



Annual Report 2018-19



ASSAM STATE DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY, DISPUR



ASDMA Profile

The Assam State Disaster Management Authority was notified in the year 2007 with the adoption of the Disaster Management Act in the year 2006. Honorable Chief Minister of Assam is its Chairperson and Honorable Minister of Revenue and Disaster Management is its Vice Chairperson. To execute the mandate of the Authority, the State Executive Committee with the Chief Secretary, Assam as its Chairperson has also been notified as per provision of the Disaster Management Act. The ASDMA Secretariat with officers, consultants and employees, for carrying out the functions of the State Authority, became fully functional in the year 2010. ASDMA has also notified the District Disaster Management Authority in all the 33 districts of Assam and placed officers for carrying out disaster management activities at the district.



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MESSAGE

Disasters are unpredictable. They may strike us at any moment, anywhere. We cannot prevent the occurrence of a disaster but by creating awareness about disaster we can reduce its impact. We can certainly save lives and property by being well equipped with the safety tips of disaster management built upon a strong foundation of tradition and excellence in flood and other emergency services. The authority, since its inception, has come a long way to emboss its name among the people during the time of emergency; therefore, ASDMA has undertaken various programs in its endeavor to build “A disaster ready and a safer Assam”. It gives me immense pleasure to present before you the Annual Report of ASDMA which intends not only to share the activities and initiatives undertaken by the Authority, but also to update its readers about the various aspects of Disaster Risk Reduction.

The Annual Report is not only a publication covering activities of ASDMA in the State and in the districts, but also incorporates a feature on different hazards the State is prone to and its mitigation aspects. A special section is dedicated to discuss the new or unique developments, ideas or actions in the field of disaster preparedness, mitigation and response.

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MESSAGE

Assam State Disaster Management Authority has been playing a significant role in fighting against floods and emergencies. They work as a team in which everybody has their own specific duties, functions and responsibilities in harmony with other.

Assam State Disaster Management Authority has always been at the forefront in providing invaluable services during emergency situations and during disasters. ASDMA has earned the respect and trust of the people. I hope this Annual Report would be able to highlight the achievements of Assam State Disaster Management Authority to strive to maintain their highest standard of services for emergencies.

I extend my wishes to the Assam State Disaster Management Authority, Assam for their endeavour and hope the Annual Report achieves its objectives.

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FROM THE DESK OF THE STATE PROJECT COORDINATOR, ASDMA

With better planning, preparedness, awareness and mitigation measures we can significantly reduce the impact of disasters for our people in the near future. Good governance and responsive administration are seen as non-negotiable features of a dynamic process of effective interface with the communities at risk from the devastating impact of disasters. Therefore, an all-inclusive and continuous approach to disaster management is of utmost importance for a hazard prone state like Assam.

I am happy to present the Annual Report of ASDMA, whose purpose is not only to share the activities and initiatives undertaken by the Authority, but also to update its readers about the various aspects of Disaster Risk Reduction. As with the other editions, this annual report also gives us a glimpse of the activities and initiatives undertaken by ASDMA in the State as well as in the district.

Conveying my gratitude to the readers for the wide and warm acceptance.

Wishing you a best and happy read.

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EDITOR'S NOTES

"We cannot stop natural disasters but we can arm ourselves with knowledge..... so many lives wouldn't have to be lost if there was enough Disaster Preparedness"

Disaster management works with the collective effort of communities or organizations that plan and coordinate all personnel and materials required to either mitigate the effects of, or recover from, natural or man-made disasters. Time is testimonial of the fact that a country better prepared for disaster, faces less damages and losses. Enlightened with this principal, Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) has taken up various initiatives towards building a safer Assam. The need for sharing these initiatives has been felt for a long time and therefore it has been decided that ASDMA would come up with an **"ASDMA ANNUAL REPORT"**.

I take this opportunity to thank the Commissioner & Secretary & Chief Executive Officer ASDMA, Joint Secretary & Deputy Chief Executive Officer, Joint Secretary & State Project Coordinator ASDMA, Team ASDMA and those who have contributed their efforts to ensure the publication of ASDMA Annual Report. Suggestion and feedback of our readers would help towards adding value to the forth coming issues of the Annual Report. The feedback from all is definitely an inspiration and encouragement.

Wishing you a best and happy read.

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STATE ACTIVITIES

Preparedness and Mitigation of Hazards

Sensitization on Landslide Risk Mitigation:

Landslide includes a wide range of ground movement, such as rock falls, deep failure of slopes and shallow debris flows, which may occur in any unstable, geo-material slope. Besides potential hazards from landslides in different parts of the state, landslide has become a cause of



concern in and around Guwahati City during the last decade. During monsoon period, every year Guwahati witnesses various landslide cases, which does not only cause loss of property but also has claimed human lives in the recent past. To address the landslide issues in Guwahati City, ASDMA has conducted a study in collaboration with Civil Engineering Department of AEC. The final report has identified 366 landslide vulnerable sites by Rapid Visual Screening (RVS) in and around Guwahati city spreading across 20 hillocks. Sensitization and landslide risk mitigation activities among vulnerable communities with their active participation in the landslide prone hillocks in Guwahati will result in involvement and ownership of mitigation activities by the vulnerable communities.

In this context, ASDMA in collaboration with DDMA, Kamrup (M) is undertaking a comprehensive 40 No's of Awareness Campaign in all the hillocks on Landslide Risk Mitigation activities by community participation in all the 20 hillocks of Guwahati City. It is a month long programme and the first Sensitization meeting was held on 17th May, 2018 at Garbhanga Hillock, Beharbari. Smt. Meenakshi Das Nath, Joint Secretary and State Project Coordinator, ASDMA was present there to kick start the campaign. Over 150 people attended the first sensitization meeting. The second and the third Sensitization meeting was held in Khanapara and Noonmati areas on 18th May 2018

This programme is being conducted in association with Geological Survey of India, GMC, Soil Conservation Department, Forest Department, Fire & Emergency Services, IIT(G), Geology Department Cotton College, Community Radio-Jnan Taranga (90.4) and Radio Luit (90.8). Community Radio will also play an integral part in the sensitization programme wherein they will design the Community Learning Programmes through a community participatory method which will involve Focus group discussion, expert comments etc. and also carry out impact assessment of the campaign. Discussions were held on the warning signs of landslide, safety messages and specific knowledge on landslide. Besides, there was also an interaction between the community and the officials and concerns and solutions were shared.

Smt. Meenakshi Das Nath, Joint Secretary and State Project Coordinator, ASDMA said “While landslides are occurring unabated, there is an urgent need for taking a holistic approach towards landslide risk mitigation both at short term and long term basis and Campaigns like this is a major step towards this direction. I seek cooperation from the people living in the hilly region to support the campaign so that we can work together towards mitigation of landslides in Guwahati.”

AWARENESS INITIATIVES

ASDMA prepared two separate video clips on earthquake (before and during) on Do's and Don'ts in association with Assam MyGov Team and telecasted through two different media houses during Oct-Nov'18.

Some glimpses of the same are below:



ACTIVITIES UNDER COMMUNICATION DOMAIN FOR THE PERIOD 2018

i) For awareness of the people of Assam on different seasonal natural disasters like Earthquake, Storm, Flood etc. witnessed by the State from time to time, ASDMA has prepared Disaster Management Safety messages both in English and Assamese (vernacular) for broadcast through the Telecom Service Providers of the Assam Circle like (Airtel, Vodafone, Reliance-Jio, BSNL etc.) in support with the Department of Telecom, Govt. of India, Guwahati Branch.

ii) Provided mobile phone handsets to the 6/(six) newly created DDMA's for use in District Emergency Operation Centres as an alternate means of communication.

iii) Implementation of Disaster Management Toll Free Service "1077" in the following bifurcated districts viz. West Karbi Anglong, Biswanath, Majuli and Hojai.

APPLICATION OF HANDHELD GPS DEVICES IN DISASTER MANAGEMENT” FOR DISTRICT PROJECT OFFICERS & FIELD OFFICERS

Natural Disasters like flood and earthquake frequently occur in Assam. They cause huge economic losses and take many human lives. Modern tools like Remote Sensing and GIS integrated with GPS has played an important role in disaster management strategies. Realizing the importance of these modern tools in disaster management strategy, Assam State Disaster Management Authority intends to build its GIS database to develop an effective Disaster Management Information System to strengthen its capacity to predict and respond to emergency situations. For this purpose Assam State Disaster Management Authority procured 154 GPS devices for all the 154 field officers placed at each revenue circle of Assam. Training was organized in 4 batches including the District project officers & the Field officers to collect the geographical coordinates of all the utilities and infrastructures in their respective circles and to build a GIS data-base to develop an effective Disaster Management Information System to strengthen its capacity to predict and respond to emergency situations.

Few glimpses of the workshop:





TRAINING AND CAPACITY BUILDING

AAPDA MITRA:

The project “AAPDA MITRA” is training of community volunteers from two districts of Assam state, i.e. Kamrup Metro and Jorhat. The community volunteers are being trained on Search and Rescue and Emergency management during flood.



National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) signed MoU with Assam State Disaster management Authority (ASDMA) and decided to entrust the responsibility of implementation of the scheme to the state of Assam for the period 2016-17 to 2017-18. Assam State Disaster Management Authority is

carrying out the training through Combined Training Institute of Civil Defence, Panikhaiti, Guwahati.

ASDMA in coordination with the DDMA, Kamrup Metro and Jorhat districts selected the 400 nos (200 nos each) of trainees for AAPDA MITRA training.

NDMA has given guidelines for 8 batches of AAPDA MITRA Training of 200 volunteers i.e. 25 volunteers in each batch.



Training Program for Police Officers and Police Men:

Assam State Disaster Management Authority in association with Indian Red-Cross Society of Assam branch will be imparting 40 batches of Training Programme for 1200 Police Officers and Police Men at IRCS, Assam. The Programme which is Training on Trauma and Emergency Health care (RTA) began from June 2018. The training is designed to train Traffic Police, Enforcement agency personnel and police brigade in order to enhance their capacity as a first responders during any emergency or in road accident.

The Training will be broadly on

- a. First a Aid treatment given to the victims.
- b. Procedure to give CPR.
- c. Basic Rescue Techniques.
- d. Handling of Defibrillator during emergencies



Workshops details report in brief:

The State Level one day Workshop on Preparation and Documentation of Village Disaster Management Plan and Village Land Use Plan imparted in three batches covering all districts at Assam Administrative Staff College from 29th October 2018 to 31st October 2018. A total of 398 participants participated from the districts were Circle Officers/Circle Officer Attached, Lot Mandal and Kananga from 128 Revenue Circles, District Project Officers and Field Officers of ASDMA.

Glimpses of Workshop:



Relief & Rescue training for Community Volunteers:

ASDMA in association with District Disaster Management Authority, Dhemaji and NDRF, 12th Battalion designed four days residential training programme for community volunteers from Mising People Justice Forum, Gogamukh, and Dhemaji.

Assam State Disaster Management Authority has trained 634 volunteers in 12 batches from Biswanath, Majuli, Lakhimpur and Dhemaji districts and requested Assam State Disaster Management Authority to train them in Relief & Rescue during flood.

Glimpses of the Training:



RESPONSE INITIATIVES

ASDMA Land Development:

Government of Assam has allotted a plot of land to ASDMA in Maidamgaon, Beltola. ASDMA developed the plot of land through PWD by constructing boundary wall and level filling the plot.

Flood Memorandum:

Flood Memorandum, 2018 was prepared by ASDMA to understand the devastation of flood damage, 2018. Financial assistance sought from Government of India amounting to Rs. 2491.59 cr. and submitted to Government of India on 20th November, 2018.



MEMORANDUM TO THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ON ASSAM FLOODS – 2018



**SUBMITTED BY
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM**

Flood Preparedness Meeting of Chief Secretary to the Government of Assam:

On 23rd April 2018, Ms. T.Y. Das, IAS, Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Assam took review of Flood Preparedness of various departments. She took stock of the situation and advised the departments to take necessary action.

Central Team Initiative for assessment of damage:

A Central Team from the Govt. of India visited ASDMA and the flood affected areas of the state for assessment of the damages caused by the flood.

Some glimpses are given below:



Mega Mock Drill:

Earthquake Mega Mock Drill was conducted by ASDMA on 19th and 20th December 2018.

Some glimpses are given below.



Planning:

- Annual work plan:
- Peer Group Training:
- Technical Studies:
- NSSP:

Sustainable Reduction of Disaster Risk (SRDR):

ASDMA in collaboration with NDMA has implemented the Sustainable Reduction of Disaster Risk (SRDR) project in 2018 in two districts of Assam viz: Dhemaji and Lakhimpur. Under this project NDMA has specified some activities and accordingly DDMA of the two districts has implemented the activities, viz, Workshops for designing district wise community based disaster management strategy, updation of State and District DM Plans from community lens, training of stakeholders for district DRR/ Recovery Plan, preparation of comprehensive disaster risk reduction /recovery plan for each district, awareness campaigns through/out the district, Trainings of trainers on CBDM, Trainings of Govt. officials, NGO, DMT Members on CBDM, conduction of mock drills at district level.

Some of the glimpses are given below:



Visit to Barak Valley Districts:



Barak Valley in the month of June 2018 affected by the devastating flood and due to these natural disaster three districts of Barak Valley paid a huge loss in terms of human lives as well as house, property, livestock's etc. To evaluated the damage and understand the situation of natural disaster in these districts by The Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Assam Revenue and DM Department cum Chief Executive Officer, Assam State Disaster Management Authority visited the districts and had a vital discussion with the District Administration of three districts and people from flood affected areas.

Hon'ble Union Minister State (IC) Of Ministry of (Doner) Visits Assam for Flood Review:

In order to review the flood scenario in Assam, Shri Jitendra Singh, Hon'ble Union Minister of State (IC) of Ministry of Development of North Eastern Region (DoNER), visited Assam along with Shri Navin Verma, Secretary DoNER; Shri B.L. Prasad, Director, DoNER; Shri Om Prakash, Assistant Director, MHA, DM Division and Shri Krishnan Mohan Uppu (IAS), OASD to Hon'ble MOS and Shri Venkatesh, Addl. Private Secretary.

In this context, a meeting was held at the Assam Administrative Staff College on the 26th June, 2018. Hon'ble Minister of State, Revenue and DM, Shri Bhabesh Kalita, Hon'ble Minister, Water Resources, Shri Keshav Mahanta, Chief Secretary, Government of Assam, Smt. T.Y. Das along with the senior Government Officials from various departments was also present at the Meeting.

Shri Bhabesh Kalita, in his speech, highlighted the damages caused in the first wave of flood and sought assistance from the Central Government to support the state in tackling the menace of flood and erosion in a more effective way

A brief presentation was given by Shri Rajesh Prasad, CEO of Assam State Disaster Management Authority highlighting the reason for the first wave of flood and spoke about the statistics of the districts, revenue circles, villages, population affected and lives lost. The initiatives taken by the State Government and the

deployment of SRDF personnel and NDRF team and the rescue operations, GR distribution were discussed in detail.

The Brigadier A. Gangwar, Advisor, NDMA spoke about the campaigns and projects undertaken by them and informed about the requirement of SDRF personnel in four Northeast states namely, Assam, Meghalaya, Arunachal Pradesh and Sikkim. The expectation from the Ministry of Development North Eastern Region on funding was discussed among the officials. The Union Minister Shri Jitendra Singh stated that Rupees 340 Crore, is sanctioned by the Central Government which includes Rupees 239.40 crore to be released for State Disaster Response Fund and Rupees 101cr by DoNER for infrastructure repair in floods. Smt. T.Y. Das, Chief Secretary, Government of Assam stated that Assam, is prepared to tackle the flood and spoke about the mock drills undertaken on various places and that no grievance has been reported so far. Shri Jitendra Singh also interacted with various line Departments. Over 130 Senior Government officials attended the meeting.



INFORMATION DISSEMINATION

1. In order to generate awareness in the community about the safety message on Storm and Flood safety, the Assam State Disaster Management Authority published news in various local dailies in Assamese, Bengali and English.

2. For awareness of the people of Assam on different seasonal natural disasters like Earthquake, Storm, Flood etc. witnessed by the State from time to time, ASDMA has prepared Disaster Management Safety messages both in English and Assamese for broadcast through the Telecom Service Providers of the Assam Circle like (Airtel, Aircel, Vodafone, Reliance, Idea, BSNL etc.) in support with the Department of Telecom, Govt. of India, Guwahati Branch. This initiative has been an outcome of the decisions of the ASDMA meeting with the Telecom Service Providers (TSPs) of the Assam Circle held on 20th January, 2016.

Generating Awareness through Schools under National School Safety Policy (NSSP)

Assam State Disaster Management Authority gave direction to all School authorities to read out and discuss the pre-flood advisories during the school assembly through the Education department.

A. State level implementation of National School Safety Policy as per directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India directed time bound implementation of the "National School Safety Policy" in Assam. The National Policy is prepared by the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), Ministry of Home Affairs. The implementation of the policy across all States of India is monitored by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Govt. of India and NDMA. The following School Safety initiatives were carried out in collaboration with Education Department and other stakeholders during year 2018-19:

» **A.** Formation of Advisory Committees at State, District and Education Block level and Convening Quarterly meetings of the State School Safety Advisory Committee (S-SSAC)

In accordance with the Directions of the Hon'ble SC and National Disaster Management Authority (GoI), Assam State Disaster Management Authority constituted the State-School Safety Advisory Committee (S-SSAC) under the Chairmanship of Commissioner & Secretary, (Secondary Education Government of Assam) to monitor implementation of school safety initiatives in Assam. The S-SSAC has representatives from State Elementary and Secondary Education Department, Directorates of Education, SCERT, SSA/RMSA, Civil Defence, Fire & Emergency Services, Indian Red Cross Society, UNICEF, Engineering College etc. This committee reviews the actions taken towards school safety in every quarter through its quarterly meetings. Subsequently, The ASDMA directed all DDMA's to constitute District School Safety Advisory Committees (D-SSAC) at the District Level with Deputy Commissioner as Chairman. The District School safety efforts are monitored by this committee. Total 33 D-SSAC were formed across Assam. Further block level committees were constituted in 145 Educational blocks under the chairmanship of Block Education Officers to monitor the Block level school safety initiatives.

» **B.** Notification of School Focal Point Teachers Department of Education both Secondary & Elementary Education, Govt. of Assam notified the names of approximately 48000 School Focal Point Teachers(SFPT) from Elementary and 3997 School Focal Point Teachers(SFPT) from Secondary schools to be trained on School Safety and to carry out safety initiatives in schools as well as facilitate safety of children. The School Focal Point Teacher will



be trained subsequently in phase wise manner on different safety measures to be implemented in schools in order to ensure safety of children. These teachers will be responsible for preparation and yearly update of School Disaster Management Plan and other safety initiatives in school.

» **C.** Quarterly reporting to NDMA on NSSP An SOP was developed for sending quarterly reports to the NDMA as per reporting format of the Govt. of India. The State Advisory Committee approved the SOP for compilation of quarterly reports. The District Nodal Officers (IS/DEEO) send reports to the State Government as per the SOP which are compiled at the State level and sent to the NDMA on quarterly basis.

» **D.** Workshop on “Child Friendly Spaces in Emergencies” held on 14th November, 2018 under National School Safety Policy in collaboration with UNICEF, Assam.

Children have long been recognized to be doubly vulnerable during disasters and emergencies. The critical social sectors meant to ensure the rights of children to survival, development, protection and participation become defunct during and after disasters affecting children’s life in multiple ways.

In view of above, Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) in collaboration with UNICEF, Assam organized a one day workshop on “Developing State level guidelines for Child Friendly Spaces in Emergencies” under National School Safety Policy on 14th November, 2018 commemorating the important occasion of Children’s Day.

The basic objectives of the workshop include:

- » To orient the participants about the basic guideline on CFS notified by Government of Assam.
- » To understand the needs and concerns of children affected by floods and other disasters in the state.
- » To understand the existing services provided by various departments of the government for children affected by disasters and explore opportunities for an integrated model.

- » To understand existing practices related to child friendly spaces by IAG members/civil society in the state.
- » To discuss the structure and outline of the guideline and the proposed role sharing and coordination modalities.
- » To discuss and delimit the various sectoral activities/services that can be delivered through a child friendly space.

The workshop envisaged building on a consultation mode of facilitation bringing multiple stakeholders to a structured course of discussion shaping the way for the guideline to evolve in a practical, feasible and acceptable manner. Broadly, it was a mix of technical, plenary, open and group discussion sessions touching upon areas of service such as Health in Emergencies; WASH in Emergencies, Nutrition in Emergencies, and Education in Emergencies and Child Protection in Emergencies with regard to disaster affected/displaced children. The participants were District Project Officers (Community Participation & Disaster Management) from all districts of Assam, representatives from core government departments, NGO/IAG members and external experts.

The Inaugural session was presided over by the following dignitaries Shri Rajesh Prasad (IAS), Principal Secretary, Revenue and DM Department & CEO, ASDMA, GoA, Smti. Aruna Rajoria, IAS, Mission Director, SSA & RMSA, Shri Pritom Saikia, IAS, Commissioner & Secretary, Secondary & Elementary Education, GoA, Shri Mihir Bhatt, Director, All India Disaster Mitigation Institute (AIDMI), Ahmadabad, Gujarat, Smti. Chhaya Kunwar, Education Specialist, UNICEF, Assam, Various Secretaries, Directors and other officials of Govt. of Assam, officials from UNICEF & ASDMA.

The workshop was successful in giving directions for building the draft guideline on Child Friendly Spaces for Assam and setting up stage for multi-stakeholder co-operation mechanism during disasters for providing children specific schemes.

» **E.** District level field visit cum Consultation Meetings on “Child Friendly Spaces in Emergencies”

The district level field visits were targeted in three primary flood affected districts during Floods-2018 namely –

- i) Lakhimpur, 14th-15 Dec’ 2018
- ii) Sivasagar, 21st Dec’ 2018
- iii) Golaghat, 24th Dec’ 2018

The meetings were basically conducted with co-ordination from District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) and UNICEF. The participants were invited from departments of Education, Social Welfare, Health and Family welfare, PHED, Home & Political and Department of Panchayat Raj & Rural Development. Various Non-Governmental Organizations (NGO) working in the fields of emergency response/ DRR/ CSR were also invited to share their ideas as well as be part of the district implementation committee.



The field visits in these districts were planned taking into consideration the following factors:

- i) Diverse conditions of flood affected population of Assam
 - » Community Flood Resilience:
 - ✓ Communities such as Mishing community of Assam have much better flood resilience
 - » Places of dwelling and vulnerability.
 - » Availability of amenities such as schools, toilets, community hall, etc. in village vicinity.

ii) Different relief camp setups in the state (primarily location aspect):

- » Relief camps in schools near towns/district centres with good communication and support.
- » Relief camps setup in designated high lands and places with no communication link during disaster.
- » Relief camps setup on Embankments.
- » Relief camps in schools near river banks/perennially flood affected areas.

Primary activities during the district field cum consultation meetings

- Discussion with District Authorities and representatives from various departments & NGOs:
 - » Shared important highlights from the 1st “State level inception cum exploration workshop” on 14th Nov 2018 with district authorities.
 - » Shared the draft guideline formed with inputs from state and district authorities.
 - » General understanding of various departmental workflow during emergencies.
 - » Departmental schemes and facilities already provided to affected population.
 - » Manpower availability with various departments.
 - » Availability of fund and related issues.
- Visit Schools used as Relief Camps and interact with School Authorities regarding:
 - ✓ School Rooms and facilities used during Relief Operations.
 - ✓ No of Children in Relief Camps.
 - ✓ Effect on school education during the period.
 - ✓ Post Flood issues such as damage to infrastructure due to setting up of relief camps, coping children with loss of class schedule, etc.

- Visit to villages in Flood Plains & Review Existing Amenities:
 - ✓ Toilets & Water Supply – Review of toilets and water supply setup by government departments, and
 - ✓ High Land for use during floods.
 - ✓ Connectivity to Mainstream areas.
 - Interaction with Gaon Burhas and villagers:
 - ✓ The village headman gives a very practical and accurate description of the plight of flood affected population, amenities affected, government relief and extra provisions during flood.
 - Site planning for CFS setup:
 - ✓ Checked availability of local support & materials.
 - ✓ Availability of existing structure or need for new temporary structures.
 - General idea of possible CFS structure types in various locations.
- » **F.** Training of District Nodal Officers on School Safety: One day Training of Inspector of Schools & District Elementary Education Officers on National School Safety Policy was organized by Department of Elementary Education, Govt. of Assam. Officials of ASDMA facilitated the sessions during the training programme.



B. Sensitization and awareness of hill area residents of Guwahati city on “Landslide Risk Mitigation” through Community radio stations

ASDMA implemented a project with the two Community radio stations “Jnan Taranga (90.4 MHz)” and “Radio Luit (90.8 MHz)” of Guwahati city for production of “Community Learning Programmes”. The radio activists created awareness amongst the residents of hills in Guwahati city about landslide vulnerability in different areas and also probable mitigation measures to be adopted by communities/local residents. The radio activists developed radio programmes incorporating opinion of the residents and suggestions from experts. The programmes were later broadcasted through radio for awareness of a larger community residing in the hills of Guwahati city.



First Meeting of State School Safety Advisory Committee (S-SSAC)

The First meeting of State School Safety Advisory Committee (S-SSAC) was organized by Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) in collaboration with Education Department, Government of Assam on 24th May, 2018 at Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) conference hall, Dispur, Guwahati. Commissioner & Secretary, Secondary Education, Govt. of Assam, State Project Coordinator, ASDMA, Joint Secretary (Secondary Education Department), Representatives from Red Cross Society, UNICEF, Assam, Fire & Emergency Services, Health Department, Education Department, were present at the Meeting.

Shri Samsheer Singh, Commissioner & Secretary, Secondary Education, Govt. of Assam, presided over the meeting and issued key instructions to the stakeholders.

A brief presentation was given by Kishore Dutta P.O. T&CB, ASDMA on Capacity Building Action Plan and Observations on Training Module of SCERT and Smt. Mridusmita Borah, DRR and Hiranya Boiragi, P.O. DM, Education Department on "Time Bound Action Plan".

The time bound Action prepared by ASDMA and Education Department for monitoring, implementation of School Safety in the State was broadly discussed during the meeting with all the Stakeholders and the responsibilities of stakeholders in implementation of school safety was also outlined. This action plan will be implemented at District and block level. It was also agreed in the meeting to incorporate NSSP guidelines in SMDC as well as SMC training. It was also decided to carry out safety audit in schools as per given format.

Vice Consul, Consulate General of the United States of America Interacts With the ASDMA Officials and Appreciates the Efforts towards Disaster Preparedness

Vice Consul, Consulate General of United States of America, Kolkata, Madelyn A. M. Mahon and Consular Section Agnes G. Verma interacted with the officials of Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) in a Meeting on 7th March 2018 at the ASDMA State Headquarter, Dispur. The Meeting was chaired by Shri. Rajib Prakash Baruah, Additional Secretary & State Project Coordinator, ASDMA. Shri. Mukta Ram Deka, Project Manager, DRR, Dr. Mirza Md. Irshad, Project Manager, Response, Shri. Rajesh Dutta, Engineering Consultant, Biren Baishya, GIS Expert and others senior officials of Assam State Disaster Management Authority were also present in the meeting.

The Vice Consul discussed about the various on-going mitigation projects of ASDMA. A presentation was given by Rajesh Dutta, Engineering Consultant, ASDMA on the major initiatives undertaken by ASDMA. Activities under Mitigation and Response were highlighted in the meeting. Few of major activities highlighted were the Model Flood Resilient Village Project, Flood Early Warning System Projects, Emergency Management Exercises at the Gaon Panchayat level, Mock Drills, River Atlas Project, GO-NGO Protocol, and Project on Earthquake Damage Estimation in Guwahati City etc.

The Vice Consul appreciated the unique interventions undertaken by ASDMA for Disaster preparedness and said that ASDMA is the forerunner as far as Disaster readiness in the North East is concerned. She informed about the activities that the Consulate General of USA, Kolkata has undertaken for preparedness. They have also said that this visit has paved the way for future collaborations with ASDMA through various activities focussing on Crisis Management and Emergency Management Exercises.

Shri Rajib Prakash Baruah, Additional Secretary and State Project Coordinator, ASDMA showed his gratitude to the Vice Consul for visiting Assam and showing keen interest in Disaster preparedness activities. He added, "The Kolkata office has an eminent place in the history of American diplomacy as one of the oldest American Consulates anywhere in the world, and it is the oldest in India and hence, through future collaborations, Assam can build stronger strategies for building resilience in the State."

Sensitization Programme on Earthquake and Fire Safety in Apartment Societies/ Huge Commercial Complexes in 5 Urban Agglomerations

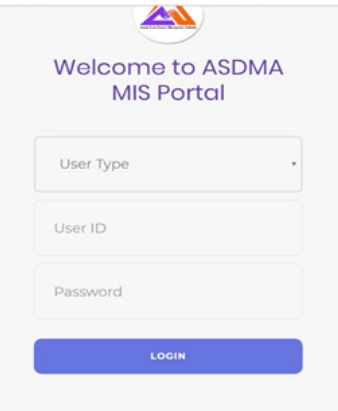
Seismically Assam lies in one of the most active regions of the world and falls in Zone V, the most vulnerable seismic zone. This is one reason why earthquakes of very high intensity are occurring regularly in the region. Huge urban population combined with poor quality and ill-maintained infrastructure, low quality building stock, and lower resilience of the high-density society increases the risks in the urban centres. Besides Guwahati, six other Urban Agglomerations in Assam have population over 1 lakh as per Census 2011. The places are Cachar, Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Nagaon and Tinsukia. Apartment buildings have also mushroomed in these places exposing the populace to risk from Earthquakes and Fire. The citizens of these districts need to be educated about their risk, vulnerability and their capacity and hence ASDMA conducted sensitization Program on Earthquake and Fire Safety in Apartment Societies/ Huge Commercial Complexes in 5 Urban Agglomerations namely Cachar, Dibrugarh, Jorhat, Nagaon, Tinsukia. Objectives of the programme to involve the community in the Disaster Preparedness activities initiated by the Government and to educate the apartment dwellers on the steps to be taken in pre, during and after Earthquake & Fire. It aims to build a culture of safety in the society

The Process:

Since the objective of the exercise itself is to sensitise and build the capacity of the community, Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) proposes to adopt a participative approach in conducting the whole exercise to assess the fire and earthquake safety of the buildings on a pilot basis.

Design, Development and Maintenance of Web based Management Information System (MIS) Portal of Assam State Disaster Management Authority

Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) has designed and developed Web based Management Information System (MIS) which involves creation of a web portal to facilitate updates on various activities on Disaster Management among the network members. The network members will be the State, District and Revenue Circle Government officials of Assam State Disaster Management Authority dealing with Disaster Management issues. The portal will provide tools to capture or acquire and organize knowledge on various facets of Disaster Management.



DISTRICT BULLETIN

Baksa

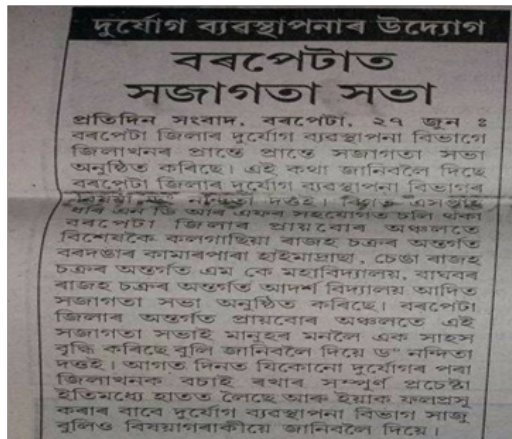
During the period from April to July, 2018 following programme has been conducted.

The Sensitization Programme on Mainstreaming Disability & Aging into Disaster Risk Reduction was organized on 6th April, 2018 at the Conference Hall of the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Baksa, Mushalpur. Around 140 participants, both disabled and senior citizens turned up in the said programme.



BARPETA

Coordinated and Conducted Familiarization Exercise by involving 1st NDRF at schools and colleges during the period of 18th June to 23rd June, 2018. The awareness programmes on Disaster Management were conducted mainly in Kamarpara High Madrassa, Bardanga under Kalgachia rev circle, M.K.College under Chenga Rev. Circle and Adarsha Vidyalaya under Baghbar Rev. Circle in Barpeta District.



- » Participated on Blood Donation Camp organised by NGO, Aloran and delivered a speech on disaster preparedness on 14th June, 2018.

Flood Response 2017–2018

- » Regular assessment of flood damage and submit to SEOC for 2017-18
- » Assessment of Storm Damage report regularly during of April-May 2018.



BISWANATH DISTRICT

During April 2018 to July 2018, The DDMA Biswanath has taken numerous steps towards awareness generation and the possible steps to be taken for dealing with the flood or any other disaster situation around the District. A brief description of the activities is given below:-

1. Formation of District Level advisory committee for school safety:

To increase the safety of the schools under Biswanath district the DDMA Biswanath have notified the DSSAC. The New district have created the District Level advisory committee for school safety with the officials of District Elementary Education Office, Sonitpur and Inspector of School, Sonitpur and other officials of the district administration.

2. Meeting with officials of The Kaziranga National park:

To ensure the safety of the animals as well as the people residing in the forest areas of the Biswanath district during upcoming flood, a meeting was convened with DDMA Biswanath, Officials of Kaziranga National park, Sonitpur forest east division & Police administration of Biswanath. In the meeting it was decided to circulate the DEOC toll free number for any kind of emergency situation with wild animals in the forest areas of the district.

3. Collection of GPS Coordinates of the Pre Identified Relief Camps:

The F.Os along with the LMs visited the Pre Identified Relief Camps and collected the GPS coordinates of the same as instructed by ASDMA.

CIRCLE WISE ACTIVITY REPORT

BISWANATH REVENUE CIRCLE:

Relief Camps Inspected:

Coming to FLOOD, the Biswanath Rev. Circle is a partially flood affected Circle. The villages normally affected by flood/erosion are situated on the bank of the river Brahmaputra, and its tributaries namely, Diring, Borgang, Buroi, Ghiladhari, Burigang and Sadharu etc. descending from Arunachal Pradesh and passing through Biswanath Circle before it merges into the river mighty Brahmaputra. A total of 17 Numbers of Relief Camps have been set up mostly for those people. Circle Administration have tried their level best to find all the suitable places and inspected each and every measure which is to be needed during flood. Selection processes for the responsible person have also been completed and they will look after the relief camps.



Vulnerable Points Inspected:

The Biswanath Circle Administration visited different parts of the flood prone areas and listed out the possible vulnerable points by keeping in mind of the last year flood. Around 25000 population was affected during the flood of 2017, so to reduce this affected population number in the ongoing year several vulnerable points were inspected and discussion have been conducted with the responsible line Departments through CDMC meetings to find the best possible solutions to deal with these vulnerabilities within a

very short time frame . The HODs from different Depts. have also participated in this tour program and shared their personal views regarding the steps that can be taken to reduce the effect of Flood.



FAMEx: The Circle Administration with the joint collaboration of 1st NDRF held a two days awareness program around the flood affected areas of Biswanath in the month of July, 2018. During this the NDRF team have showcased a lot of homely techniques to deal with the natural disasters. These techniques are very easy to understand and to operate by common people. The team also inspected several flood prone areas and talked to the villagers to figure out the things needed to be done for the safety and communication purpose during the upcoming flood situation. The NDRF team now possesses a well settled route plan to reach the affected areas in shortest possible time for successful rescue operation to be carried out.



GOHPUR REVENUE CIRCLE

Relief Camps Inspected:

Gohpur Circle is said to be one the most flood affected areas in Assam over the decade. However a very few number of deaths have been registered due to flood. Around 8000 population of Gohpur Circle stays outside of the Brahmaputra Dyke starting from Lohitmukh to Paken covering a area near about 15-20 kms. A total of 30 Numbers of Relief Camps have been set up mostly for those people. Circle Administration have tried their level best to find all the suitable places and inspected each and every measure which is to be needed during flood time. Selection process for the responsible persons has also been completed and they will look after the relief camps. All the relief camps have been well set under the Latitude and Longitude Coordinates of Global Positioning System so that Govt. could easily find it out and help the people with all the possible solutions.



Vulnerable Points Inspected:

The Gohpur Circle Administration visited different parts of the flood prone areas and listed out the possible vulnerable points by keeping in mind of the last year flood. Around 85000 population was affected during the flood of 2017, so to reduce this affected population number in the ongoing year several vulnerable points were inspected and discussion have been conducted with the responsible line Departments through CDMC meetings to find the best possible solutions to deal with these vulnerabilities within a very short time frame .

The HODs from different Depts. have also participated in this tour program and shared their personal views regarding the steps that can be taken to reduce the effect of Flood.



FAMEx:

The Circle Administration with the joint collaboration of 1st NDRF held a two days awareness program around the flood affected areas of Gohpur in the month of July, 2018. During this the NDRF team have showcased a lot of homely techniques to deal with the natural disasters. These techniques are very easy to understand and to operate by common people. The team also inspected several flood prone areas and talked to the villagers to figure out the things needed to be done for the safety and communication purpose during the upcoming flood situation. The NDRF team now possesses a well settled route plan to reach the affected areas in a shortest possible for successful rescue operation to be carried out.



HALEM REVENUE CIRCLE

Vulnerable Points Inspected:

The Halem Revenue Circle Administration visited different parts of the flood prone areas and listed out the possible vulnerable points likely to be affected in the coming flood season. The Field Officer, DDMA Halem along with LMs and the Gaon Burha of the Chatrang area inspected the vulnerable points of River Chatrang.



FAMEx:

The Circle Administration with the joint collaboration of 1st NDRF held a two days awareness program around the flood affected areas of Halem Revenue Circle in the month of July, 2018. During this the NDRF Team conducted Community Awareness Program on Flood rescue techniques and First aid at DATHKALA L P SCHOOL under Halem circle. In which, 35 Male, 03 Female villagers & 02 circle Office staff Total 40 were present in the program. The team carried out area familiarization in flood prone village Dathkala, Bakuri, Bardalani under Helem revenue circle.



On the second day, the team conducted Community Awareness Program on Flood rescue technique's and first aid at Golchepa Surya Mandir at Golchepa village under Helem circle. In which, villagers (55 Male, 07 Female, 03 Child) & 02 circle Office staff Total 67 were present in the program. The team carried out area familiarization in flood prone village Kuhimari, Batamari, Golchepa under Helem revenue circle.

Bongaigaon

The following activities were conducted in Bongaigaon District by DDMA, Bongaigaon:

Srijangram Revenue Circle:

- » Identified the boat men and collected their contact that maybe required during the flood i.e. for transportation of relief materials, performing rescue operation etc.
- » Identified raised lands under Srijangram Revenue Circle, Abhayapuri which may be used as relief camps during the flood under Srijangram Revenue Circle as well as for relief camp of live stock during flood under veterinary dispensary.
- » GPS coordinates of sixty number of proposed relief camps were collected.
- » A flood preparedness meeting conducted on the 8th May 2018 with the Relief Camp in-charge and CDMC members, Srijangram Rev Circle, Abhayapuri to reinforce their roles and responsibilities regarding disaster management specially flood. The CO, Srijangram Rev Circle, Abhayapuri interacted with the relief camp in-charge regarding various issues related to flood and also instructed them to perform their duties without any negligence as and when required during the flood.
- » A meeting was also conducted with the boatmen in presence of Circle Officer, Srijangram Rev Circle on 17 May 2018. The CO, Srijangram Rev Circle, Abhayapuri interacted with the boatmen and asked them to keep their boats ready to serve as and when required during the flood.

- » An awareness programme on disaster management had been conducted by NDRF, Patgaon, Ghy on 30/06/2018 at MRM High School, Dumerguri where 350 number of participants were present in the program.
- » MRM High School, Dumerguri



Bongaigaon Revenue Circle:

- » A flood preparedness meeting has been conducted on 29/6/18 with all the Line Departments, Zonal Officer, Sector Officers, Relief camp In charge, LM's & SK under this circle. It is asked all to remain alert for upcoming flood season.
- » Celebrated and performed World Environment day on 5/6/18 in Bongaigaon -Eco Park with other line Department.



Boitamari Revenue circle:

An awareness program on Disaster Management was organized at Chatpara High School, Jogighopa under Boitamari Circle in association with NDRF, Patgaon Guwahati on 5/7/18. Around 300 persons participated in the awareness program.



Chatpara High School

Dangtal Revenue Circle:

- » A disaster awareness program by NDRF in collaboration with the revenue circle officials has been conducted in Chikibiki GP, under Dangtal revenue circle in the month of June/18.



- » Flood preparedness meeting has been conducted with all the Line Departments, Zonal Officer, Sector Officers, Relief camp Incharge, LM's & SK under this circle on 7th.of June/18.



At the district level the following activities were organized:

A flood preparedness review meeting chaired by DC & Chairman, DDMA, Bongaigaon was organized inviting all the Head of Departments on 15/6/18 for reviewing the preparedness level of the departments for the ensuing flood season.

A meeting with emergency rescuers viz. NDRF and Fire & Emergency Services were held on 27/6/18 for discussion on prepositioning of logistics that will be required for rescue operations that was chaired by Deputy Commissioner & Chairman, DDMA, Bongaigaon. A discussion was also held on 21/6/18 in Circuit House, Bongaigaon with all the defence personnel viz. Army, SSB, CRPF, ITBF and Police Department on their preparedness level for the ensuing flood season in Circuit House, Bongaigaon that was chaired by DC & Chairman, DDMA, Bongaigaon.

Cachar

Prevention, Preparedness & Mitigation Activities:

DM awareness programme & demonstration on fire safety search Rescue technique was organized among 200 NCC Cadet on 05/01/2018 at Masimpur Military Station, Silchar:

On 5th January, a large number of NCC cadets were demonstrated fire safety awareness program and they were made well equipped with the general ways to deal with it.



Volunteers training & awareness programme held on every circle for upcoming GP-EMEx-III :

In the end of January, 2018 a volunteers training with all the volunteers who would work in GP-EMEx-III & IV were trained by Field Officers of individual revenue circle to successfully accomplish the GP-EMEx



DDMA presence in 69th Republic Day Celebration in Silchar: On the occasion of 69th Republic Day, DDMA presented a Oil fire Mock Drill at Police Parade Ground, Silchar in Collaboration with F&E.S/SDRF& Health Dept. A tableau presentation was also projected by DDMA, F&SS & SDRF.

The entire team of DDMA participated in Republic Day Celebration on 26th January, 2018. Here a fire drill was also showcased by SDRF under the supervision of DDMA, Cachar and along with it a tableau was also presented by DDMA in collaboration with F&E.S/SDRF& Health Dept.





Joint inspection of business establishment like Bar, Mall etc. In Silchar regarding fire safety, Electricity safety & food safety etc. on 3rd, 4th & 5th February 2018:

A joint inspection was done in all the restaurants, malls, bar, etc of Silchar Town so as to test the safety techniques that is being followed by them.



Apartment sensitization programme on Earthquake & Fire Safety organized by DDMA in 31 nos. Flats in Cachar District from 03/02/2018 to 03/03/2018:

The DDMA, Cachar has conducted apartment sensitization program in 30 different apartments of the city, where both verbal and practical discussion was done to handle earthquakes and fire incidents whenever it happens.



GP EMEx-III 2018” on 3rd February 2018 at all GP’s of Cachar District. :

GP-EME-III was conducted in all GPs of Cachar District and was successful in spreading the colours of awareness.



“GP EMEx-IV 2018” on 3rd March 2018 at all GP’s of Cachar District:

GP-EME-IV was conducted in all GPs of Cachar District and was successful in spreading the colours of awareness:



Workshop on Disaster Preparedness for people with Disability at AMSA House Conference Hall, Silchar on 10.03.2018:

The programme was inaugurated by the Deputy Commissioner cum Chairman, DDMA in the presence of ADC cum CEO, DDMA and other officials of Depts. and SAKSHAM, South Assam (NGO). 70Nos. of participants from different parts of the District attended the programme. This was an initiative to spread awareness among the PWDs.



Joint inspection of immediate restoration works at Laltugram, Saptagram & Dharmikhal under SDRF in Sonai Revenue Circle on 13.03.2018:



Sensitization meeting and demonstration on Disaster Management at DIET Meeting Hall, Udharbond & Hotel Kalpataru Conference Hall, Silchar. Programs are jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar & NDRF Team on 13/03/2018:-

In Udharbond the awareness program was done to aware DLEd/ BED students so that they can also train the students.

At Kalpataru, awareness program was done to teach safety techniques and fire safety demonstration to all the staff of that hotel



Awareness Programme on Disaster Management at Sunrise High School, Poilapool & Emmanuel English School, Poilapool under Lakhipur Revenue Circle. Programs are jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar & NDRF Team on 14/3/2018:-

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children





Awareness Programme on Disaster Management at Ideal Public School, Katigorah under Katigorah Revenue Circle. Programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar & NDRF Team on 15/3/2018:-

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children.



Awareness Programme on Disaster Management at Abid Raja High School under Sonai Revenue Circle. Programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar & NDRF Team on 16/3/2018:



Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children

Workshop on Earthquake Risk Mitigation for Builders, Developers and Contractors etc. inaugurated by DIG, Southern Range Sri Debraj Upadhay, IPS, Silchar in presence of ADC & CEO, DDMA Sri Rajib Roy, ACS & Addl. S.P, Silchar & Dr. T. Rahman, Associate Prof. Dept. Of Civil Engineering, NIT, Silchar on 17/3/2018. Programme was conducted by DDMA, Cachar.

This program was done with all engineers, builders, promoters of this place and here they were taught how to safely construct buildings to avoid earthquakes. This was conducted by professors from NIT Silchar and they delivered a highly fruitful session.



Disaster Management Awareness Programme at Y. S. Memorial High School, Ramnagar, Silchar under Sadar Revenue Circle. Programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar & NDRF Teamon 17/3/2018

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children



Earthquake Risk Mitigation Workshop for Builders/Developers & Contractors etc. (Field visit in Building Construction site, Ambicapatty, Silchar on 18/3/2018)



Disaster Management Awareness programme at Cachar College, Silchar. Programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, NDRF & NSS Unit of Cachar College, Silchar on 19/3/2018

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children



Community level Disaster Preparedness program was held at Rajubari LP School, Borjelenga GP.under Sadar Revenue Circle on 03.04.2018. 50 nos. of participants were participated in the awareness programme. The overall programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar and Assam University. Silchar.

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children



DM awareness programme on Health Hazards and conduct of Health Camp in Borjelenga Pt-III (Rajubari LP School), under Sadar Revenue Circle on 17.04.2018 .The overall programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar, Health Dept and Dept. of Social work Assam University. Silchar.



Community level Disaster Preparedness program was held at Borjelenga Pioneer Sangha Community Hall, Borjelenga GP under Sadar Revenue Circle on 24.04.2018 . Total 60 nos. of participants were participated in the awareness programme. The overall programme was jointly conducted by DDMA, Cachar, F&ESS- Tarapur and Social Work department Assam University, Silchar.



On 25/04/2018 Fire & Earthquake mock drill was organized by DDMA Cachar in collaboration with SDRF Udharbond at CG Foods manufacturing pvt. Ltd.:

This program was conducted to train the employees on safety techniques and fire safety. Here around 50 number of staff participated and took part in the discussion session.



On 27/04/2018 DM awareness & Fire drill Exercise was organized by DDMA Cachar in collaboration with Fire Station Team Lakhipur at JNV Pailapool :-

Focusing on the importance of child awareness safety, this was done to strengthen the preparedness level of the children



Prize distribution ceremony on Essay competition of the theme Disaster preparedness on 05.06.2018 by DDMA, Cachar.

The essay competition which was held on the occasion of IDDR day came up with number of participation from various schools and those students who secured the first three positions were awarded with certificates and trophy from DDMA, Cachar



DM Awareness-cum- Mock Drill at Saint Capitanio Sr. Secondary School, Silchar on 7th June'18". Jointly Conducted by DDMA & NDRF Cachar.



DM Awareness-cum- Mock Drill at Silchar Medical College & Hospital on 27/6/18 Jointly Conducted by DDMA/NDRF/SDRF/ F&ESS & Police.



**Response, Relief & Rehabilitation Activities:
Fire Incident at Angarzur, Rongpur Part -IV on 24.02.2018.**



Ex-gratia distributed –Flood 2018



Flood Katigorah & Sadar Rev. Circle 2018



Chirang

The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Chirang conducted a daylong workshop-cum-sensitization programme on mainstreaming disability into disaster risk reduction on 15th March, 2018 in the Conference Hall, Deputy Commissioner's Office Chirang. The basic objective of the workshop-cum-sensitization programme was to create awareness among the people with disability and the senior citizens on various aspects of disaster



management as these people have unique contributions to help reduce the risk of disasters which is in normally overlooked by the community. During the daylong programme, resources persons from the field of Health, Education and Civil Defence delivered their speeches. More than 60 (sixty) participants participated in the workshop-cum-sensitization programme. The daylong programme was inaugurated by Shri Ratul Baruah, ACS, and Deputy Commissioner-cum-Chairman.



Few photographs of District Level Workshop-cum-Sensitization Programme on Mainstreaming Disability into Disaster Risk Reduction





Darrang

Brief report on activities under District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Darrang

- » The District level Flood Preparedness meeting was organized in the district on 12th April, 2018 and necessary measures have been taken for flood preparedness and mitigation. The meeting was chaired by the Deputy Commissioner, Darrang.
- » DPO attended the training programme for Volunteers (Bipod Bondhu) on Search & Rescue and First Aid organized by DTO, Darrang held at Bhebarghat, Mangaldai on 23rd April 2018.
- » The DDMA organized a review meeting on flood preparedness as well as preparation of flood contingency plan with Field Officers (DM) and Civil Defence officials on 25th April 2018 at DC Office, Darrang.
- » DPO attended a NDEM Regional Training Programme- North East at Shillong on 16th May 2018 organized by NESAC & NRSC.
- » A District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) meeting was organized on 24th May 2018 in the Conference Hall of DC Office, Darrang.
- » DPO attended and acted as a resource person on Pre Monsoon awareness, School Safety and preparation of School DM Plan in a training programme for BEEOs, CRCCs and other officials of Education department organized by DEEO, Darrang on 8th June 2018 at Bhebarghat ME School, Mangaldoi.

- » DPO as a Resource Person on Disaster Preparedness in an annual camp of Darrang district Scout & Guides held at Maroi High School under Sipajhar Revenue Circle on 6th July 2018.
- » A training programme was organized by DDMA for Camp In-charges on relief camp management on 06/07/2018 in the district.
- » As a part of Pre-Monsoon Awareness on School Safety, about 95 numbers of Schools of flood prone areas of the district were visited and distributed the Flood Advisory for Child Safety among the students
- » A team of NYK Volunteers has been prepared as Bipod Bondhu for any emergency response in the district under DDMA, Darrang (List of volunteers enclosed).
- » The Flood Contingency Plan 2018 of the district is prepared and submitted to ASDMA.
- » The list of pre-identified Relief Camps along with GPS coordinates under 4 nos. of Revenue Circle has been prepared as a part of DRR activities.

DHEMAJI

1. Training of volunteers on Relief & Rescue:

A total of 3 (three) batches of residential volunteer trainings each of 4 days were conducted from 26th April, 2018 to 7th May, 2018. The trainings were organised in association with the Mising People Justice Forum (NGO) and DDMA, Dhemaji supported by Assam State Disaster Management Authority. The resource person from the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) and DDMA Officials carried out the trainings. A total of 200 numbers of volunteers took part in the trainings. After the completion of the training the volunteers were provided certificates by DDMA, Dhemaji.

2. District Level Pre-Monsoon Workshop:

One day Pre-Monsoon workshop was held in collaboration with District Disaster Management Authority and several line departments at Dhemaji College conference hall on 27th June 2018. The meeting was facilitated by Mr. Rajen Saikia, Dhemaji District Programme Coordinator (IGSSS). He welcomed all the Dignitaries from various Department, PRI members and villagers followed by traditional lamp lightening.

Mr. Rajen Saikia shared objective of the meeting i.e. to bring various Line department, NGO and interact with PRI and villagers to address the concerns that arise during the Flood and post flood

To generate awareness about Right and Entitlement of the Villages which they get from the Government in terms of Assistance and Fund.

Mr. Dharani Payeng, Assistant Manager presented a brief of IGSSS in both the district of Dhemaji and Lakhimpur. The focus of the presentation was given to Generic Models which are implemented in the targeted Villages of the flood affected area. The models covered- HRP-RS for human as well as livestocks, elevated toilet, boat, elevated bucket farming, SRI paddy cultivation, post flood paddy cultivation and solar lighting and medical camp which are jointly conducted with various agencies.

Mr. Lohit Gogoi DPO, DDMA Dhemaji took us through the DM policy in which he mentioned about the National Disaster Management and Mitigation Fund which is a special pool of fund used in time of disaster. The fund can be accessed by the family whose assets are destroyed completely or partially through District Disaster Management Department.

The water resource department was represented by Mr Kamal Dutta. Asst Executive engineer. He mentioned about contingency plan for the flood prone area. He also mentioned that the department has identified the high risk area and have developed contingency plan to reduce impact. He also assured that suitable measures shall be initiated to the identified risk area as soon as possible.

Education Department was represented by Mr. Hemanta Kr Bordoloi DPO SSA. He mentioned about School Development Plan and role of the SMDC in disaster. He asked the SMDC to identify those schools, which are considered as vulnerable and submit a list to DDMA for their intervention. Similarly, he made a request to SMDC members to design disaster mitigation plan for the schools in collaboration with concerned disaster department. While interacting he requested the SMDC to draw plan for awareness programme in the schools in collaboration with the disaster management committees.

Mrs Jutika Doley from the Social Welfare Department mentioned that under the social welfare department there are rescue team in every village who collect information from the people staying in relief camp and submit the list to Gaonburha (Village Headman). The CDPO took the initiative to distribute nutritious foods basically for the old-age, child, pregnant and lactating mother. She also mentioned about various pension schemes, scholarship and fund for PWD, widow, unmarried, pregnant and lactating mother. Mr. Milan Biswas Inspector of NDRF talked about self defence and preventive measures needed for disaster mitigation. He mentioned about the role of the NDRF team during the flood period and suggested the community people to conduct collaborative program with NDRF and SDRF before any disaster occurs.

Mr. Lok Nath Deori from Health Department talked about Pre-flood Vaccination, role of ASHA during Flood. In the onset of flood the ASHA worker and sub centre staff collect health data from the villagers and submit health report to the Health Department.

Roman Buragohain form Circle Office discussed about the process of identifying areas which falls in disaster prone area. He said by identifying the areas it become convenient for the department to assist the villagers in time of disaster.

Dr. Kuladhar Saikia from District Veterinary office, talked about livestock vaccination and supply of fodder to needed household before flood. During the interaction he mentioned their department conduct assessment on regular interval and also conducts awareness session regarding fodder and its uses.

Gunjan Gogoi, from KVK discussed about HYV seeds, SRI method, Post flood Paddy cultivation and Fish cum Paddy model. He also stressed about flood resilient crop like Ranjeet and Boro which is suitable for flood prone area.

Mr. G. Lahon from agriculture department mention about the subsidised Solar Hand Pump which is available at 85% subsidised rate.

Mr. Atul Chamua represented the Dhemaji press club. He discussed about the importance of communication among line departments and with the community. To bring it to understandable level he put forward his field experience where he came to know about the use of poor quality material for the construction toilet under Swachh Bharat Abhiyan. He supported the role of press as a key player in disseminating information about various schemes, also he said that the press is 4th pillar because it checks and limit the power structure.

During the interaction between the line agency, PRI members and villagers, several issues were raised by the community and many of their doubts were clarified by the concern department.

3. Refresher Training for Teachers on School Safety:

A day long training workshop was conducted by the DDMA, Dhemaji in collaboration with the Save the Children and Rural Volunteer Centre for school teachers on school safety on 24th June, 2018 at Rural Volunteer Centre's Auditorium Hall. The Training was attended by around sixty school teachers both from higher & lower primary schools and members of school management committee.

The training was inaugurated by Sri Luit Goswami, Director, RVC, Silapathar. The training was also attended by officers of DDMA, Dhemaji and Education Department and SSA, Dhemaji. The trainees were given training on National School Safety Policy, various aspects of school safety, school safety plan etc.

4. Training on Disaster Preparedness for Hospital Staff:

The Civil Hospital, Dhemaji in collaboration with the DDMA, Dhemaji and NDRF organised a training workshop on disaster preparedness for the staff of Dhemaji Civil Hospital. The training was inaugurated by Dr. J. Upadhya, Superintendent, Civil Hospital, Dhemaji. The workshop was also attended by officials of DDMA, Dhemaji, NDRF and Fire & Emergency Services, Dhemaji.

The participants were given training on Earthquake safety, Fire safety, Flood safety etc. by the experts of NDRF and Fire & Emergency Services, Dhemaji.

Dhubri

Flood mock drill conduct by Districted Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Dhubri and Golakganj Rev. Circle in collaboration with 17th Dogra Indian Army, Panbari, Dhubri.

Dhubri district has 7 (Seven) revenue circles and 990 nos revenue villages out of which Golakganj Revenue Circle consists of 22 No's of Gaon Panchayat and 102 no. of villages. The flood Mock Drill conducted by joint discussion with 17th Dogra Indian Army and Dhubri district administration in view of disaster prone area and select Golakganj Rev. Circle for organised a Flood Mock Drill on 12-05-2018 at the open ground in front of VDP office, (bank of river Gangadhar) Golakganj in collaboration with District Administration, Dhubri & District Disaster Management Authority, Dhubri and 17th Dogra Indian Army, Panbari camp, Dhubri.

In this connection before conducting the " Flood Mock Drill " the Deputy Commissioner Cum Chairman, DDMA Dhubri fixed a preparedness meeting on 11th May 2018 at the conference Hall, DC's Office, Dhubri at 11-00 A.M. where all Heads of officials are to be present and plan for the next day Mock Drill.

The Inaugural session started with the welcome address from the Circle Officer, Golakganj Rev. Circle (Mrs. Chayanika Thakuria, ACS) she addressed to all participants from the various line departments and also to others public. Then a felicitation programme was held to convey honour to all the dignitaries who were present at the meeting Respected Add'l. Deputy Commissioner cum Chief Executive Officer, DDMA, Dhubri Sri Pallav Mazumdar (ACS). After this Sri Devraj Gill Commanding Officer, 17th Dogra Indian Army, Sri L.S. Brist, Major 17th Dogra Indian Army, Sri Pranjal Bora, DSP, Golakganj, Sri Bikash Sarma, DIPRO, Dhubri and Sri. M. Sarkar, District Project Officer DDMA, Dhubri graced the occasion with their presence and valuable accordance to the public.

As per Schedule, Sri M. Sarkar, District Project Officer DDMA Dhubri started his training session on the topic: "Flood Management", "Co- Ordination of Response & Managing Relief Operation", "SOP on response on receipt of FLEWS alert" which give knowledge on preparedness of before Flood.

After this Mr. Devraj Gill Commanding Officer 17th Dogra Indian Army & Sri L.S. Bisht , Major 17th Dogra Indian Army discussed about motive of the “ Flood Mock Drill ”, He also encouraged all the participants, especially the VDP and NGO volunteers through his valuable speech. He congratulated the team members of Golakganj Circle Office for organising such an effective and fruitful mock drill before flood season. With a light mood he shared some of his experience on flood.

During the session of “Flood Mock Drill” Field Officer (DM) Golakganj Rev. circle elaborately briefed in local language about the purpose of the exercise. He also discussed about Primary Briefing – through event scenarios. Response from the participants on the different injects to the situations, Mobilization of resources and the assessment of help from outside the Block, Coordination between various agencies by the Sub-district / Revenue Circle administration, to mitigate the effect of flood disaster.

The field drill started as soon as RCO (Circle Officer of Golakganj) received information about breach of embankment from FLEWS. Then RCO informed the respective Lot mondal about the incident over phone and directed him to visit the designated place immediately and also asked to mobilize the runner with megaphone to make the announcement of the probable flood. The Field Drill continued as per sequence till the last sequence when the RCO sent the final report to CEO, DDMA/DEOC for onward reporting on time.

The 17th Dogra Indian Army regiment performed a special performance to different improvised techniques which public can help them such as “improvised banana raft”, “Bamboo Raft”, “Floating a raft by vehicle Tube or Water Glen” etc.

In the Valedictory function carried out by the Respected Add'l. Deputy Commissioner cum Chief Executive Officer, DDMA, Dhubri Sri Pallav Mazumdar (ACS) with vote of thanks.

General Observation

Mr. Moferjal Sarkar (District Project Officer DDMA) & Mr. Deepak Kr. Sarkar, BRP, Golakganj shared general observation where all the line department, NGO & communities were present.

- » All 17th Dogra Amry Cadres showed enthusiasm and did the practical drill very well.
- » PWD (B) immediately constructed the temporary shelter camp at High land near the bank of river Gangadhar.
- » PHE immediately constructed toilet, urinal & Bathroom (F) separate for male and female in the relief camp.
- » PHE immediately provide drinking water facility (HTW) and dispensers for the camp inmates.
- » SDRF rescued marooned people safely as soon as received instruction from RCO. After that health worker carried them with Ambulance to the shelter camp and started first aid A.H. & Veterinary department also opened the camp for cattle.
- » School teachers also carried out the education for the children's at relief camp.
- » Anganwadi Workers took care of infants, childs & also pregnant women at relief camp.
- » VDP & NGO's actively participated during the whole Mock Drill, NGO's help SDRF for Search and Rescue operation. Also took care of the aged, physically handicapped and women in the relief camp.
- » VDP & NGO's also provided chira, muri & biscuit for the camp inmates.





THE TELEGRAPH SUNDAY 13 MAY 2018

Meeting

DHUBRI: The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Dhubri, in collaboration with the India Army has organised an awareness meeting-cum-mock drill at Golaiganj town of Dhubri district.

গোলকগঞ্জত দুৰ্যোগ ব্যবস্থাপনা-সেনাৰ সহযোগত বানপানীৰ সময়ত ল'বলগীয়া সাবধানতা সম্বন্ধত সজাগতা শিবিৰ



সভাৰ শিবেত পৰামৰ্শ, কাৰ্যসূচী সেনাৰ ১৭ ডায়টাৰী চেণ্টাৰৰ সৈন্যসকলৰ সৈতে অনুষ্ঠিত হৈছিল।

আভ্যন্তৰীণ বিপদতো জনতাৰ সুৰক্ষাৰ বাবে প্রস্তুত হৈ থাকে সেনা



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THE ASSAM TRIBUNE, GUWAHATI MONDAY, MAY 14, 2018

Mock drill on flood disaster held at Golaganj

Correspondent

GOLAGANJ, May 13: Under the aegis of the Circle Officer Golaganj and in association with the district administration, an important mock drill on flood was held on the premises of Golaganj Police station on May 12.

অসমীয়া প্ৰতিদিন ■ বহুভাগিত ■ বুধবাৰ, ১৬ মে, ২০১৮/ ১ জ্যৈষ্ঠ, ১৯৪০ শক

গোলকগঞ্জত বানপানী সম্বন্ধত সজাগতা শিবিৰ গংগাধৰ নদীত উদ্ধাৰ অভিযানৰ কৌশল প্ৰদৰ্শন

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Preparedness against natural calamities in Dhubri

Correspondent

DHUBRI, May 12: In view of flood and other natural calamities, the district disaster management authority is taking effective steps for preparedness with assistance from the Army (DDMA) in the form of VDP office when nearly 70 rescue team members, including medical staff of army, participated in the drill and shows various ways to save people trapped in critical condition in major natural calamities like flood, earthquake and storm.

MBBS IN BANGLADESH

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Dibrugarh

- Dibrugarh is prone to natural & manmade disasters like earthquakes, fire, flood etc. Review of the past disasters shows a very grim picture of the region in regards to potential disasters in near future. It is realised that most of the time, not because of the disaster, but because of our ignorance to address the incident and poor awareness allows a Disaster to become violent.

As per National Building Code norms, fire and earthquake safety measures are must in all Apartment buildings including multi-storied Shopping Complexes. Considering the importance of all related aspects, Earthquake & Fire Safety Audit including sensitization programmes among the residents of Apartments of Dibrugarh is carried out during the month of May-June, 2018. Thirty (30) Apartments/ large Shopping Malls were covered in the programme. Different techniques of knots & lashing, making of improvised stretchers, rescue methods by two/ three hand, the use and advantages of fire fighting equipments were demonstrated. Leaflets on Earthquakes & Fire depicting different safety tips prepared both in English & Assamese were distributed. Information posters on Earthquake & Fire Safety in the form of Dangler were also handed over to the Apartment Societies/ Shopping Mall Authority. After completion of the programme necessary suggestions were circulated.

- Flood being the main recurring disaster in the district, preparedness activities has been taken up at District as well as Circle level. Circle Level Disaster Management Committee meeting has been conducted in Dibrugarh East, Dibrugarh West, and Tengakhat Revenue Circle. In addition, meeting with Relief Camp-incharge, Gaon Burha and line department officials were conducted in all 7 Circles for effective and timely response to disasters. Different Registers for Relief Camp operation were distributed. Circle wise Response Team from Health/ Veterinary/ Power/ Public Health etc. departments were constituted and shared with all concerned. GPS coordinates of Relief Camps were also collected. Liaison with NDRF, SDRF, Army, Air Force etc. is maintained constantly.

- To know preparedness level Response Agencies, a Flood Mock Drill

was conducted on 1st June, 2018 in collaboration with Rajputona Regiment and SDRF. Different methods of flood rescue, first aid and rescue equipment were demonstrated.

- During the month of June, 2018 several district experienced severe flood. To review the preparedness activities of concerned line Departments/ agencies and to recommend SDRF proposals submitted by Water Resources Department, APDCL, a meeting of District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) was hold on 19th June, 2018. In the meeting, Rehabilitation Grant proposals submitted by concerned Circle Officers were scrutinized and recommended for consideration by Higher Authority.
- District Disaster Management Authority, Dibrugarh participated in the offsite Disaster Management Tier III Practice Drill organized by Oil India Ltd., Duliajan on 26th June, 2018 at Intermediate Tank Farm (ITF) under Tengakhat Revenue Circle. Industries like Brahmaputra Valley Fertilizer Corporation Ltd. Namrup, Assam Petrochemical Ltd. Namrup, Brahmaputra Cracker and Polymer Ltd Dibrugarh, Indian Oil Corporation Digboi, Assam Gas Company Duliajan participated in the drill. Besides State Fire & Emergency Services, Dibrugarh Fire Station and 12th Bn NDRF, Doimukh Arunachal Pradesh participated in the drill.

The NDRF team demonstrated different rescue methods viz. Leaning ladder, Sliding stretcher by one ladder, Sliding stretcher by two parallel ropes, Flying Fox etc. In addition, the use and advantages of equipments like Rotary hammer, Chain saw, Bolt cutter, Manila rope, Back board etc. were demonstrated.

- An awareness drive was carried out among the storm affected people who have been provided Rehabilitation Grant so that the affected community utilize the entire grant amount to reconstruct their house and do not misuse it for any other reason. About 400 household were covered during the period April-May, 2018.

TIER-III PRACTICE DRILL AT ITF-TENGAKHAT ON 26.06.2018 PHOTOS



FIRE TENDERS FROM MUTUAL-AID PARTNERS ATTENDING THE PRACTICE



• FIRE FIGHTING ON TANK NO. 207

COOLING OF TANK NO 207 BY WATER SPRINKLER SYSTEM FIRE FIGHTING ON



Golaghat

1. Storm Preparedness

Storm Preparedness meeting held on 10-5-18 was chaired by the Add'l. Deputy Commissioner & C.E.O, DDMA, Golaghat where the DPO, DDMA and Officials from Police, Forest and Environment, APDCL, Fire and Emergency Services and SDRF and Officials from Golaghat Municipality Board, Golaghat were present. The meeting focused upon identification of vulnerable locations in the town area and precautionary measures to be taken during storm season and identifying steps for better coordination among the stake holders for quick response during storm season.

2. Flood preparedness-

a. Awareness cum Training

Awareness and training programme for the relief camps' in charge was held during May 2018. The DPO, DDMA in coordination with the Circle Officers and Field Officers conducted the training at the Revenue Circle level, where the camps' in charge were given handouts regarding their duties as per DM Manual 2015 and issues related to proper management of relief camps were discussed.

b. Flood forecasting and early warning

DDMA coordination meeting chaired by the Deputy Commissioner, Golaghat held on 17-05-2018, with Officials from NEEPCO, Doyang, Nagaland including Police, Water Resources, BDO, Fire and Emergency Services, Golaghat for early warning, flood forecast and discharge of Water from the NEEPCO Dam at Doyang, Nagaland and sharing of information for effective response during flood period.



c. Filed visit

The DDMA Golaghat in coordination with Army, Maibella, Officials from Bokakhat and Khumtai Revenue Circle and Water Resources Department conducted a joint field visit of the flood vulnerable areas as part of preparedness measure for effective response during flood.



The Field Officers (Disaster Management) had carried out filed visits to flood and erosion affected areas and conducted sensitization meetings with the community in coordination with Revenue Circle Officials and VLMCCs.



3. School Safety measures

a. The DDMA, Golaghat conducted a meeting on 07-07-2018 for constitution of the Block School Safety Advisory Committees (BSSAC) and for orientation of school safety disaster management plan and for regular monitoring and reporting to the Assam State Disaster Management Authority (ASDMA) and Education department, Assam. Accordingly five BSSACs have been notified under the DSSAC, Golaghat.



b. Awareness meeting chaired by the Field Officer, Disaster Management (Golaghat Rev. Circle) was held on 10th July, 2018 at Maj Khumtai LP School, Khumtai Gaon, Dakhin Hengera Mouza. The meeting was held to discuss disaster related issues for school safety and preparedness among the community. The participants were LM and Gaon Burha, school students, Anganwadi workers, teachers, and guardians.



4. Development related meetings/activities in coordination with Departments

a. The DDMA, Golaghat in coordination with the IIT, Guwahati conducted a district level meeting on 16-05-2018 chaired by the Deputy Commissioner, Golaghat with all the heads of the departments for implementing a project named “River Basin Management through Ecological Management practices”. The project would be dealing with issue related to erosion, watershed degradation and identifying problems due to climate change. The expected outcome of the project is overall watershed management, proper utilization of natural resources, rainwater management and overall sustainable development of the community. The site selected for the project is Numaligarh area in the Dhansiri river basin.

b. Celebration of Van Mahotsav

The Field Officers (Disaster Management) observed the Van Mahotsav w.e.f 1st July to 7th July 2018 at their respective Revenue Circles through plantation programmes and distribution of saplings.



c. As per direction of the Urban Development, Government of Assam, the City Infrastructure Development Fund (CIDF) would be implemented in Golaghat district. Accordingly the DPO, DDMA was directed to conduct two sensitization meetings at ward No. 8 and ward No. 10 in coordination with the ward Commissioners (8 & 10) of Golaghat Municipality Board, Golaghat. The meetings were attended by the citizens of the ward and various organizations. The objective of the meeting was to identify the critical infrastructure deficiencies in the wards or town area and identify or suggest proposals/schemes for development of utilities/infrastructures for the overall benefit of larger population and long term benefit of the citizens. Major issues related to drinking water, drainage problem causing artificial flood, lack of open space for children, requirement of traffic lights, proper parking facility to avoid obstruction to fire brigade or ambulances, proper garbage disposal etc. were discussed in the meetings.



JORHAT

The activities conducted / initiated by DDMA, Jorhat in the month of April to July 2018 to mitigate as well as to manage the disaster situations in Jorhat district which are briefly described below .

Sl. No.	Types of Work	Detailed Report/Remarks
1.	Meeting of DDMA, Jorhat on Flood and Storm preparedness measures 2018	<p>1. The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) meeting was conducted to review the flood preparedness measures in Jorhat on 23rd April 2018 involving all line departments.</p> <p>2.The Flood Contingency Plan for the year 2018 has already prepared and shared with ASDMA</p> <p>3. Instruction issued to all line departments to perform their Roles and Responsibilities in Pre, During and Post flood situation as per the Assam Disaster Management Manual 2015</p> <p>4. Country boats are already identified in all revenue circles for use in flood.</p> <p>5. Instruction was issued to the Food and Civil Supplies Department to maintain a buffer food stock in the entire flood season in Jorhat.</p> <p>6. The proposed Flood Relief Camps and High Land areas are already identified in all flood prone areas . The co-ordinates of all these identified Relief Camps and High Lands are also collected and shared with ASDMA</p> <p>7.The PHE Department Officials were instructed to ensure proper drinking water and sanitation facilities in all proposed relief centres</p> <p>8. The Health Department Officials were instructed to ensure medical facilities to the flood affected peoples and contact close liaison with concerned Circle Officers.</p> <p>9. Revenue Circle wise teams were formed for all important departments involving the doctors, officers, staff of the concerned depts. for quick and smooth response in emergency situations</p>

2.	Sensitization programme in 30 Nos. of apartment societies of Jorhat on earthquake and fire safety	<p>A sensitization programme in 30 Nos. of apartment societies of Jorhat district on earthquake and fire safety was conducted by DDMA, Jorhat in the month of May-June 2018 to sensitize the apartment dwellers on various issues of Fire and Earthquake safety and to educate these people on the steps to be taken in Pre, during and after earthquake and Fire. Another objective of this programme is to build a culture of safety in the society and to assess the availability of fire and earthquake measures in the apartments. In the said programme about 800 Nos. of apartment dwellers/shopping mall employees of Jorhat district were sensitised on Fire and Earthquake safety measures.</p>
3.	Awareness Campaign on Disaster Preparedness for the Differently Abled Person and Senior Citizens	<p>The “Awareness Campaign on Disaster Preparedness for the Differently Abled Person and Senior Citizens” was successfully conducted by the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Jorhat in association with Assam State Disaster Management Authority on 25th May 2018 by involving all concerned line departments, stakeholders, NGOs, differently abled persons/students, senior citizen etc. at Siksha Bhawan, Jorhat. The main objective of the said programme was to make the people living with disabilities and senior citizens more resilient towards disasters so that they are better prepared for facing any disaster/emergency situation. In the said programme about 90 Nos. of differently abled people/senior citizens/Govt. officials /NGO members were trained/ sensitised on disaster preparedness.</p> <p>Impacts:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A mass of people with disabilities and senior citizens were sensitized about the needs of disaster preparedness. 2. Sensitization among the officials/staff of concerned departments about their role and responsibilities towards the people with disabilities and senior citizens in disaster situation. 3. Awareness generated among people with disabilities and senior citizens, students, teachers about disaster and the mechanism of response/rescue by the response agencies etc.

3.	Awareness Campaign on Disaster Preparedness for the Differently Abled Person and Senior Citizens	<p>4. Awareness generated among the participants about the scientific methods of search and rescue of injured victims.</p> <p>5. Awareness generated among the participants about fire safety measures.</p> <p>6. Involvement of NGOs, Red Cross Society etc. to make them sensitize about their role towards people with disabilities and senior citizens.</p>
4.	Awareness cum Training on Disaster Preparedness at Pratibandhi Sishu Bikash Kendra, Jorhat	A half day awareness cum training programme on disaster preparedness was conducted by DDMA, Jorhat for the students, teachers, staff of Pratibandhi Sishu Bikash Kendra, Cinnamora, Jorhat involving Fire & Emergency Services, Civil Defence, NDRF etc. on 8th June 2018. In the said programme about 50 participants of Pratibandhi Sishu Bikash Kendra, Jorhat were trained on disaster preparedness etc.

Kamrup (R)

A mock drill on flood preparedness was carried out in Amingaon Ferry Ghat on 11th May, 2018. The Red Horns Army Division, DDMA Kamrup, NDRF, SDRF, Fire and Emergency Services and Police Administration took active participation in the event which showcased the measures to be taken for flood preparation by Govt. agencies, Army, NDRF and various other stakeholders, so that devastation can be minimized by timely responding through proper co-ordinated efforts from all quarters.



TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR SDRF PERSONNEL

Three batches of SDRF teams including newly recruited boys were imparted training on search and rescue and boat operation from 19th May to 4th June, 2018 in the Regional Training Institute, Fire and Emergency Services, Sila, North Guwahati. ASDMA and DDMA Kamrup along with NDRF facilitated the training programme on the conduct of Mock drills and other administrative procedures related to flood response. The Honb'le CM, Assam also came to observe the proceedings on and appreciated the role of all the Responding agencies for rendering yeoman service during flood emergencies in the state.



STREET PLAY (ON ROAD SAFETY)

A couple of street plays were staged in prime localities, thoroughfares within the district on road safety awareness on 31st May, 2018. The programme was hosted by DDDMA Kamrup and supported by District Transport Office, Kamrup and Axis Bank, Amingaon Branch.



The World Environment Day 2018 was celebrated on 5th June, 2018 at Nohira Guimara High school under Palasbari Revenue circle. The day was celebrated by organizing rallies, quiz and drawing competitions among school students and popular talks were also delivered by eminent persons from the locality and officials from DDMA, Police and Alternate Rural Movement (NGO).

As per the designated activities lined up for implementation of the Model Flood Resilient Model Village of Borakhat under Goroimari Revenue circle, the Pre-Monsoon camp was held on 11 June, 2018 at Majortop H.S. School, Goroimari. Participants were from various line departments, Gaon Buras, and School students. Animal Health Camp by the Veterinary department was organized on the occasion, where domestic animals from Borakhat village were vaccinated.

ACTIVITIES OF FLOOD RESILIENT MODEL VILLAGE (PRE MONSOON CAMP)



KARBI ANGLONG DISTRICT

Awareness Programme on Disaster Preparedness for Disable People & Senior Citizen:

Programme on Disaster Preparedness for Disable People and Senior Citizen was organized by District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) Karbi Anglong on 15th March 2018, at Conference Hall, Circuit House, Diphu Karbi Anglong. The main objective of the programme was to mainstream disabled people and senior citizen in DRR initiatives.

Total 52 nos. of participants were disabled and senior citizens. In the programme the first session was presented by DPO DDMA Karbi Anglong through power-point presentation on importance Disaster Preparedness to be taken at individual and family level. The presentation focused on the precautionary measures to be taken by people with disability and senior citizens.

The team from Fire & Emergency Service Diphu demonstrated on various techniques for rescue and response during any emergency by using easily available materials like bamboo, blanket, ropes, etc. The team also demonstrated on First Aid techniques and how to take precautionary measures during Fire and how to operate the fire extinguishers.

During the programme leaflets was distributed among the participants on Dos & Dont's on Earthquake, Fire, Flood to be taken by disable people and senior citizens. The leaflets were in Karbi and English language. The participants were given certificate for participating in the programme.

Mock Drill in Schools:

DDMA Karbi Anglong carried mock drill in 16 nos. of schools in the month of May, June, July 2018 through Fire & Emergency Service. The drill was on Drop Cover Hold during an earthquake, Fire safety measures and precautionary measures to be taken during flood. DDMA also distributed leaflets on Dos & Dont's on earthquake,

flood and on First Aid and it was also pasted on walls of each class rooms. Teachers also read out the content of each leaflets to students.

Circle Level Disaster Management Committee (CDMC Meetings):

Circle Level Disaster Management Committee meeting were held in each Revenue Circles for flood preparedness 10th April 2018 under Diphu Revenue Circle and on 25th June 2018 under Phuloni Revenue Circle.

District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) Meetings:

DDMA meetings were organized on 14th February and 26th April 2018 for Flood preparedness with SDO (C), Revenue Circle Officers, Line Departments, Army, NGOs.

Orientation for Relief Camp In-charge:

Orientation for pre-identified Relief Camp In-Charge was organized at Revenue Circle wise on 25th May 2018 under Diphu Revenue Circle and on 25th June 2018 under Phuloni Revenue Circle. The camp in-charge were oriented on the roles & responsibilities, daily formats to be maintained during operationalization of the relief camps.

Flood Preparedness Meetings at Revenue Circles with Gaon Bhuras, Lot Mondals, SK:

Meetings with Gaon Bhuras, Lot Mondals, SK on 21st April 2018 under Diphu Revenue Circle and 21st May 2018 under Phuloni Revenue Circle was organized for flood preparedness. In the meetings Revenue Circle Officers and Field Officers shared daily flood, storm, death formats and that information regarding any emergency situation should be informed immediately to Circle Officer & FO.

Training on Search & Rescue, First Aid and Relief Camp Management for Task Force Groups (TFGs) & Village Disaster Management Committee (VDMCs):

DDMA conducted Training on Search & Rescue, First Aid and Relief Camp Management for Task Force Groups (TFGs) & Village Disaster Management Committees (VDMCs) on 11th July 2018 in Balipathar Shyam Gaon. TFGs & VDMCs from Balipathar Shyam Gaon, Mazgaon, Tringijan and Moroikordoiguri participated in the training. Total participant in the training was 75 nos. Personnel from Civil Defence imparted the training on Search & Rescue and First Aid techniques and doctor from “Bharat Seva Sanga” a community based organization delivered on health aspect. DPO, DDMA Karbi Anglong and FO Diphu shared on the roles & responsibilities of TFGs for Relief Camp Management.

DDMA also conducted same training programme at Ghorialdubee village on 31st July 2018 for the TFGs & VDMCs. The TFGs & VDMCs were from Ghorialdubee and Matipung village.

Training on Earthquake Resistant Technology for Masons:

Training on Earthquake Resistant Technology for Masons was conducted by DDMA Karbi Anglong on 16th -17th July 2018 at Diphu. The resource was Sri. Ranju Mahanta HOD Civil Department, Nagaon Polytechnic. Total 40 nos. of mason participated in the training. The training focused on the importance on how to construct safe earthquake resistant buildings. On the second of the training the participants were taken on a tour of the Civil Department workshop of Diphu Polytechnic.

DDMA also conducted the training for masons on 25th -26th July 2018 at Bokajan, Total 40 nos. of masons participated in the training.

KOKRAJHAR

A. Mock Drill on Chemical Hazard:

A joint mock exercise was conducted at National Thermal Power Corporation (NTPC)- Salakati campus on chemical hazard on 12th June 2018 in collaboration with CISF- NTPC unit, 1st BN NDRF, DDMA Kokrajhar and Fire & Emergency service Kokrajhar. The whole program was designed by the CISF-BTPP, Salakati, 1st NDRF ghy and DDMA Kokrajhar and it was successfully conducted with the involvement of the district administration and police administration of Kokrajhar. The main objective of the exercise was to familiarize chemical hazard like leakages of Chlorine with all operational unit specially NDRF and F&ES unit Kokrajhar.



TRAINING ON COMMUNITY BASED DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT:

A series of Training Program on Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction had been conducted jointly by District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) and The Lutheran World Service India Trust, An NGO based on Kokrajhar district in the month June & July 2018. The main objective of the trainings was to guide and improve the consciousness of the Local Communities and counterparts on the natural disasters threat in Kokrajhar and to introduce the community based disaster risk management (CBDRM) process to participants.

In the training, following topics were discussed with the participants based on the Community Based Disaster Risk management guidelines prepared by the NDMA.

- » What are Disaster, Hazard and its Different Types?
- » Do's and Don'ts in Natural and Man-Made Disasters.
- » Special Focus given on Flood, Storm, Lightening, Fire and Earthquake.
- » Introduction and Importance of Community Based Disaster Risk Management (CBDRM).
- » Mainstreaming Disaster Risk Reduction into Plans, Policies and Development activities.
- » How to make a Safer and More Resilient Community.
- » The CBDRM Process – Hazard, Vulnerability and Capacity Assessment.
- » How to formulate the CBDRM Plan and community-based implementation
- » Community based Monitoring and Evaluation.
- » CBDRM tools to collect data and information related to hazards, risks, vulnerabilities and ways to assess and prioritize risks and the means to reduce the risks.
- » How to Prepare Village Disaster Management Committee?
- » How to Prepare Village Disaster Management Plan?



Date & venue of the training:

Sl. No.	Venue of the training	Dates	Villages Participate	Resource Person
1	Joymaguri (Bishmuri Area)	16th to 17th June 2018	Jaimaguri (FV), Lakhipur (FV)	Field Officer (DM)
2	Thuribari Community Centre (Guabari Area)	18th to 19th June 2018	Thuribari, Hongshobil, Modati	Field Officer (DM)
3	Rampur Community Centre (Kochugaon Area)	20th to 21st June 2018	Hatigarh (FV), Islampur (FV), New Kursamari (FV), Rampur (FV), Ramendrapur (FV), Madhutola (FV), Peripur (FV)	Field Officer (DM)
4	Champabati Zone Office (Champabati Bazar)	25th to 26th June 2018	N/A	Field Officer (DM)



Lakhimpur

I) Identification of locations for installation of Outdoor Early Warning Systems (Siren) :

An inspection was carried out jointly by District Administration, Lakhimpur along with NEEPCO Authority, Arunachal Pradesh and Water Resources Dept., Lakhimpur on 11th & 12th April, 2018. The purpose of inspection was identification of locations for installation of 21 nos of Outdoor Early Warning Systems (Siren) near the riverside of Ranganadi and Dikrong, so that necessary measures can be undertaken by the people in advance and also which could help the administration in taking advance precautionary measures to those specific areas.



II) Coordination Meeting:

A Coordination Meeting was held on 13th April, 2018 in the Conference Hall of the Deputy Commissioner Office, Lakhimpur. The meeting was held in presence of Dr. Jeevan B, IAS, Deputy Commissioner & Chairman, DDMA, Lakhimpur along with NEEPCO Authority, NHPC, Water Resources Dept and other Administrative Officer's from Lakhimpur district. This coordination meeting was held as per direction of Hon'ble Chief Minister, Assam. The following are the important points which were discussed in the meeting;

- » NEEPCO authority informed that the location for installation of 17 nos of Automated Weather Stations (AWS) has been identified.
- » District Administration, Lakhimpur has requested NEEPCO authority that the information regarding inflow of water in upper catchment area of Arunachal Pradesh should be shared with the District Administration officials during monsoon period.
- » NEEPCO authority informed that Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for release of water is not finalized. The Chairman requested NEEPCO authority to take opinions from the Superintendent Engineer, Lakhimpur Water Resources Circle and other stakeholder before finalizing the SOP, considering the people living in the downstream area.
- » NEEPCO authority informed that 21nos of locations have been identified jointly with District Administration for installation of Siren (both additional and existing) in various vulnerable area of river Ranganadi and Dikrong under North Lakhimpur, Nowboicha and Bihpuria Revenue Circle. District Administration also requested them to provide at least 4/5 nos of Manual Sirens for installation in the identified locations. These Manual sirens will work at the time when electricity is not available or cutoff due to flood.
- » The Chairman requested the NEEPCO authority to organize one day impart training programme on data generated system of Automated Weather Stations (AWS).
- » The Public Notice issued by NEEPCO Ltd. should be translate in Assamese and circulate among the people residing in the downstream areas of river Ranganadi and Dikrong before flood.
- » The Senior Manager, NHPC Ltd. has suggested the house that for better monitoring of water levels and inflow of water in the reservoir of NEEPCO, an Automatic Reservoir Monitoring & Control System should be installed which is used in almost all projects undertaken by NHPC Ltd. District Administration asked NEEPCO Ltd to study the proposal and take up with Headquarter at Shillong.
- » NHPC Ltd has taken 17nos of works in two phases for erosion protection in the both bank of river Subansiri. Out of that 12 (twelve) nos of works have been completed and 3 will be completed by May 2018 and rest will be started after completion of the Lower Subansiri Project.

- » A joint inspection with NHPC and Water Resources Department for river bank protection/erosion control measures in the downstream areas of Dam have been completed and submitted the inspection report accordingly.
- » NHPC authority informed the house that step has been taken for setting up of Radio Station. The Chairman requested the NHPC authority to take care of suitable location to ensure maximum coverage of both Dhemaji and Lakhimpur districts.



III) Workshop on Incident Response System and Disaster Risk Management:

The District Disaster Management Authority, Lakhimpur conducted a one day workshop on Incident Response System and Disaster Risk Management on 6th May 2018 at the Auditorium, District Library, Lakhimpur. The workshop was organised in order to appraise the purpose and need of Incident Response Team (IRT) in time of any major emergencies/disasters at all levels.

The workshop was started by Sri Rajesh Dutta, Engineering Consultant, Earthquake Risk Mitigation, as a Resource Person from Assam State Disaster Management Authority, Guwahati. In his presentation he started with a brief overview of Disasters and then he emphasized on the IRS organization functions through Incident Response Team (IRTs) in the field. He stated that as per DM Act 2005, Responsible officers (ROs) have been designated at the State and District level as overall in-charge of the Incident Response Management. The RO may however delegate responsibilities to the Incident Commander (IC), who in turn will manage the incident through IRTs. The IRTs will be designated at all levels; State, District,

Sub-Division and Revenue Circle. On receipt of early warning, the responsible officer will activate them. In case a disaster occurs without any warning, the local IRT will respond and contact responsible officer for further support, if required.

In the 2nd half of the workshop, the session was about relief camp management. He briefly said about where the Relief Camp is to be located, how is a Relief Camp established, who is responsible to run the Camp, what arrangements are made in the Relief Camps for food, water and sanitation, what special facilities are planned to be provided for vulnerable groups (aged, infirm, pregnant and lactating women, children below 5 years) etc.



IV) Installation of sirens:

After joint assessment by the District Administration, Lakhimpur and officials of NEEPCO, Arunachal Pradesh, 13 (thirteen) nos of new locations have already been identified for installation of sirens and already existing 8 (eight) sirens. The process of installation & commissioning of the same was already completed by 2nd June, 2018.

In addition 5 (Five) nos of manual hand -operated sirens are also being provided in locations where electricity is not available.



Electrical Siren



Hand operated Siren

V) Training programme on Outdoor Early Warning System (Siren):

A half day training programme on Outdoor Early Warning System (Siren) and Automated Weather Station (AWS) was conducted by the DDMA, Lakhimpur in collaboration with NEEPCO Authority, Arunachal Pradesh on 8th June, 2018 in the Conference Hall of the Deputy Commissioner Office, Lakhimpur . The participants were from WR department, Police personnel, Field Officers, Information Assistants and Care taker of the Sirens. A demonstration on monitoring of the rainfall data of the two existing AWS located at Mangio and Yazali, Arunachal Pradesh which is displayed online has been provided to the DDMA, Lakhimpur. It is however stated that on completion of the commissioning of the 17 new AWS, the Online Data which shall be available to NEEPCO shall also be provided to the concerned State Govt. Officials.



VI) DDMA Meeting:

A DDMA Meeting was conducted in the Conference Hall of the Deputy Commissioner Office, Lakhimpur with all line Departments on 14th June, 2018. The following are the important points which were discussed in the meeting;

- » DDMA, Lakhimpur shared the Guidelines of Relief Camp Management as per Assam State Disaster Management Manual, 2015 with all line departments. Beside this, District Administration has prepared SOP for Temporary Relief Camp/Flood reporting for strict compliance.
- » All Circle Officers are directed to designate one Responsible Camp Officer who will be responsible for general management of Relief Camp and also designate one Asst. Camp Officer to help the Camp Officer.
- » The Chairman, DDMA also directed all Circle Officers to conduct a meeting with Camp Incharge and Asstt. Camp Incharge in advance and share the guideline of Relief Camp Management.
- » Circle Offices should maintain Stock Register of GR items in their office for record. They should also obtain a certificate from the relief distribution committee that all relief materials have been distributed among the flood affected people in their presence after completion of distribution of GR items in Temporary Relief camp for avoiding any litigation.
- » Ratio of flood affected villages, affected populations and distribution of GR items should be strictly followed by all Circle Officers.
- » The Chairman, DDMA, Lakhimpur expressed that if any requirement like Tractor, JCB, Folk lane and other machineries etc. has been placed to the line department for mitigation of flood/ natural disaster

on emergency and if the said line department failed to arrange, the matter should be treated very seriously and action will be taken as per DM Act.

- » Executive Engineer, Water Resources dept. Lakhimpur requested that District Administration may give a proposal to NEEPCO authority regarding release of Water and opening of gates of Ranganadi Dam upto 200 mm continuously atleast one gate during rainy season. The Chairman, DDMA, Lakhimpur directed
- » Executive Engineer, Water Resource, Lakhimpur Div. to submit a proposal as per their suggestion so that it can be forwarded to the NEEPCO authority for reviewing the matter.
- » SDO (Civil) and Circle Officers are directed to constitute and notify Incident Response Team at their level at the earliest and submit the same to office of the undersigned.
- » All Circle Officers should collect the list of names of Junior Engineer from Development departments and list of Contractor's name in advance and submit the same to the office of the undersigned, so that this office can issue order for supply and installation of HTW in emergency nature.
- » All Circle Officers are directed to submit Storm damaged proposals recently occurred in this year along with Bank details of the affected beneficiaries for sanctioning the fund as per SDRF norms.
- » All Circle Officer are directed to visit and inspect the stock position of essential commodities of wholesalers in their jurisdiction on regular basis to avoid any scarcity during flood season.
- » SDO (C), Dhakukhana and all Circle Officer will keep constant vigil on all vulnerable Embankments and Roads to avoid breaches or disruption of communication in flood affected areas.



MAJULI

Dated: 03.04.2018 and 19.04.2018, Gaonburha Meeting on Flood Preparedness to collect the pre identified relief camps, raised platforms, nos. of country boats from their respective villages with their names and contact numbers.



Dated: 25.04.2018, Field Officer visited to the storm affected villages and report shared with the DDMA, Majuli accordingly.



Dated: 29th April 2018:- Hon'ble MP, Lakhimpur Sri. Pradan Baruah visited the Sonowal Kachari Retirement Bund in Ujani Majuli Block area.



Dated: 29th April 2018:- ADC, Majuli cum CEO, District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) Sri Chinmoy Nath visited Malowal-Malapindha dyke at Selek and inspected the breach closing work undertaken by Water Resources department.



Dated: 03.05.2018:- Gaon Burha Meeting was held at Circle Office, Kamalabari in presence of Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle and CO (A) , Majuli Revenue Circle. In this meeting, Circle Officer addresses all the Goanburhas to immediately inform to the FO (DM) regarding any kind of disaster and also submit the victim's name with their bank account numbers within one week.



Dated: 8 May 2018:- News items regarding opening of toll free no 1077 at DEOC,Majuli.



Dated: 18.05.2018:- a Flood Preparedness Meeting was held at DC Office's Conference Hall, Majuli with all line departments in presence of the Hon'ble Deputy Commissioner and Add'l. Deputy Commissioner, Majuli.



Dated: 19.05.2018, A Flood Preparedness Meeting held at Majuli Revenue Circle Office, Kamalabari with all Gaonburhas regarding Flood preparedness. Meeting chaired by the Circle Officer, Majuli Rev. Circle.



Dated: 18.05.2018 to 23.05.2018:-Field Officer visited to all pre-identified relief camps and collected the GPS coordinates of all respective relief camps.



Dated: 22.05.2018:- A meeting was scheduled for all the line departments (CDMC) and the Gaonburhas regarding the update reports and preparedness report, in presence of the Hon'ble Deputy Commissioner, Add'l. Deputy Commissioner, Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle and CO (A),DPO,FO. The Deputy Commissioner also addresses all the Gaonburhas to prepare the Village Plan of their respective villages.



Dated: 24.05.2018, A meeting was scheduled with Executive Engineer & Asstt. Executive Engineer of Water Resource Dept. in context of strengthen of the dykes area for upcoming flood situation. This meeting was chaired by the Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle and also in the presence of CO (A), Majuli Revenue Circle.



Dated: 28.05.2018:- A meeting was scheduled with Executive Engineer & all field staff of Water Resource Dept. in context of "flood awareness camp" on the dykes for awareness among peoples. This meeting was chaired by the Hon'ble Deputy Commissioner in presence of Add'l. Deputy Commissioner, Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle and CO (A) Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle, DPO, FO.



Dated: 29.05.2018 to 02.06.2018, Flood awareness campaign with Water Recourses department in collaboration with DDMA, Majuli at all the vulnerable embankments areas among the villagers, GBs, VLMCC members, Senior Citizens, youth and WRD Sector Assistances, staffs and field workers regarding discussion and preparation about Flood Committee in presence of CO(A), Majuli Revenue Circle, DPO, FO, Executive Engineer, WRD, Asstt. Executive Engineer and DPO, DDMA, FO, DM. Also discussed about the identified vulnerable points, Do's and Don'ts, roles and responsibilities & relationship between the villagers & Officials of respective department during emergency time.



Dated: 01.06.2018:-In association with UNICEF and NGO RVC, District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Majuli organized a workshop on School Safety at the Conference Hall of DC Office, Majuli. Detail discussion on Structural Design of the schools and Capacity Building of teachers was made, so that schools could initiate safety measures to deal any natural disaster. Various departments like Education, P&RD, PWD, Social Welfare, PHED, Fire & Emergency Services, Health participated in the discussion.

Director RVC and UNICEF State Consultant Mr. Anand Prakash Kanu explained various angles of School Safety Policy 2016 framed by the Government of India. DC (I/c) cum Chief Executive Officer of DDMA Sri Chinmoy Nath explained the role initiated by the DDMA Majuli in ensuring School safety measures in the District.



Dated: 05.06.2018, Preparing of village plan and village maps with the Gaonburhas of Vulnerable villages at Circle Office.



Dated: 06.06.2018:- Field Officer visited to the storm affected villages with Lot Mandal and total 3 nos. of Villages are fully damaged during this storm.



District Police construction a bamboo bridge for flood prone area under Ujani Majuli Development Block area for affected people.



Dated: 14.06.2018, Visited to the fire incident family at Jengraimukh, Majuli with Lot Mandal.



Dated: 15.06.2018:- A meeting was scheduled for all the Zonal Officer, Sector Officer, Sub-Sector Officer and LM regarding preparation of upcoming flood in his respective areas and role & responsibilities during the flood period. This meeting was chaired by the Chief Executive Officer of DDMA Sri Chinmoy Nath in presence of Circle Officer, Majuli Revenue Circle and Block Development Officer Majuli & Ujani Majuli, DPO, DDMA.



Dated: 15.06.2018:- An experimental mother flood shelter established at Majuli District through Trans Virtual Pvt. Ltd and Intsys Service Pvt. Ltd at Namani Majuli flood affected area Molapindha Village, Where hygiene and water facilities also available with capacity of 50 nos of victims. The mother shelter inaugurate by Hon'ble Deputy Commissioner, Majuli Debaprasad Misra in presence of SP, Majuli, DPO, DDMA, Members present form both the organization, Senior Citizens, Villagers etc.



Dated: 18.06.2018, Flood preparedness meeting has been scheduled with the Civil defence, Gaonburhas, Boat Owners, boatmen and swimmers at Circle Office, Majuli.



Dated: 20.06.2018, Attending a Training programme of teacher's on school Safety organized by the UNICEF and implemented by Rural Volunteers Centre, Dhemaji held at Pensioner Hall Majuli.



Dated: 02.07.2018 to 07/07/2018:- Mock drill programme held at 10 nos of flood affected schools under Ujani Majuli Development Block on school Safety of emergency preparedness training for students, organized by the UNICEF and implemented by Rural Volunteers Centre, Dhemaji in collaboration with DDMA, Majuli.



Dated: 04.07.2018, Visiting Kamala Bari Ghat to inspect the situation of water level with the Lot Mandals.



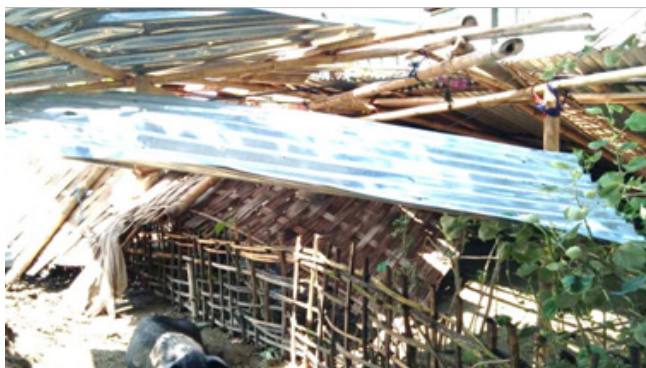
Dated: 06.07.2018, Visited to the Flood Affected Villages with Lot Mandals and Gaonburhas.



Dated: 07.07.2018, Distribution of Flood Relief and tarpaulins to the flood affected families at Laholial Villages. Total 11 Nos. of Families affected during 1st wave of flood.



Dated: 12.07.2018, Field Officer Visited to the storm affected areas of Thakurbari Gaon with Lot Mandals.



Dated: 17.07.2018 to 19/07/2018:- Familiarization Exercise was conducted by 12th BN NDRF at various places in Majuli district in collaboration with DDMA, Majuli. The awareness programme demonstrated on steps to be taken during disaster and techniques of rescue, evacuation, first aid and Swachh Bharat Abhiyan also. The programme was held till 31st July 2018 in Majuli District.



NALBARI

FLOOD PREPAREDNESS MEETING

The District Disaster Management Authority ,Nalbari organized Flood Preparedness Meeting on 7th March 2018 in order to prepare with necessary arrangement and action plan for effective response during flood season. All the relevant line departments were given direction to take necessary action as per Assam Disaster Management Manual 2015. Circle Officers were directed to prepare contingency plan with the man and materials available at circle level. Based on the input received from Circle Officers and other major response department, the District Flood Response Plan 2018 was prepared and shared with major stakeholders including ASDMA. The resource inventory was updated. Vendors and suppliers were selected with proper procedure in order to provide supply of relief materials to the flood affected people in time. The multihazard district disaster management plan also updated and shared with ASDMA and other stakeholders.

TABLAU DEMONSTRATION ON THE OCCASION FOR CELEBRATION OF REPUBLIC DAY 2017

The District Disaster Management Authority, Nalbari demonstrated a Tableau in the police reserve ground on the occasion for celebration of Republic Day 2017. The tableau was decorated with banner and poster reflecting DDMA's capacity building programme, "dos and dont's" for earthquake safety and ASDMA Logo. The tableau also demonstrated IRB boat along with other search and rescue equipment available with Fire & Emergency Services, Nalbari. Few methods on rescue and 1st aid were also demonstrated by the SDRF personnel. It was demonstrated at about 10.30 AM immediately after completion of cultural programme. The anchor explained briefly about the activities of District Disaster Management Authority. The tableau was observed by Public Representatives, Freedom Fighters, DDMA Officials, Students and other general public present in the occasion. The tableau was able to get 3rd prize on the occasion.



TRAINING TO VOLUNTEERS ON SEARCH AND RESCUE

DDMA, Nalbari organised training for volunteers on search and rescue on 7th & 8th Feb 2017 in the Officers Club. Thirty eight numbers of volunteers from NCC, NSS, EX-Army, NGO and VDP successfully participated in the training.



Three numbers of trainers from 1st NDRF, Patgaon, Guwahati conducted the whole training session. Certificate was issued to each participant after completion of the training. DDMA has made profile of these trained volunteers and included in the District Disaster Management Plan.

PARTICIPATION IN NAMAMI BRAHMAPUTRA

The District Disaster Management Authority participated in Namami Brahmaputra organised at Mukalmua Parghat during the period from 4th to 6th April 2017. DDMA Nalbari displayed placards on preparedness of various kinds of disasters in the auditorium.



Along with it, State Disaster Response Force also had made necessary precautionary measures with IRB and other appliances.

TRAINING FOR MASONS ON EARTHQUAKE RESISTANT TECHNOLOGY

The District Disaster Management Authority, Nalbari organized training for engineers on earthquake Resistant Technology during the period from 21st to 22nd March 2017 at DRDA Conference Hall Nalbari. The training was participated by 52 no’s of masons from different areas of Nalbari district. The training included



both class room session and group exercise. Sri Hitesh Deka and Sri Krishna Kamal Das, senior lecturers from Bongaigaon Polytechnic conducted the whole training as resource persons. The class room session included power point presentation on “Importance of soil testing, Earthquake effect on Soil & Foundation, Field measurement of assessing quality of soil, Quality control in construction, Field testing tips for materials, Earthquake resistant construction philosophy, Barb ending technique for earthquake resistant construction and field demonstration on proper barbending technique.”

VILLAGE LAND MANAGEMENT & CONSERVATION COMMITTEE TRAINING

The 2nd phase of VLMCC training was organised by District Disaster Management Authority during the month of March 2017 .There are 463 VLMCCs in seven revenue circles of Nalbari districts. The training was of two days duration. Before training, district level resource persons were identified and they were trained as per the agenda prepared by ASDMA. Fifty two numbers of departmental officials



including field officers participated in district level RP training held on 28th Feb and 1st March 2017. These resource persons were distributed amongst the revenue circle in order to conduct the community level VLMCC training. The two day training covered various aspect of roles & responsibilities of

VLMCC, issues of earthquake, flood, landslide, guidelines of relief operation and damage assessment, protecting water resource, protecting open space, protecting soil and air, VLUPs, VMPDM ,Role of Gaoburha , and case studies . The total participants in the training were about 4611.

GAON PANCHAYAT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXERCISE ON 5TH JUNE 2017

The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) successfully organised GP Level Emergency Management Exercise in 65 GPs of Nalbari district on the occasion of World Environment Day on 5th June 2017. The whole programme was conducted under the direct supervision of



concerned revenue circle officers. In each GPs, one school was selected for organising the prescribed programme where GP members, students from other schools located in the same GPs, guardians, members from NGOs & CBOs came to participate in the programme. The programme was started with prabhat ferry holding placards on important messages on disaster preparedness. This was followed by earthquake mock drills (drop-cover-hold) in schools and quiz, debate and drawing competition among the school students. Planation was carried out in almost all the schools located in the respective GPs. In the afternoon an open meeting was organised to explain about the importance of GP Emex and to distribute prizes won by students in various competitions. In Nalbari district about 18000 participants successfully participated in 65 no's of GPs.



FLOOD MOCK DRILL 2017

The District Disaster Management Authority organised circle level flood mock drill in Barkhetri Revenue Circle on 8th and 9th June 2017 to identify the existing gaps and bringing role clarity among the responders. The Flood Mock Drill was inaugurated by Mr. G.S.Sarmah, ADC & CEO ,DDMA on June 8TH, 2017 at the conference hall of Barkhetri Block Development Office in Mukalmua.



The Revenue Circle Officer, Block Development Officer and Project Officers DDMA were present in the inaugural session. The inaugural ceremony was attended by about 140 people including the participants of training tracks, resource persons, staff of revenue administration and public. The key stakeholders in the conduct of Flood Drill were: ASDMA, DDMA Nalbari, Revenue Circle Office –Barkhetri , SDRF, Police, Fire & Emergency Services, Volunteers from local NGOs, Representatives of Namghar & Masjid Samittee , Govt. Line Departments/Institutions like PHE ,PWD (B) ,PWD (H) , Vety , IWT ,Social Welfare , Students, Teachers , Doctors & Nurses. The 2nd session of the 1st day programme was followed by a



training session and table top exercise with a topic on “Training programme on Coordination of Response and Managing Relief Operation & Flood Early Warning System”. The actual mock drill was held at No 3 Larkuchi village as soon as an warning received by Circle Officer, Barkhetri from

DEOC. Fire and Emergency Services started rescue operation from rive Brahmaputra and Health Department initiated to provide basic medical care to the injured victims. A relief camp was opened at 714 no Gaurakhattari Primary School. Gaoburha, NGO Volunteers and VPD evacuated people including children

and disabled in the camp. Health department started health check up to the inmates in relief camp. PHE department started providing drinking water and sanitation in the camp. Veterinary department started providing veterinary service to the livestock. Agriculture and other department conducted survey of damage crops and other infrastructure. Circle Officer prepared flood report as per format and submitted to DDMA for necessary action. Soon after the field exercise, a hot wash cum valedictory session was conducted in the conference hall of Block Development Office, Mukalmua at 2 PM. Observation and gaps were shared with all the response agencies and stakeholders for better preparedness at the time of real flood situation.

GAON PANCHAYAT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXERCISE ON 15TH SEPTEMBER 2017

The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) successfully organised 2nd phase of GP Level Emergency Management Exercise in 65 GPs of Nalbari district on the theme “Zero Casualty Campaign” on 15th September 2017. The whole programme was conducted under the direct supervision of concerned revenue circle officers. This time emphasis was given to generate awareness about the precaution to be taken by public against the casualty caused by electrocution during flood season. In each GPs, one school was selected for organising the other prescribed programme where GP members, students from other schools located in the same GPs, guardians, members from NGOs & CBOs came to participate in the programme. The programme



was started with prabhat ferry holding placards on important messages on disaster preparedness. A road show campaign was also conducted using a vehicle carrying poster, banner and public address system to spread the messages about the safety precaution in order to avoid electrocution incident. This was followed by earthquake mock drills (drop-cover-hold) in schools and quiz, debate and drawing competition among the school students. In the afternoon an open meeting was organised to explain about the importance of GP EMEX and to distribute prizes won by students in various competitions. In Nalbari district about 17000 participants successfully participated in 65 no's of GPs.

GAON PANCHAYAT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXERCISE ON 8th FEBRUARY 2018

The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) successfully organised 3rd phase of GP Level Emergency Management Exercise in 65 GPs of Nalbari district on the theme "Relief Camp Management" on 8th September 2018. The whole programme was conducted



under the direct supervision of concerned revenue circle officers. This time emphasis was given to generate awareness on the general guidelines for relief camp management as emphasised in Assam Disaster Management Manual 2015. In each GPs, one school was selected for organising the other prescribed programme where GP members, students from other schools located in the same GPs, guardians, members from NGOs & CBOs came to participate in the programme. The programme was started with prabhat ferry holding placards on important messages on disaster preparedness. This was followed by earthquake mock drills (drop-cover-hold) in schools and quiz, debate and drawing competition among the school students. In the afternoon an open meeting was organised to explain about the importance of GP EMEX and to distribute prizes won by students in various competitions. In Nalbari district about 140000 participants successfully participated in 65 no's of GPs.

GAON PANCHAYAT EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT EXERCISE ON 8th MARCH 2018

The District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) successfully organised 4th phase of GP Level Emergency Management Exercise in 65 GPs of Nalbari district on the theme “Storm & Flood Preparedness” on 8th March 2018. The whole programme was conducted under the direct



supervision of concerned revenue circle officers. This time emphasis was given to generate awareness about the “Dos & Dont’s for storm and flood preparedness. In each GPs, one school was selected for organising the other prescribed programme where GP members, students from other schools located in the same GPs, guardians, members from NGOs & CBOs came to participate in the programme. The programme was started with prabhat ferry holding placards on important messages on disaster preparedness. This was followed by earthquake mock drills (drop-cover-hold) in schools and quiz, debate and drawing competition among the school students. In the afternoon an open meeting was organised to explain about the importance of GP EMEX and to distribute prizes won by students in various competitions. In Nalbari district about 18000 participants successfully participated in 65 no’s of GPs.

AWARENESS CAMPAIGN ON DISASTER PREPAREDNESS FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY AND SENIOR CITIZENS

The District Disaster Management Authority organized awareness campaign on disaster preparedness for people with disability and senior citizens on 26th February 2018 at Premise of Society for Human Development, Batiram Path, Gopal Bazar, (Sarothei, a shelter home for children & day care for disable under State Child Protection Society). The total participants in the program was 205,

out of which 90 from various disabled categories, 40 from senior citizen categories and remaining 75 were from parents , guardians and care takers. The programme was inaugurated by Sri Sanjib Kumar Das, Deputy Commissioner & Chairman DDMA, Nalbari. Motivational speech delivered by Smt Nedira Jesmin, Dist. Dev. Commissioner & CEO, DDMA & Smt Padmeswari Saikia, Dist. Social Welfare Officer. Smt Saswati Saikia, Shishu Sarothi, Guwahati, Smt Gitika Dutta Sarma, Consultant, RMSA & Volunteers, Day Care Centre, Dr. Hemanta Baishya, DPO, Nalbari, Sri Abu Taleb, Station Officer, Fire & ES, Nalbari delivered different topic on the disabilities and old age as resource persons.



Tinsukia

1. A Fire and Earthquake Mock Drill was organized in coordination with Fire & Emergency Services Station, Tinsukia and Civil Defence at Commerce College, Tinsukia on 3rd April, 2018.



2. In coordination with the Doomdooma Fire & Emergency Services Station, the DDMA Tinsukia observed Fire Safety Day on 14th April, 2018 at Doomdooma and carried out a rally for creating awareness among public on fire and safety issues.



3. A Mock Drill Exercise on Train Accident was held at Chariali (CGF) Station Yard, Tinsukia on 25th April, 2018 in collaboration with DDMA Tinsukia, N.F. Railway, NDRF 12 Bn, Fire & ES Tinsukia, SDRF and Civil Defence, Tinsukia



4. The DDMA Tinsukia conducted a training programme for SK, Lot Mandals regarding disaster incidents reporting on 15th May, 2018 at the O/O the Doomdooma Rev. Circle.



5. The DDMA Tinsukia organized a Sensitization Programme on Mainstreaming Disability & Aging into Disaster Risk Reductions on 22nd May 2018 at Snehalaya, Tinsukia. The programme included a half day awareness programme along with demonstration on disaster preparedness for the people with disability and aging people.

To successfully conduct the Sensitization Programme, DDMA Tinsukia utilized the services of the Fire & ES and Civil Defence Officials and Volunteers.

The programme was started with an inaugural ceremony and Dr. Sadananda Nath, President of Snehalaya, Tinsukia, a leading organization working on disability inaugurated the programme, Sri Ratan Saud, DIPRO, Tinsukia, Sri Ruby Gogoi, DPO, DDMA Tinsukia, Sri Manas Panging, Civil Defence, Sri Gajendra Nath, Fire & Emergency Services, Tinsukia were present in the meeting and encouraged the People with Disability to learn the safety tips for any emergency and take part in Emergency Preparedness Drill. The Team of Resource Persons comprising of Civil Defence volunteers and SDRF sensitized the caregivers about how they can help the people with disability during any incidence of major eventualities like fire, flood, earthquake etc. and also demonstrated on search & rescue and usages of fire extinguishers. IEC materials on does and don'ts especially for the differently abled person and senior citizens were also distributed among the participants.

More than 100 participants including persons with disability, senior citizens, teachers, caretakers participated in the programme.



6. A one day training on Disaster Management for the Civil Defence volunteers was held at the Conference Hall, O/O the SDO© Sadiya, on 15th May' 2018.



7. The DDMA Tinsukia observed the World Environment day on 5th June 2018, at Hoonlal H.S. School, Doomdooma and conducted an awareness programme along with plantation programme. The school students, teachers, community people had actively participated in the programme. The main theme of the programme was "Plastic Waste Pollution Reduction, Disaster, Hazard and Responsibility of the Society".



9. A Meeting with armed forces was held at SDO© Office Chamber alongwith NDRF regarding flood situation at Sadiya on 5th June' 2018.



10. The DDMA Tinsukia conducted an awareness programme on disaster related issues and school safety at Dirak H.S. School, Tinsukia on 7th June, 2018.



11. A Sub divisional Level flood Disaster Management meeting was held on 14th June, 2018 at Sadiya Sub Division with all the line Depts.



12. A public meeting was organized on VLMCC and disaster management at Hatihal village, Kordoiguri on 19th June, 2018.



13. A meeting cum Refresher Training was organized at the conference hall of the O/O the Deputy Commissioner regarding VLMCC and Management and Reporting of Various Disaster Incidents (Flood, Storm, Fire etc) on 19th June 2018. The main focus of the discussion was on the importance of VLMCC for all the villages and how with the help of the VLMCC's the various challenges faced during disaster situation can be managed. The meeting was attended by- DC, Tinsukia, Add'l DC Revenue, Tinsukia, Circle Officer, Tinsukia Rev. Circle, Circle Officer (A), Tinsukia Rev. Circle DPO, Tinsukia FO, Tinsukia Rev. Circle, Lot Mandals and SK of Tinsukia



14. A disaster awareness meeting was held at the Conference Hall, O/O the SDO@ Sadiya on 29th June, 2018 with all the Anganwadi workers and gaonburahs under Sadiya Rev. Circle.



15. A sensitization meeting for all the Gaon Burahs of Tinsukia Rev. Circle on preparation of VLUP and VMP was held on 15th July'2018 at Tinsukia Rev. Circle.

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Meeting and Training:

MEETING ON CONSTITUTION OF BLOCK SCHOOL SAFETY ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

- » Meeting on constitution of Block School Safety Advisory Committee for 9 (nine) nos. of Education Block of Nagaon district held on 30th June, 2018 in the conference room of District Emergency Operation Centre, in the O/o Deputy Commissioner, Nagaon. Dulal Debnath, ACS, Addl. Deputy Commissioner & Chief Executive Officer, presided over the Meeting cum Half Day Training Session on “Flood Management with special emphasis on Flood Reporting & Submission of SDRF/RG & Ex gratia proposal”

Meeting cum Half Day Training Session on “Flood Management on 18/06/2018, at DEOC, Conference Room



Bssac Meeting At Deoc, Conference Room, Ddma, Nagaon On 30Th June, 2018



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- » A Meeting cum half day training session on “Flood Management with special emphasis on Flood Reporting & submission of SDRF/RG & Ex gratia proposal” organized by DDMA, Nagaon on 18/06/2018, from 10.30 A.M onwards. All the departmental Nodal Officers, of line



department along with one senior Lot Mandal from each Revenue Circle and Field Officers (DM) attended the programme. The Addl. Deputy Commissioner & Chief Executive Officer, Dulal Debnath, ACS, presided over the meeting.

Meeting with Team of ADB and representatives of APGCL on installation of proposed ADB Granted 120 MW Lower Kopili Hydroelectric Project at Lonku, Dima Hasao:

To discuss the probable impact due to installation of proposed ADB Granted 120 MW Lower Kopili Hydroelectric Project at Lonku under Dima Hasao district, the District Disaster Management Authority, Nagaon conducted 2 (two) meetings with the team of ADB members and specialist along with APGCL officials. In this line the 1st meeting held on 24/04/2018 under the Chairmanship of Biswajit Pegu, IAS, Deputy Commissioner & Chairman, DDMA, Nagaon and 2nd Meeting held on 30/06/2018 in the Conference Hall of Deputy Commissioner, Nagaon.



1st Meeting with Team of ADB with Representatives of APGCL on 24th April, 2018 at D.C's Conference Hall, Nagaon



2nd Meeting with Team of ADB with Representatives of APGCL on 30th June, 2018 at D.C's Conference Hall, Nagaon

Relief Camp Management Training:

- » On 14.04.2018 a Training Session on Relief Camp Management for notified relief camp In-charge was conducted under Dhing Revenue Circle, Nagaon.

On 14.04.2018 a Training Session on Relief Camp Management at Dhing Revenue Circle



CDMC meeting under Kampur revenue circle on flood preparedness 2018 held on 12.04.2018

CDMC Meeting:

- » CDMC meeting under Kampur revenue circle on flood preparedness 2018 held on 12.04.2018, with all the officials of line department.
- » CDMC meeting under Raha revenue circle, Nagaon district on flood preparedness 2018 held on 10.04.2018 with the officials of line departments.

CDMC meeting under Raha revenue circle, Nagaon district on flood preparedness 2018 held on 10.04.2018





CDMC Meeting:

- » CDMC meeting under Kaliabor revenue circle on Circle level flood preparedness 2018 held on 05/04/2018 with the officials of line department.



CDMC meeting under Kaliabor revenue circle held on 05/04/2018

CDMC Meeting:

- » CDMC meeting under Rupahi revenue circle on Circle level flood preparedness 2018 held on 11/04/2018 with the officials of line department.



CDMC meeting under Rupahi revenue circle on Circle level flood preparedness 2018 held on 11/04/2018

CDMC Meeting:

- » CDMC meeting under Samaguri rev. circle on flood preparedness 2018 held on 10/04/2018 at office of the circle officer, Samaguri rev. circle.



CDMC meeting under Samaguri rev. circle on flood preparedness 2018 held on 10/04/2018

Apartment Sensitization Programme:

- » The DDMA, Nagaon conducted Apartment Sensitization programme on Earthquake & Fire Safety in 30 nos. of Apartment/Multistoried buildings of Nagaon town with the help of Resource Persons from Indian Red Cross Society and Fire & Emergency Services during the month of April, May June, 2018.



3 Apartment Sensitization Programme at Vishal Megamart, Nagaon on 5th July, 2018

School Safety Programme:

- » A Half Day School Safety Programme cum Mock Drill and Fire Safety Demonstration was conducted at Nagaon Govt. Boys H.S school , Nagaon with Fire & Emergency Services, Nagaon during Summer Camp programme on 4th July, 2018.

Planning:

- » Annual Work Plan:
- » Peer Group Training:



Half Day School Safety Programme cum Mock Drill and Fire Safety Demonstration conducted at Nagaon Govt. Boys H.S School on 4th July, 2018



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