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SHIRPORA-A



Back to Village

Governance at the Doorstep

June 20-27, 2019



Government of Jammu & Kashmir

Back to the Village Report

(Format to be filled up by the Reporting Officer during
his/her two day visit to the Gram Panchayat)

A) DETAILS OF REPORTING OFFICER:

- i. Name: *Ashiq Hussain Kar*
- ii. Designation: *Lecturer*
- iii. Department/ place of posting: *Education / HSS Behrampora*
- iv. Mobile No: *9797109931*
- v. Email id:
- vi. Home District: *Baramulla*
- vii. Dates of visit: *20/21/22/23/24/25/26/27, June 2019*

B) LOCATIONAL DETAILS OF GRAM PANCHAYAT:

- i. Name of the Gram Panchayat (GP): *Shirpora Bangil A*
- ii. Local Government Directory (LGD) code of the GP *242437*

To be sourced from Rural Development Department/ by DC)

- iii. Name of CD Block: *Sherabat khore*
- iv. Name of Tehsil: *Pattan*
- v. Name of District: *Baramulla*

C) PANCHAYAT PROFILE:

- i. Name(s) of revenue villages in the Gram Panchayat
 1. *Shirpora Bangil*
 - 2.
 - 3.
 - 4.
 - 5.
- ii. No. of hamlets in the GP: *Nil*
- iii. No. of households in the GP: *412*
- iv. Population (approx) of the GP: *2222*
- v. Significant geographical feature of the GP (hilly/ kandi/ plain).
- vi. Key natural resources of the GP (forest/ water bodies/ minerals/ others/ None).

D) KEY AMENITIES IN THE GRAM PANCHAYAT:

1. STATUS OF ROADS:

- Whether Gram Panchayat is connected with road (Yes/Not) ☒ Yes
- If yes, type of existing road connecting to GP (Tick one)
 - Black topped/ Metalled/ Shingled/ Fair-weather
 - Remarks: _____
- Condition of existing road connecting to GP (Tick one)
 - Good/ Average/ Dilapidated
 - Remarks: The existing road has many potholes at various places.
- General condition of internal roads/ link roads inside the GP (Tick one)
 - Good/ Average/ Dilapidated/ No internal roads as the area is hilly
 - Remarks: The roads are very narrow & shingled.
- Unconnected habitations having population of 250 or more souls (with name):
 - Number: Nil
 - Names- (i) _____ (ii) _____
(iii) _____ (iv) _____
- Requirement of/ need for construction/ up-gradation of roads/ bridges/ culverts (with name/ length (Max. 03 works))

Name of the road/ bridge/ culvert: Approx. Length in Kms/ Mtrs

 - Construction of the road from Kharra to Mohalla (3km) through Gauri.
 - Road from Kharra to Gadi Wader (approx 2 km) through Gauri.
 - Construction of the Culvert on the existing Zangra-Kharra road near Gauri.

2. DRINKING WATER/ WATER BODIES:

- Source of drinking water (Tick as many as needed)
 - Tapped Water/ Tube well/ Dug well/ Natural Source (spring, nallah, bowl, river)/ Hand Pump
 - Others (please specify): _____

ii. Is the availability of drinking water sufficient? Yes/ No ☒ Yes

iii. Quality of drinking water in the Gram Panchayat (Tick one):

- Very Good/ Average / Not fit for consumption
- Remarks: The water is sticky & is rich in iron thus not fit for use.

iv. Hamlets without tapped water supply (with name):

- Number: 02
- Names- (i) Nai Basti (ii) Wader Mohalla (Rehmatabad)
(iii) _____ (iv) _____ (v) _____

v. Coverage of households through tapped water:

- Fully covered/ Substantially covered/ Partially covered/ Not covered
- Remarks: The households of Nai Basti & Wader Mohalla are not covered through tapped water.

vi. Frequency of water supply (for connected habitations) (fill one):

- Daily (02 hrs/day)
- Thrice a week (___ hrs/day)
- Twice a week (___ hrs/day)
- Weekly (___ hrs/day)

e) Remarks: The supply schedule depends upon the availability of electricity.

ii. Prevalence of diseases on account of unhygienic water supply (as reported) (tick one):

- Frequently/ Sometimes / Never

iii. Untapped water sources, details if any: Nil

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

c. Necessity and further need regarding drinking water supply:

- Demand for pipes (length): _____ (Kms) (for Nai Basti & Wader Mohalla)

- viii. Condition of the road connecting HSS (please specify) Though maintained but are many potholes at various places on the
- ix. Distance of nearest College from Gram Panchayat 5 Kms

Mode of transport On foot/ Public bus/ Other vehicle

- x. Private Schools in the Gram Panchayat, if any (Number only) NIL

Primary School NIL Middle School NIL High School NIL

- xi. Why do parents prefer private schools for children
Lack of proper infrastructure at the govt school. It is only this year that the building was constructed. Prior to this the school had a thatched roof which was a major constraint in hot weather. In addition the MDM scheme shall be implemented through them. Yes/ No

- xiii. Any requirements pertaining to education sector (please give details- maximum 03)

1. Repairment of the road leading to the school
2. School campus widening & allotment of the compound.
3. Drinking water facility

6. ECONOMY/ LIVELIHOODS:

- i. Primary source of livelihood

☒ Farming

- b. Non-farming - Weaving/ Embroidery/ Carpentry/ others (please specify):

Livestock rearing

- ii. Major agri crops grown in GP

a. Rabi (Winter Crops) Mustard

b. Kharif (Summer Crops) Paddy, maize & pulses

- iii. Major Horticulture Crops grown in GP Apple/ Walnut/ Cherries/ Mangoes/ Bananas/

Others Apricot & Pear

- iv. Availability of fertilizer/ pesticides outlet in the GP Yes/ No

- v. Any organic fertilisers/ vermi-composting being used/ done by farmers: Nobody/ Few/ Many/ All

- vi. Major source of irrigation (with %age):

☒ a. Canal 100%

b. Ponds ---%

c. Tube wells ---%

d. Springs ---%

e. Rainfed ---%

f. Others ---%(details)

- vii. Whether rain water harvesting/ conservation measures are being adopted by the locals in the GP: Yes/ No

- viii. If yes, number of water harvesting tanks in the GP 1 (No)

- ix. Coverage of soil health cards in GP 100%

- x. Whether Crop Insurance Cards are being issued to the farmers in the GP: Yes/ No

- xi. Whether Panchayat has potential for: (specify details)

a. Agriculture Vegetable Cultivation ^{Recent plantation} (crop)

b. Horticulture Apple plantation, Walnut, Apricot (crop)

c. Plantation --- (crop)

d. Dairy farming Cow, Goat (type)

e. Animal/ Sheep Husbandry Cattle & Sheep rearing (type)

f. Horticulture Apple, Walnut, Apricot (crop)

g. Fisheries/ Aquaculture NIL (details)

h. Silk (cocoons) NIL (details)

i. Any other (please specify) Skill development (embroidery, Sorniet)

- ii. Do farmers sell agriculture/ horticulture/ other produce Yes/ No

v. No of identified eligible households yet to be covered under PMAY: 30

13. SANITATION:

i. General assessment of the visiting officer about the cleanliness in the Gram Panchayat: Poor/ Satisfactory/ Good

ii. Availability of Community Sanitary Complexes in Halqa Panchayat: Yes/No

iii. Whether maintained by public: Yes/ No

iv. Whether all households are having toilet facility: Yes/No

v. Whether toilet facility is being used by the locals: Yes/No

vi. Is Open Defecation still prevalent in the Panchayat: Yes/No

vii. If yes, percentage of Open Defecation: 42%

Reasons: Poverty and Lack of funds by the concerned dept. under SH

viii. Any facility for Solid Waste Management existing in the Panchayat: Yes/No

ix. In case the facility of Solid Waste Management is not available, is the Panchayat willing to undertake the activity along with provision of land: Yes/No

14. RURAL DEVELOPMENT AND PRI:

MGNREGA:

i. Are job cards available with all eligible households: Yes/No

ii. When were the job cards last verified: 12-14 May 2019 (Month)

iii. Are seven registers being maintained and verified: Yes/No

iv. Has Social Audit Committee been formed in the GP: Yes/No

v. In case no. was it constituted in the Gram Sabha meeting held in presence of the visiting officer: Yes/No

vi. Are Community Information Boards being installed on MGNREGA works: Yes/No

Panchayati Raj Institutions:

i. Whether Gram Sabhas are being conducted regularly: Yes/No

ii. Whether women/ reserved category members of Gram Sabha do participate in the meetings: Yes/No

iii. Whether all departmental plans are being prepared in Gram Sabha: Yes/No

iv. Are the members of the GP aware about the funds received under 14th Finance Commission: Yes/No

(Officer should read out amount in Gram Sabha and explain)

v. Has 14th FC plan been prepared and approved by the Gram Sabha: Yes/ No

vi. Has Gram Panchayat Development Plan been prepared: Yes/ No

vii. Does Panchayat have a bank account: Yes/ No

Balance in the account Rs 156

Account operated by Sarpanch/ VLV/ Others (specify)

15. PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM FACILITY

i. Whether PDS outlet available in the GP: Yes/No

ii. Whether supply of food grains is made available regularly: Yes/ No

iii. Quality of PDS grain: Poor/ Average/ Good/ Very Good

iv. Whether PHH/ NPHH/ exclusion category list is displayed at the PDS outlet/ Panchayat Ghar: Yes/ No

v. Whether Rate list is displayed at the PDS outlet: Yes/ No

vi. Whether PoS machine installed at PDS outlet: Yes/ No

vii. Coverage of LPG connections under UJJWALA: Partially/ Fully
Refills by UJJWALA users: Once in 1/ 2/ 3/ 4/ 5/ 6 / months (approx.)

16. WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT:

i. No. of Anganwadi Centres (AWCs) in the GP: 01 (Nos)

- vi. If yes, whether said building is being properly maintained Yes/ No
- vii. Number of major and critical projects/ works which are languishing for completion for more than three years (Plz specify three major works, if any)

Name of the work _____ Department concerned _____
 1. Panchayat GHAT PWD/ PHE/ Health/ School/ Other
 (Specify) Rural Dev. Dept.
 2. Kangdita Water Supply Scheme for village Kripna Bagil PWD/ PHE/ Health/ School/ Other
 (Specify) _____
 3. NIL PWD/ PHE/ Health/ School/ Other
 (Specify) _____

- viii. Prevalence of drug menace in the GP Nil/ Very Low/ Low/ High/ Very High
- ix. Is there any unused government building in the GP which can be put to productive use (Plz specify) NIL

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21. GOOD GOVERNANCE:

- i. Public perception on
- a. Overall accessibility of departmental staff Poor/ Good/ Very Good
- b. Overall responsiveness of departmental staff Poor/ Good/ Very Good
- ii. Best performing departments: a) RDD b) Education c) LAPD
- iii. Departments with most complaints against staff: a) Revenue b) R&B c) RDD
- iv. Any specific observation regarding any particular department

Though RDD has several complaints against its name, but we also found it the best performing department which has completed various developmental projects at the grass root level but the quality of materials used in these projects need improvement. The people were also agitated against the Revenue Department especially against the Patwari serving the village, and want immediate transfer.

E) GENERAL ASSESSMENT OF THE VISITING OFFICER:

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I	Main economic activities/ source of livelihood in the GP (Max. 05):
1	Horticulture and the allied businesses
2	Agriculture and the allied businesses
3	Livestock (cattle & sheep rearing)
4	Embroidery & sozni
5	Private & unorganized labour
II	Major potential areas which can be used to improve economic conditions in the GP (Max. 05):
1	Establishment of corporate dairy unit & milk processing unit.
2	Vermi-compositing units
3	Skill development units
4	Sheep farms and poultry farms
III	Major problems confronting the people in the GP (Max. 05):
1	Shortage of portable drinking water
2	Lack of proper inner road connectivity leading to school, play ground.
3	Improper drainage system especially alongside the existing zangan to kunder road.
4	Lack of proper irrigation facility to the horticulture land.
5	Unavailability of pharmacist & medical supply at the existing sub centre.

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IV	Urgent public requirements in order of priority (Max. 07):
	1. New water supply scheme from Tangmarg (Ferozpur)
	2. Construction of roads from Khore (Sheerabad) to Nehalpur and khun to Badi Wader under R.
	3. Lift irrigation scheme for the horticulture land.
	4. Creation of agriculture zone.
	5. Upgradation / improvement of drainage alongside the existing Zayam - Hunzer road
	6. Fencing & widening of the existing play ground
	7. Construction of children's park at Tang labor.
V	Any major complaint brought to notice:
	The major complaint brought to the notice is that the R & B nd ^{and Revenue} Departments ^{are} not taking any adequate measures regarding the pvt drainage system and the encroachments by the local populace.
VI	Overall assessment of visit (Public Services): Please mention best practices, if any, observed
	While assessing the whole visit, I could conclude that the people were very ^{to} jingo regarding this program. They received us warmly & wanted to address all the problems & issues confronting them. The people lack awareness regarding various pvt. schemes launched by different departments. The best thing about this village is people are literate.
VII	Overall assessment of visit (Panchayat Functioning):
	Though there is no elected Sarpanch in this Gram Panchayat, but still Gram Sabha is held regularly with the village elders which is facilitated by the concerned block. The social audit committee is also constituted alongside with monitoring & vigilance committee which discuss & take stock of various developmental plans.
	Signature of the visiting officer
	Name: Aashiq Hussain KAY