Promoting Fecal Sludge and Septage Management in Tamil Nadu:

Introduction

A one-day Orientation cum Training Programme for Promoting Fecal Sludge and Septage Management, is targeted at Officers working in ULB and selected Utilities. This programme will draw upon international and national examples and experiences, dwell upon developments in the State and regional levels, and help participants understand the operational/practical aspects of planning, implementing and monitoring the elements of full chain of urban sanitation, especially focusing on Fecal Sludge and Septage Management (FSSM) as comprehensive solutions for small and medium towns, and complementary solutions for larger urban areas.

Learning Objectives

- 1. To create awareness on the policies/guidelines and practices about FSSM from international best practices and experiments in India and TN (incl. Operative Guidelines).
- To enable participants to discuss the key issues and constraints in prioritizing and promoting solutions and innovations for urban sanitation in TN, and help develop recommendations.
- 3. To help participants to develop action plans at regional levels focusing on identified ULBs.

Request for Nominations

In view of the future roles in implementation, the following levels/type of participants are proposed for nominations:

- a) Assistant Commissioners (Ariyamangalam, Srirangam, K.Abhisehkhapuram, Ponmalai)
- b) City Engineer
- c) Executive Engineer (East & West)
- d) Assistant Executive Engineers (Ariyamangalam, Srirangam, K.Abhisehkhapuram, Ponmalai)
- e) Assistant Executive Engineers (Planning) 2
- f) Assistant Executive Engineer (Mechanical)
- g) City Health Officer
- h) Senior Officers from Health Department

Proposed Program Dates: 16 March 2018

Venue: To be decided

FSM Orientation for TCC Officers

Venue: Hera Hall, Hotel Le Temps Fort, Trichy Date: March 16, 2018

Programme Schedule for One day

Time	Duration	Topic	Facilitators
Day 1	•		
9.30 am	9.45 am	Registration	
9.45 am	10.00 am	Welcome Address	
10.00 am	10.30 am	Lighting of the Lamp Commissioner address on <i>Muzhu</i> <i>Sugadharam</i>	Commissioner, Trichy
10:30 am	10:45 am	Advocacy film on septage management	
Tea Break (10.45 am to 11.00 am)			
11.00 am	11.45 am	Introduction and Overview of FSSM - Overview of Urban Sanitation and full-cycle of Sanitation SFD Activity	Rajiv & Santosh
11.45 am	12.30 pm	International Experiences and discussion - Malaysia Experience - Presentation - Philippines FSM Experience presentation - Open discussion	Presentation by ULB officers who have travelled to Malaysia (Tmt. S Amuthavalli and Thiru S. Kannan, Rajesh)
12.30 pm	1.00 pm	Orientation to TN Septage Management Operative Guidelines	Santosh
Lunch Break (1.00pm to 2.00 pm)			
2.00 pm	3.30 pm	Group Work - Recommendations and solutions to problems and issues in Urban Sanitation in Trichy followed by group presentations to the plenary.	Rajesh & Santosh
3.30 pm	4.00 pm	Key findings from TNUSSP – Trichy Phase 1 and presentation on CWIS	Rajesh
Tea Break (4.00 pm to 4.15 pm)			
4.15 pm	4.45 pm	Discussion on the next steps and follow up	Santosh
4.45 pm		Conclusion and wrap up	
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