

Actions taken by DMA, UDD for SWM

- The SWM Technical Committee formed on 28-05-2003 to provide required technical support and guidelines to the ULBs has been reconstituted vide **GO No: UDD 293 GEL 2008, Bangalore, date 21-11-2008.**
- A Circular specifying normative standards for assessing manpower, tools, equipments and vehicles, safety equipments requirements in SWM proposals vide no: ಪೌನಿಃಘವನಿ:ತಾಂತ್ರಿಕಸಮಿತಿ:ಸಿಆರ್17/08-09, ದಿನಾಂಕ 27-02-2009 has been issued.
- Due to non availability of schedule of rates (PWD S R) for hire charges of SWM vehicle, uniforms, safety gears, tools and equipments and obtaining technical sanction for the SWM proposals submitted by the ULBs including corporations (except BBMP), a three members technical subcommittee has been formed to scrutinize and authorize Superintendent Engineer in DMA office to accord technical sanction for proposals up to Rs. 2.00 crores and for the proposals more than Rs. 2.00 crores, forward it to main technical committee after scrutiny. Technical committee will review and then to authorize Superintendent Engineer of DMA for accord of Technical Sanction if the proposals are found to be in order.
- SWM audio album is prepared to create awareness among the citizens containing short songs and announcements is prepared and distributed to all ULBs.
- To create interest among the school children about SWM, a separate section namely “Children’s Corner” is created on 14th November 2008 in the DMA’s website.
- The steps are taken to adopt Bio methanation in suitable ULBs for processing of waste.
- A revised comprehensive circular to encourage SHGs participation in SWM is being issued.
- A circular is issued on safety aspects of PKs who are involved in sanitation works.
- CPCB supported SWM programme is considered for Bijapur CMC.
- Training programme for 6500 permanent and around 4000 contract and other PKs (Total 10500) is conducted at district level training institutes. The Environmental Engineers, Community Affairs Officers, District Training Institute (DTI) staffs etc., were involved to provide the training.
- A comprehensive Solid Waste Management (SWM) training programme has been scheduled for three categories of trainees i.e. elected representatives and NGOs (one day programme), Municipal Commissioners and Chief Officers (two days

programme), Environmental Engineers, Health Inspectors, Junior Engineers etc., (three days programme) through State Institute of Urban Department (SIUD) of Mysore, CMAK, Bangalore and District Training Institutes. A Total of 1150 trainees will benefit out of the above said training.

- To improve the existing quality of cleanliness / sanitation in the cities, instructions are issued to ULBs to take up intensive cleaning drive by name “one week one ward”.
- Painting competitions for PK’s children are conducted every year and cash prizes of Rs. 2000/-, Rs. 1000/- and Rs. 500/- to three winning students will be awarded under 18% programme.
- Painting competitions for 5th to 7th standard children, essay competitions for 8th to 10th standard students and elocution competitions for college students are conducted at ULBs on the occasion of Kannada Rajyothsava. Cash prizes for three winning students of all three categories and rolling trophies for 1st prize winning schools are instituted.
