaulters to maintain proper sanitation and to participate actively in “Clean & Green Jammu campaign”.



22nd July 2020





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On the directions of Commissioner Jammu Municipal Corporation Ms. Avny Lavasa (IAS) and under overall supervision of Secretary, JMC, Ms. Tinna Mahajan (KAS), a team of JMC, today conducted a drive in the area of Bikram chowk, green belt park, Gandhi Nagar where under illegal hoardings and banners from various main roads and on the rooftop of various buildings of city has been removed and also cleared huge hoarding structures mounted on the roof as well as ground. During the drive, JMC removed all the illegal hoardings which had been in place since years. All these hoardings were installed without the permission of JMC

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24th July 2020