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Pink Auto Disbursement Mela



pink auto disbursement Mela was organized on dt.21.12.2017 at Udit Nagar, Parade ground at 11:00 AM. Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh was the Chief Guest of the function where as DGM, State Bank of India, PA ITDA, Sub-Collector, Panposh were guest of honour. The ADM, Rourkela cum Administrator, RMC was preceded over the meeting. 21 nos. of beneficiaries were distributed with pink auto and flagged off by Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh. All the SHG members and CDPOs were present.





Charging Point for Pink Autos at SUH Power House Road

21 Women were financed to avail the Pink Auto. They were flagged off by Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh and ADM, Rourkela cum Administrator, RMC on dt. 21.12.2017. For the benefit of Pink Auto Drivers 2 Charging points have been installed at SUH, Plant Site and SUH, Power House Road for use in emergency, the same was inaugurated by the Project Officer, RMC. The recharge facility was provided at a nominal charge. Individual charging points was installed at the respective houses of each beneficiaries.





Loan Disbursement under NULM



A loan disbursement mela was organized by Rourkela Municipal Corporation under SEP of DAY-NULM. The DGM & AGM, State Bank of India had distributed loans to the eligible beneficiaries in association with Dy. Commissioner, Project Officer, Rourkela Municipal Corporation.

The Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh had issued certificate to 112 nos. of SHGs who had received Revolvina Funds and also issued certificates to Bank Linkage SHGs. The meeting was organized by Project Officer, Rourkela Municipal association DAY-NULM Corporation in with functionaries.





Water ATM Inauguration by Collector, Sundargarh

Water ATM was installed at RGH Campus to provide safe drinking water at nominal cost and the same was inaugurated by Collector & District Magistrate, Sundargarh on dt. 21.12.2017 in the presence of the ADM, Rourkela cum Administrator, Rourkela Municipal Corporation, Dy. Commissioner, Municipal Engineer, Health Officer, Project Officer, Rourkela Municipal Corporation.

To provide pure and economical drinking water is the only moto of such Water ATM,. The patients at RGH and there.





2nd Smart City Board of Director Meeting was held in Conference Hall of ADM Office an under the Chairmanship of Sri R. Balakrishnan, Development Commissioner-cum-Additional Chief Secretary to Govt., Planning & Convergence Department, Odisha. Sri M. Mathivathnan, Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government, H&UD Dept., Sri Vineet. Bharadwaj, Collector and District Magistrate, Sundargarh, Dy. Commissioner, RMC and all Dignitaries were present in this meeting. Smt. M. Banerjee, CEO, RSCL was brief the house on the progress of initiatives to the Smart City Rourkela.



Smart City Public interaction Programme "Katha Barta"



For the one year completion to the announcement of Rourkela Smart City Project, Rourkela Smart City Limited (RSCL) has organized a series of citizen engagement program on 9th, 10th, 16th and 17th of December 2017 at E- Library, Udit Nagar, Rourkela. The entire program was named as "Katha Barta" which, means interaction in a very informal manner; as normally we do in our family to share our views. The whole program was designed in 4 different modules to target 4 different target groups of the society.







The motive behind organizing such program was for engaging the citizen and enhancing their participation as well as seeking their feedback and suggestions for successful implementation of various developmental projects under Rourkela Smart City Project. The inaugural event was named as "IGNITE" and it was meant for the women population of the society. The event was inaugurated by Western Range Deputy Inspector General of Police Ms. Kavita Jalan.

She also motivated the women for their greater role in making Rourkela, the smartest city in the world. The women, who participated in the program well, utilized the platform provided to them by RSCL to share their views and concerns regarding facilities required in smart city, Rourkela for the Kids and women. Many of them have given valuable suggestions for better amenities in the city especially for women and kids. They mainly focused on security of women in the city. Hundreds of city women participated in the event.



Leading women organizations, socialites, women poets, writers, journalists, entrepreneurs, educationists shared their views here at the platform –IGNITE. The second day (10.12.2017) was full with participants across all sections of the society, as it was meant for common citizens. The name of the event was "TALKATHON".







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Members and office bearers of many social organizations, cultural organization, Non- Government organizations (NGOs), philanthropic organizations, charity associations, representatives of political parties and trade unions participated in the event to share their views on; what facilities should be there in a smart city. They have also raised several day-to-day issues and concerns like 24X7 potable water supplies, hassle free sewerage system, cleanliness at every corner of the city, beautification of roads and lanes etc. before RSCL authorities and wanted

necessary actions to be taken to ensure these amenities while implementing the gigantic Rourkela smart city project. The third event was meant for the senior citizens of the city, where they shared their experiences with regard to Steel City Rourkela. The event was scheduled on 16th December 2017 and the name of the event was "ANUBHUTI". Some senior citizens told, Rourkela they had seen years back is a changed one now. New infrastructures, high rise buildings, flyovers, educational institutions have come up in the city indicating the growth in life style. They were also concerned about many issues like their security, recreation centers and day care centers, better health facilities. Most of them emphasized on opening more walk-ways, parks dedicated to senior citizens, senior citizen friendly roads, dividers etc.



The fourth and last event of this citizen engagement series was "INNOVISTA"; which was scheduled on 17th of December 2017. The event started at 11'o clock in the morning and continued till late evening. The event started with a painting competition in the morning. Theme for Painting Competition was "Smart City" and "Mo Shahara - Rourkela". (My City Rourkela) This was exclusively for School Students from class 1st to 10th. It was divided in to three groups i.e. class 1st to 3rd, Class 4th to 7th, Class 8th to 10th. It was provisioned for each school to nominate maximum five registered at the photography exhibition. Three photographs have been selected as 1st, 2nd and 3rd which will be awarded on next Republic day function to be organized in Rourkela. Consolation prizes to three persons for photography also to be given. The evening session of the 4th event "INNOVISTA" was really commendable, as many young minds have shared their innovative ideas, which can be implemented under Rourkela smart city project.