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Meeting of Advisory Committee

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The Advisory Committee meeting of RCUES Lucknow was held on June 7 2016. The main agenda of the meeting was to review the academic activities undertaken by the center during the year 2015-16. The committee was satisfied by the overall performances of the center. The meeting was chaired by Sri. S. P Singh, Chairman Advisory Committee, Secretary, Department of Urban Development, Government of Uttar Pradesh, convened by Dr. Nishith Rai, Director, RCUES Lucknow and Er. A. K. Gupta, Additional Secretary, RCUES, Lucknow was the Member Secretary. The member of the Advisory Committee who participated in the meeting were Mr. R. K. Mishra, Director, Directorate of Urban Local Bodies, Govt. of U.P, Dr. H. S. Gill, Executive Director, HSMI-HUDCO, New Delhi, Mr. Vikas Kumar, Assistant Engineer-cum –Nodal Officer (SBM), Urban Development & Housing Department, Govt. of Bihar, Mr. A. K. Rai, Chief General Manager, C & DS, Uttar Pradesh Jal Nigam, Lucknow, Mr. M. C. Joshi, Chief Engineer, Uttar Pradesh Jal Nigam and Faculty Members of RCUES. The committee discussed and approved the list of proposed academic activities for the year 2016-17. Meeting of the Advisory Committee 2016-17 was coordinated by Dr. Alka Singh, Deputy Director & Dr. Nasruddin, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow.



Advisory Committee in session

Training Programme on Public Private Partnership for Infrastructure Development in Municipal Services

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A two day training/capacity building programme on Public-Private Partnership for Infrastructure Development in Municipal Services was organized by RCUES Lucknow on 30th – 31st May, 2016. The programme was inaugurated by Sri A. K. Gupta, Additional Director, RCUES, Lucknow. The programme was attended by 38 senior officers including Executive Officer, Assistant and Junior Engineers, Chief Tax Assessment Officers of Municipal Corporations & Municipal Council of U.P. Dr. Anjuli Mishra, Joint Director and Sri Himanshu Chandra, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow jointly coordinated the programme.



Training Session in progress

World Environment Day Workshop

LUCKNOW

RCUES Lucknow under the auspices of Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India, New Delhi organized a one day World Environment Day Workshop on Management of Urban Environment in India on June 6, 2016 for the officials of urban local government at Lucknow. The programme was inaugurated by Er. A. K. Gupta, Additional Director, RCUES, Lucknow. The programme was attended by 16 municipal officials from urban local bodies of Uttar Pradesh and other stakeholders participated. The programme was jointly coordinated by Dr. Anjuli Mishra, Joint Director and Dr. A. K. Singh, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow.



Dr. P.K. Srivastava, Retd. Deputy Director, CDRI, Lucknow, Sri A. K. Gupta, Additional Director and Dr. Anjuli Mishra, Joint Director, RCUES, Lucknow during the inaugural session

Activities Conducted Under AMRUT

- The RCUES prepared the State Annual Action Plan of Union Territory Chandigarh for the FY 2016-17 which was approved by the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India in the 10th Apex Committee Meeting held on 14/06/2016.
- As Project Development and Management Consultant (PDMC) for the State of Uttar Pradesh under AMRUT, the RCUES, Lucknow prepared the State Annual Action Plan of Uttar Pradesh for Parks and Capacity Building components for FY 2016-17 which was approved by the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India in the 10th Apex Committee Meeting held on 14/06/2016.
- RCUES Lucknow organized 26 Handholding workshops for DPR preparation of Open Spaces and parks under AMRUT which were attended by 129 participants.
- As PDMC, the RCUES, Lucknow prepared DPRs of 49 parks of 29 urban local bodies under AMRUT. All 49 DPRs were approved by the State Level Technical Committee of Uttar Pradesh in its Meeting held on 06/05/2016 under the chairmanship of Secretary, Department of Urban Development, Government of U.P.. Thereafter it was approved by the State High Power Steering Committee in its 3rd Meeting held on 27/05/2016 under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Government of Uttar Pradesh.



SHPSC Meeting for approval of AMRUT DPRs

Orientation Training Programmes on AMRUT

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RCUES Lucknow under the auspices of Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India organized three days orientation training programme on AMRUT for the officials of Urban Local Bodies of Uttar Pradesh. The main objectives of the programme was to discuss and deliberate on the issue, dimensions and aspects of AMRUT Mission including need and importance of mission, reforms, concept and methodology of SLIP & SAAP, convergence and good practices in water supply, sewerage and septage management, non-motorized urban transportation, solid waste disposal, park development and storm water drainage.

LIST OF TRAINING PROGRAMME

Dates	No. of Participants
16-18 May	20
25-27 May	25
08-10 June	23
14-16 June	23
21-23 June	20

Orientation Training Programme on AMRUT

RANCHI

RCUES Lucknow organized a three day Orientation Training Programme on Atal Mission for Rejuvenation and Urban Transformation (AMRUT) for the Municipal Officials of Jharkhand on June 23-25, 2016 at Ranchi. In all 36 participants including Revenue Inspectors and Tax Collectors of Urban Local Bodies of Jharkhand attended the training programme. The programme was coordinated by Dr. A. K. Singh, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow.

Orientation Training Programme on AMRUT

RANCHI

RCUES Lucknow organized a three day Training Programme under AMRUT on Financial Management, Accounting and Public Private Partnership for the Municipal Officials of Jharkhand on June 27-29, 2016 at Ranchi. The participants of the Training Programme included City Managers and other municipal officials of Urban Local Bodies of Jharkhand. In all 39 participants attended the training programme. The programme was coordinated by Dr. A. K. Singh, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow.

Initiatives

- The Centre was empaneled as the Mentoring Institute by the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India under the Smart Cities Mission for Lucknow, Faridabad, Dharamshala, Bhagalpur, Dehradun and Raipur. The RCUES, Lucknow supported Lucknow and Faridabad Municipal Corporations under Fast Track Round of Smart Cities Mission, which got selected in the fast track round.
- Centre has been assigned the task of DPR preparation on Slaughter House Waste Management by Lucknow Cantonment Board.
- The RCUES Lucknow is preparing the DPR on Solid Waste Management of Lucknow Cantonment Board and also supporting the Cantonment Board in developing the SMART CANTONMENT project.
- The Centre is assisting the Municipal Corporation Meerut in Bid Process Management for Waste to Energy project.
- Centre is preparing a DPR on Solid Waste Management for Allahabad Municipal Corporation under Swachh Bharat Mission.
- Centre has prepared and submitted DPR on Sewerage System of Saugor Cantonment Board
- The RCUES, Lucknow assisted the ULBs of Moradabad/ Aligarh/ Saharanpur/ Bareilly/ Jhansi/ Kanpur/ Allahabad/ Varanasi/ Ghaziabad/ Agra/ Rampur /Raibareli in preparing the proposals to participate in the Smart Cities Challenge (SCC) Round 2.
- The RCUES, Lucknow assisted the State Govt. in selection of Consultants for Credit Rating of Selected Urban Local Bodies of Uttar Pradesh - Package-1 (Meerut, Saharanpur, Ghaziabad, Agra and Aligarh) Package-2 (Kanpur, Jhansi, Allahabad, Raibareli and Varanasi) Package-3 (Moradabad, Rampur, Bareilly, Lucknow and Gorakhpur).

Activities Conducted Under SMART CITIES MISSION

- The Smart City proposal (SCP) of Lucknow City under fast track round of Smart City Challenge (SCC) was finalized by RCUES which was approved by the SHPSC in its meeting on 11/04/2016. Lucknow was ranked on the top of the list.
- The SCPs under the SCC round II for the remaining 12 cities, finalized by RCUES were approved by SHPSC on 24/06/2016 under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary, Government of Uttar Pradesh and has been submitted to the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India on June 30, 2016.



SHPSC Meeting for approval of Smart City Proposals of Uttar Pradesh

RCUES Conducted 16 handholding Consultation Workshops for preparation of SCP Round-II under Smart Cities Mission.

Handholding Workshops for Round-II under Smart Cities Mission

Name of the Programme	City/ULB	Date	No. of Participants
Ist Round of Consultation Workshops for preparation of SCP Round-II under Smart Cities Mission	Allahabad	03/05/2016	10
	Ghaziabad & Varanasi	04/05/2016	13
	Moradabad & Aligarh	05/05/2016	12
	Agra & Jhansi	06/05/2016	12
	Kanpur & Bareilly	07/05/2016	14
	Saharanpur	10/05/2016	8
	Rampur	11/05/2016	10
II nd Round of Consultation Workshops for preparation of SCP Round-II under Smart Cities Mission	Varanasi & Ghaziabad	03/06/2016	10
	Moradabad & Aligarh	04/06/2016	12
	Agra & Jhansi	06/06/2016	14
	Saharanpur	09/06/2016	05
	Allahabad	10/06/2016	11
III rd Round of handholding Consultation Workshops for preparation of SCP Round-II under Smart Cities Mission	Bareilly	21/06/2016	12
	Agra, Jhansi, Saharanpur & Allahabad	22/06/2016	26
	Kanpur & Rampur	23/06/2016	23
	Moradabad, Aligarh, Ghaziabad & Varanasi	24/06/2016	21
Total No. of Participants			213
Total No. of Workshops			16

Staff News

- Er. A.K. Gupta, Additional Director, Mr. Ajit Kumar Mishra, Assistant Director and Mr. Himanshu Chandra, Assistant Director, RCUES, Lucknow attended the launch workshop on Urban Management Programme which was organized by NITI Aayog, Singapore Cooperation Enterprise and Temasek Foundation on 27 April 2016 at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi.
- Er. A.K. Gupta, Additional Director & Mr Himanshu Chandra, Asst. Director, RCUES Lucknow attended the workshop on Urban Planning & Governance at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 28 – 29 April 2016.
- Er. A.K. Gupta, Additional Director participated in the Workshop on Combating Air Pollution in North India organized by IIT Delhi and RTI International on 25-26 May, 2016
- National Level Review Meeting on proposal up-gradation of Smart Cities for Round –II was organized by the ministry of Urban Development, Govt. of India on 8 June 2016, which was attended by Mr. R.K. Mishra, Director Local Bodies, Govt. of U.P., Er. A.K. Gupta, Additional Director and Dr. Alka Singh, Deputy Director, RCUES, Lucknow from the state of Uttar Pradesh.
- Dr. A K Singh, Asst. Director, RCUES Lucknow presented paper on Women Entrepreneurship Development & Technological Innovations in India at National Seminar on Entrepreneurship, Innovations Management & Technology organized by Madhav Institute of Technology and Science under the auspices of NITI Ayog, Govt. of India, New Delhi on June 11-13, 2016 at Gwalior MP.
- The State Annual Action Plan of Union Territory Chandigarh for the FY 2016-17 was presented by Dr. Alka Singh, Deputy Director, RCUES, Lucknow in the 10th Apex Committee Meeting held on 14 June 2016 which was approved by the Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India.
- Er. A.K. Gupta, Additional Director & Mr. Ajit Kumar Mishra, Asst. Director, RCUES Lucknow participated in the Workshop on Urban Management Programme, on Water, Wastewater and Solid Waste Management organized by NITI Aayog and Singapore Cooperation Enterprise (SCE) in New Delhi on 16 & 17 June 2016.

Capacity Building Activities under National Urban Livelihoods Mission

Training Programmes for Urban Street Vendors under DAY-NULM

LUCKNOW

The Center organized 56, two day training programmes on Urban Street Vendors under DAY-National Urban Livelihoods Mission Programme at Lucknow. The main objectives of the Training Programme were: to orient urban street vendors regarding rules and regulations of Street Vendor Act; financial inclusion; and urban development programmes and schemes. Over all 7000 Registered Street Vendors were identified by Municipal Corporation out of which orientation training to 2412 Street Vendors of the city was provided by the Regional Centre.

ToT on Urban Street Vendor under NULM

LUCKNOW

The Regional Center for Urban & Environmental Studies Lucknow under the auspices of Ministry of Urban Development, Government of India organized two, one days Training of Trainers programme on Urban Street Vendor under DAY- NULM. The main objectives of the Training Programme were: to orient trainers regarding the rules and regulations of Street Vendor Act; financial inclusion; and urban development programmes and schemes.

LIST OF TRAINING PROGRAMME	
Dates	No. of Participants
25 April	30
30 May	30

Sponsored Programme

The RCUES Lucknow organized a one day workshop on Swachh Bharat Mission on 13th June 2016 for the officials of Municipal Corporation, Kanpur. The main objectives of the workshop were to acquaint the participants with the need, Importance and objectives of Swachh Bharat Mission; to aware the participants with the need, importance and role of Solid Waste Management in Swachh Bharat Mission; to aware the participants with the need, importance and role of PPP and IEC in SBM. Twenty participants were nominated for workshop of various categories like Elected Representatives, Engineers, Food & Sanitary Inspectors and other officers of Nagar Nigam, Kanpur. The participants were provided theoretical knowledge and exposure through lecture-cum -discussion. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Rajeew Narayan, Course Director and Dr. Nasruddin, Co-Course Director, RCUES, Lucknow.

Exposure Visit

The RCUES Lucknow organized a three day exposure visit to Hyderabad on the theme Swachh Bharat Mission from 14th June 2016 to 16th June 2016 for officials of Nagar Nigam, Kanpur. Twenty participants were nominated for exposure visit of various categories like Elected Representatives, Engineers, Food & Sanitary Inspectors and other officers of Municipal Corporation, Kanpur. The participants were provided theoretical knowledge and exposure through lecture-cum -discussion and field visit on different sites like Solid Waste Management Project in PPP Mode by Ramkay Enviro Engineers Limited (REEL), Methodist & Ambience Colony of Hyderabad on maintenance of SWM, Parks, Rain Water Harvesting by the community on PPP Mode. The programme was coordinated by Dr. Rajeew Narayan, Course Director and Dr. Nasruddin, Co-Course Director, RCUES, Lucknow.



Participants in the field with local Community Representatives

Forthcoming Activities

Proposed Plan of Capacity Building Activities Under Non -Plan (MOUD, GOI) For 2016-17

Programmes		Date	Venue
Two day National Seminar on Urban Sanitation in India; Issues, Challenges and way forward		November, 2016	Lucknow
Regional Level	Two Day workshop on Public-Private Partnership for Infrastructure Development in Municipal Services	May 2016 & November 2016	Lucknow Agra
	9, One Day Orientation workshop on Urban Development Schemes for Elected Representatives	June 2016 to February 2017	Lucknow
	Two Days workshop on E-Governance in Delivery of Municipal Services	July, 2016	Lucknow
		July 2016 & Feb 2017	Aligarh
	Two Days Service Level Benchmarking	August, 2016 December, 2016	Varanasi Lucknow
State Level	One Day workshop on Management of Urban Environment	June 6, 2016	
	Two Days Workshop on Management of Solid Waste in Urban Areas	July 2016	Devghar
	Two Days workshop on Service Level Benchmarking	August, 2016	Indore
	Two Days workshop on Swachh Bharat Mission	February, 2017	Imphal, Nainital & Gangtok
	Two Days workshop on Integrated Solid Waste Management	October, 2016	Patna & Raipur
	Workshop on Decentralized Waste Management and PPP	January 2017	Puri

Orientation Training Programme on AMRUT in Lucknow

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
11-13 July, 2016	01-03 Aug, 2016	01-03 Sep, 2016
14-16 July, 2016	04-06 Aug, 2016	05-07 Sep, 2016
18-20 July, 2016	08-10 Aug, 2016	19-21 Sep, 2016
21-23 July, 2016	22-24 Aug, 2016	22-24 Sep, 2016
25-27 July, 2016	29-31 Aug, 2016	26-28 Sep, 2016
28-30 July, 2016		

Total No. of Programmes to be conducted in the next quarter: 32

Proposed Programmes under NULM 2016-17

Programmes	No.
State Level Residential Programmes	15
Exposure Visits	02
Training Programmes for Urban Street Vendors	90

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