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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT**

o/o. Commissioner & Director of Municipal

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-	February 2021 - Certain instructions issued - Reg.

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The attention of all the Municipal Commissioners in the State is invited to the subject cited and it is to inform that the Pattana Pragathi Programme is being effectively implemented in all the ULBs. In this regard, the Hon'ble Minister for MA&UD, IT, I&C., during the meeting at Bhongiri Municipality on 2nd October, 2020 have Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram 2020 awards to the ULBs who does exceptional work towards urban infrastructure and service delivery in various categories and also released the scheme of Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram-2020.

2. Further it is hereby informed that the awards will be given to ULBs in 4 Population segments and the details are as follows:-

Segment	Population Category
1	< 25,000
2	>25,000 and <50,000
3	>50,000 and <1,00,000
4	>100000 and < 3,00,000
5	>3,00,000

3. Therefore while enclosing a copy of Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram 2020 scheme details (Accessible from website [www.cdma.telangana.gov.in](http://www.cdma.telangana.gov.in)), all the Municipal Commissioners in the State are hereby requested to document their best practices as per the categories and keep it ready. Further, guidelines shall also be issued shortly regarding the benchmarks for each category for applying the awards. The awards shall be given on 24th Feb,2021 every year.

Encl:- as above.  
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To  
All the Municipal Commissioners in the State.

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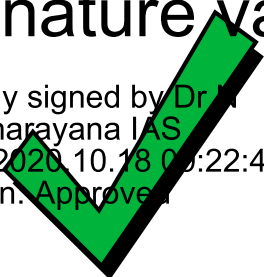
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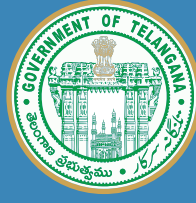
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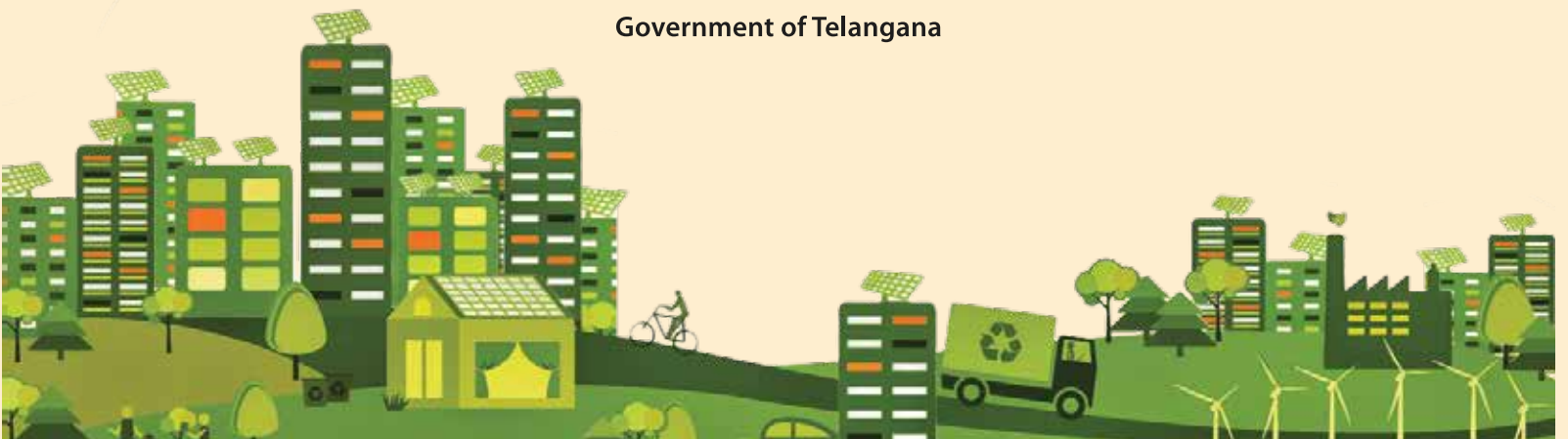
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# Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram 2020

.....recognizing excellence  
in urban liveability in Telangana

Instituted by  
Municipal Administration and Urban Development Department  
Government of Telangana





## Pattana Pragathi

- A mission for enhancing liveability of towns in Telangana

Telangana is one of most urbanised states of India and the level of urbanisation is expected to cross 45 % by 2021. Government of Telangana recognizes that urban areas are engines of economic growth and generators of quality livelihoods. Several enabling policies, innovative programmes and projects are introduced by the government to improve 'ease of doing business' and 'ease of living' in these urban areas.

Towards this, honourable Chief Minister, Government of Telangana has announced Pattana Pragathi, a mission mode programme aimed at enhancing the liveability of municipalities through active participation of people. The programme targets comprehensive development of towns focussing on cleanliness, citizen services, sanitation, water supply, waste management, basic infrastructure, health and greenery.

Following the launch of the Pattana Pragathi Programme on 24th February, 2020, municipalities across the state have responded to the mandate and are striving to improve access, efficiency and sustainability of municipal services by introducing innovative solutions, using better technologies, improving management practices, enhancing people connect, exploring new financing options and forging new partnerships.

## Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram - 2020

Pattana Pragathi Puraskaram(Awards) is instituted by the Municipal Administration & Urban Department, Government of Telangana to recognize, inspire and celebrate excellence in urban management. The Administrative Staff College of India is the knowledge partner in this endeavour. These awards have been instituted with the explicit purpose of honouring urban local bodies and organisations that assist them in taking significant steps towards effective urban management and improvement in service delivery. The awards cover a wide range of good practices across various categories that have resulted in enhanced liveability of the towns, quality of service delivery levels to the citizens with focus on specific needs of women, poor and marginalized. The Awards are a veritable showcase of innovative, inspiring, inclusive and sustainable models in urban management practices in urban Telangana.

## Who is eligible for the Awards?

**The awards would be open to:**

- Urban Local Bodies (ULBs)
- Parastatals agencies such as Urban Development Authorities/water utilities
- Non-Government Organizations and Community Based Organizations (CBOs) in collaboration with ULBs.







## What are the categories for the Award?

The awards are meant to acknowledge ULBs that have made an exceptional contribution to the urban infrastructure and service delivery in one or more of the following categories:

### Category 1: Model Municipality

Comprehensive town wide inclusive development covering all components of Pattana Pragathi mission.

### Category 2: Sanitation, FSSM and Solid Waste Management

- **Innovative Practices in Improving Access to Sanitation**

Individual toilets, community toilets, public toilets, mobile toilets, SHE toilets, sanitation in institutions, technology innovations such as bio-toilets, good operations and maintenance practices, conversion of insanitary toilets, model wards, good O & M practices etc.

- **Innovations in Solid Waste Management and Cleanliness**

Door to door collection, source segregation, reuse-recycle-upcycle, home-composting, dry resource centre management, management of bulk waste, treatment and disposal options, bio-mining, plastic waste management, C&D, bio-medical waste management, cleanliness at market places, religious places, open areas, vegetable markets, water bodies, mapping and formalising waste pickers etc

- **Effective Faecal Sludge Management and Waste Water Management**

Registration of desludging operators, regular usage of quality PPE, worker safety, scheduled desludging, safe faecal sludge treatment, centralized and decentralized wastewater treatment facilities, nature-based solutions, reuse of treated water etc.

### Category 3: Urban Greening, Water and Environmental Conservation

- **Innovative Practices in Urban Greening (Haritha Haaram) and Environment Conservation**

Good practices in Haritha Haaram, avenue plantation, greening of median and junctions, beautification of burial grounds/crematoria, plantation at government office premises, maintenance of urban nursery, use of treated water for plantation, rooftop gardens, protection of water bodies and restoration of wells etc.

- **Universal Access to Drinking Water Supply & Conservation**

Universal coverage of drinking water supply, 24-hour water supply, NRW management, water quality improvement, storm water management, promotion of rainwater harvesting water conservation measures etc

### Category 4: Other Pattana Pragathi Initiatives

- **Innovations in Municipal Infrastructure**

Provision of high-quality integrated market areas, vaikuntadamam, parks and play areas, wellness centres, innovative practices in developing street vending zones, dog parks, cycle tracks, bus shelters etc.

- **COVID Response**

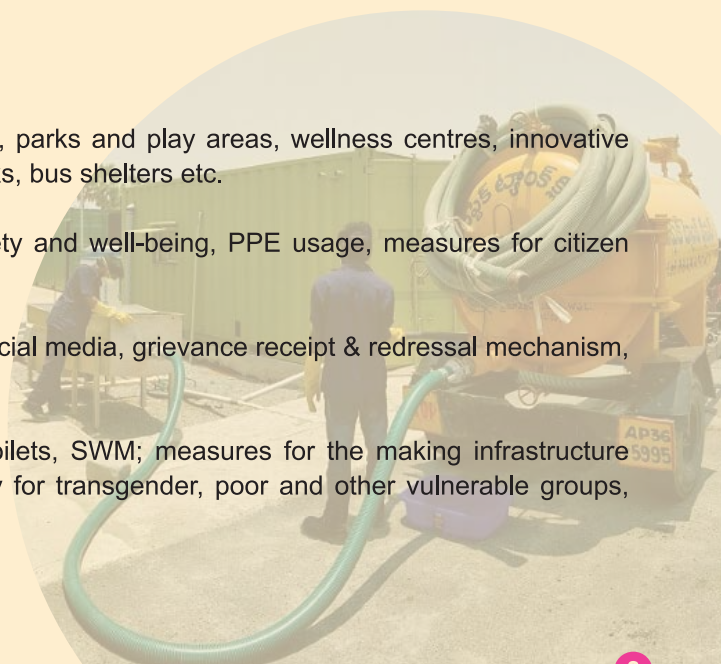
Good practices in COVID surveillance and response, worker safety and well-being, PPE usage, measures for citizen involvement etc.

- **IEC, Public Awareness and Citizen Orientation:**

Innovative practices in behaviour change communication, use of social media, grievance receipt & redressal mechanism, measures and channels for citizen engagement etc.

- **Gender and Inclusion**

Formal involvement of SLF/SHG in public awareness, O&M of toilets, SWM; measures for the making infrastructure child/elderly/women friendly, measures for making the city friendly for transgender, poor and other vulnerable groups, entrepreneurship and livelihoods programs.



## Award Categories

Awards will be given under different categories in four ULB population segments:

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## What are the parameters for selection?

**Nominations will be evaluated on the following parameters:**

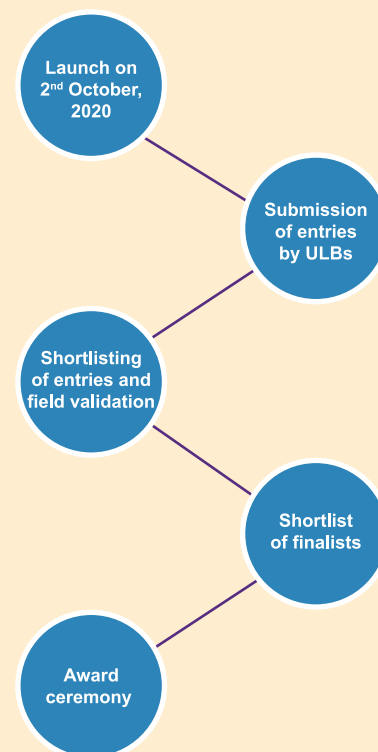
Sustainability : Replicability : Innovation : Gender inclusion Pro-poor and  
Community-based approaches : Impact : Citizen Satisfaction

## How to apply?

All Urban Local Bodies in Telangana and eligible and interested organisations are invited to submit entries over online portal at [cdma.telangana.gov.in](http://cdma.telangana.gov.in). The details of the Award programme and application format are given on this portal. All the eligible organisations can submit multiple entries in different categories.

An Advisory Committee, comprising sector experts, policy makers, academia, civil society organisations will assess entries based on the evaluation criteria. Finalists will be selected following a multistage procedure that will include initial screening and shortlisting followed by field validation of the shortlisted entries. Organisations who make it to the shortlist will be invited to make a detailed presentation.

### Process



## Award ceremony

The Winners and runners-up awards for all the categories will be presented and felicitated at a high-profile Awards ceremony, organised by the Government of Telangana on the eve of Pattana Pragathi day - 24<sup>th</sup> February 2021.



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