

Destination Tripura Investment Summit 2021 from December 9-10

Two-day Destination Tripura Investment Summit 2021 organized by industries and commerce department, Government of Tripura in association with Indian Chamber of Commerce and Investment India will be opening tomorrow at Pragna Bhavan. The summit aims at promoting investment in prospective sectors in the state. Interested investors of the state and outside states will participate in the summit. Chief minister Biplab Kumar Deb will inaugurate the summit on December 9 at 9:30 am. Rubber, food processing, agriculture, horticulture, tea, bamboo, handloom, tourism, Information Technology and higher education sector will be the thrust areas to be discussed in the summit at hall no-2 and 3 of Pragna Bhavan. B2B and B2G discussion will be held at hall no-4 of Pragna Bhavan.

Oath taking of newly elected AMC members: Dipak Majumder elected new Mayor

Agartala Municipal Council's 51 newly elected Councillors, Mayors, Deputy Mayor, Mayor-In-Council took their oaths today at Rabindra Shatabarshiki Bhawan.

West Tripura district magistrate & collector Debapriya Bardhan administered the oath taking of the newly elected AMC members. After the oath taking ceremony, a meeting was held. Dipak Majumder was elected as the Mayor and Monica Das Dutta was elected as deputy Mayor without any opposition in the meeting. Apart from that, Jagdish Das, Sampa Sarkar Sen, Hiralal Debnath, Himani Debbarma, Tushar Kanti Bhattacharjee, Bapi Das, Uday Bhaskar Chakraborty and Harisadhan Debnath were elected as Mayor-In-Council. Secretary of Urban Development department Kiran Gitte administered their oath taking.



After the oath taking ceremony, chief minister Biplab Kumar Deb said, government is working earnestly for the overall development of Agartala Municipal areas. The government is also sincere towards providing state-of-the-art

services in the municipal and urban areas. The chief minister hoped that the newly elected members of Agartala Municipal Council will play a responsible role in providing state-of-the-art services in the municipal area and in making Agartala a smart city. He said, the municipal area will be benefitted through proper implementation of the development programmes adopted by the government. The Chief Minister, with due respect to the problems of the people of municipal area, advised the newly elected members to work sincerely to solve the problems. He advised to rise above all boundaries and work for the welfare of the citizens of all sections. He hoped that Agartala Municipal Council would set a benchmark in ensuring improved civic services as a mark of respect to the responsibilities entrusted to it by the people.

Deputy chief minister Jishnu Dev Varma in the programme said, only public has the last say in Democracy. People of Tripura want peace, prosperity and development. The public believes in the policy of Sabka Sath, Sabka Vishwas. There is no financial scarcity and there had been never. There was only lack of good will. Even during the Covid-19 situation, the state government went beyond its means and worked for the welfare of the people of the state. Newly elected Mayor Dipak Majumder said, promises made during the election

of municipal bodies will be fulfilled. Elected members will work from day one to solve various problems of Agartala Municipal Council with the support of state and central government. He urged everyone to forget the old work culture and start a new venture for the development of the Municipal Council. Other dignitaries present in the programme were speaker of Tripura Legislative Assembly Ratan Chakraborty, education minister Ratan Lal Nath, minister of cooperation Ram Prasad Pal, socialist Dr. Manik Saha and former Mayor of AMC Dr. Prafullajit Sinha.

**Pradhan Mantri Krishi Samman Nidhi:
420 farmers benefitted in Laljuri block**

420 farmers have benefitted under Pradhan Mantri Krishi Samman Nidhi in Laljuri block during the current financial year till now. Rs 6000 in three installments will be provided to the beneficiaries. Subdivisional agriculture and farmers' welfare office has informed this.

**Target to construct 18,166 houses in
Dhalai district under PMAY**

Target has been set for construction of 18,166 houses in Dhalai district under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana during the current financial year. Among these, permission for construction of 17, 443 houses has already been received till now.

Rs 48000 of 1st installment has been provided to 14707 families of the district for construction of house. Total 70 crore 88 lakh 96 thousand rupees has been provided to the beneficiaries in 1st installment. Money of 1st instalment has been provided to 2169 families of Ambassa block, 888 families of Chawmanu block, 1209 families of Domburnagar block, 1959 families of Durga Chowmuhani block, 167 families of Ganganagar block, 4158 families of Manu block, 513 families of Raishyabari block and 3704 families of Salema block. Rs 1 lakh 30 thousand will be spent for construction of each house under the scheme. Along with this every beneficiary family is entitled to 95 Mondays under MGNREGA Scheme for construction of own house. Moreover, scope for loan of Rs 70,000 will be provided to the beneficiaries families for construction of house on the basis of application to bank. The office of DM, Dhalai district has informed this.

Training on pisciculture through Biofloc in Jirania

Training on pisciculture through Biofloc has started from December 7 with the initiative of Fisheries department at Jirania Panchayat Samiti hall. The 3-day training will end on December 9. The training was inaugurated by Chairman of

Jirania Panchayat Samiti Manju Das. Other dignitaries present were Vice Chairman Pritam Debnath, Joint Director of Fisheries department Abani Debbarma and other officials of the department. 10 fish farmers from Jirania block, 10 from Mandai block and 3 fish farmers from Jirania Nagar Panchayat area participated in the training. Cylcles along with ice boxes were handed over to 5 fish farmers of Jirani sub-division under Pradhan Mantri Matsya Sampada Yojana scheme by Jirania Nagar Panchayat Chairman Manju Das and Vice Chairman Pritam Debnath. Through this, 2 persons from Jirania block, 1 from Belabari block, 1 from Mandai block and 1 from Old Agartala block were benefitted. Total 28 thousand rupees was spent for this. One person from Jirania Nagar Panchayat area also was handed over 1 motor cycle with 1 ice box.

Housing under PMAY-G in Bokafa block

In the present fiscal year under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana- Grameen, Pucca houses will be constructed for 2 thousand 899 families of 22 Gram Panchayats under Bokafa block. Recently, first instalment of 48 thousand rupees was given to 2 thousand 899 families. 1 lakh 30 thousand rupees will be spent on building each house. This information was collected from Bokafa block office.