

MPUDC Additional Managing Director Inspects Water Supply and Sewerage Projects in Mandu and Dharampuri



Additional Managing Director of Madhya Pradesh Urban Development Company (MPUDC), Mr. Divyank Singh, inspected the Asian Development Bank (ADB)-assisted Water Supply Project in the tourist town of Mandu. During the visit, he carried out a detailed review of all major project components, including the Overhead Tank (OHT) and Water Treatment Plant. On this occasion, Mr. Singh also participated in a plantation drive within the OHT premises as part of environmental conservation efforts. Following the inspection, Mr. Divyank Singh reviewed the water supply system with the Chairperson of the Municipal Council, councillors, and other officials.

Local public representatives informed him that the efficient operation of the project is helping the urban local body save nearly ₹12 lakh per month. Mr. Singh also inspected the

proposed sites for Geeta Bhavan and a parking facility and held discussions with officials of the Tourism Department. In addition, the Additional Managing Director reviewed the World Bank-assisted Dharampuri Sewerage Project.



He obtained information regarding trial testing of treated water at the Sewage Treatment Plant and observed the process for reuse of treated water. During the inspection, he directed officials to expedite the construction work of the Intermediate Pump Station in the Brahmpuri area. Senior officials present during the visit included EnC Mr. Anand Singh, Deputy Project Director (Administration) Mr. Rajeev Ranjan Pandey, Project Manager Mr. D.R. Lodhi, Deputy Project Manager Mr. Lalchand Kurethiya, along with other concerned officers.



MPUDC Launches Statewide Plantation Drive on World Environment Day

On the occasion of World Environment Day, Madhya Pradesh Urban Development Company, an undertaking of the Urban Development and Housing Department, carried out a large-scale plantation campaign across the state of Madhya Pradesh. The plantation drive was conducted across 134 water treatment plant campuses under water supply projects and 28 sewage treatment plant campuses under wastewater management projects, along with other project components operating under the company's 10 regional units.

As part of the campaign, fruit-bearing and shade-giving saplings such as mango, neem, kanji, banyan, and peepal were planted. Centered around the theme “One Tree in Mother’s Name,” the initiative aimed to promote environmental conservation while encouraging greater public awareness and sensitivity toward nature.

Acting on the directions of MPUDC Managing Director Sanket Bhondve, officers and employees across multiple project sites enthusiastically participated in the plantation activities. Public representatives from local

bodies and prominent citizens also joined the campaign, reaffirming their commitment to environmental protection.

During the program, participants renewed their pledge toward environment conservation, green development, and cleaner urban ecosystems.

Notably, MPUDC’s water supply and wastewater management projects continue to play a crucial role in improving urban sanitation, safe drinking water access, and environmental sustainability across cities in Madhya Pradesh.





Safety, Health and Public Welfare Activities Intensified Across MPUDC Projects During the First Fortnight of June

Madhya Pradesh Urban Development Company (MPUDC) organized several important initiatives across its various projects in the state during the first fortnight of June, with a strong focus on worker safety, health awareness, and public welfare.

At New Ramnagar, MPUDC's Rewa unit conducted a safety awareness session for workers. The session covered accident reporting, incident management, and awareness about near-miss events. Detailed discussions were also held on the mandatory use of PPE kits and the importance of immediately reporting unsafe conditions at the workplace.

In Sheopur, workers were sensitized about stress management and essential precautions to be taken while working in extreme heat conditions. They were advised to stay hydrated, protect themselves from direct sunlight, take regular breaks, and remain alert to health-related issues. As part of the initiative, a Safety Walkdown was also conducted at the Sundarpur OHT premises.. During the walkdown, safety standards at the worksite were reviewed, with emphasis on promoting a strong safety culture.

Under the Integrated Urban Development Project, a public welfare camp was organized by MPUDC contractor M/s Standard Infra for the sewer project at Khurai Municipal Council. During the camp, 10 air coolers were donated, which will be installed at various public places in the town to provide relief to citizens during the summer.



Meanwhile, in Harpalpur, workers were specially educated on preventive measures against heatstroke. They were advised to drink water at regular intervals during work, while the contractor ensured adequate arrangements of glucose and clean drinking water at the worksite. These initiatives by MPUDC reflect its commitment not only to effective project execution but also to giving equal priority to worker safety, health, and public welfare.