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(Report on Vibrant Gram Sabha held on 2nd October 2024)

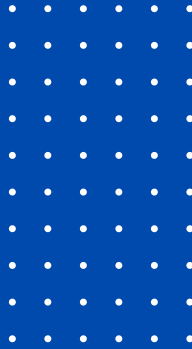



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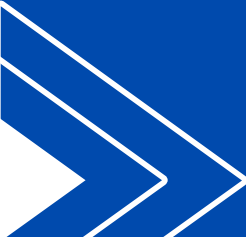


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MESSAGE



It gives me immense pleasure to introduce this booklet dedicated to the Vibrant Gram Sabha initiative, held on 2nd October 2024 as part of the People's Plan Campaign across Tripura. This campaign marks a transformative step in fostering active community involvement and participatory governance throughout our state. By gathering in Gram Sabhas across every Gram Panchayat, block by block, the people of Tripura demonstrated a deep commitment to shaping their own development and building a resilient future for their villages.

The Vibrant Gram Sabhas are the heart of the People's Plan Campaign, where citizens come together to share their aspirations, prioritize their needs, and craft sustainable plans rooted in local realities

As we take stock of this campaign's success, I am proud to see our collective vision of inclusive, transparent governance coming to life in every corner of Tripura.

This booklet captures the stories, aspirations, and achievements of these Vibrant Gram Sabhas. It is more than a record; it is a source of inspiration and a reminder of the power of community-led governance.

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Dr. Sandeep R Rathod
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MESSAGE



It gives me immense pleasure to introduce this booklet celebrating the Vibrant Gram Sabha initiative held on 2nd October 2024 as part of the People's Plan Campaign across Tripura. As the Director of the RD Panchayat Department, I am truly inspired by the enthusiasm and active participation demonstrated by our communities during these gatherings.

The Vibrant Gram Sabhas have proven to be a powerful platform for citizens to come together, voice their concerns, and collaboratively design the future of their villages. This initiative exemplifies the essence of people's participation in governance—fostering a culture of transparency, inclusivity, and accountability. It is heartening to see the people of Tripura engaging in meaningful dialogue about their aspirations, needs, and dreams, ultimately empowering them to take charge of their own development.

This booklet serves not only as a record of our accomplishments but also as an inspiration for continued participation in the ongoing journey of community empowerment and sustainable development.

Let us embrace the momentum generated by the People's Plan Campaign and work hand in hand to create a brighter, more self-reliant future for all the citizens of Tripura. Together, we can make a lasting impact on our villages and pave the way for generations to come.

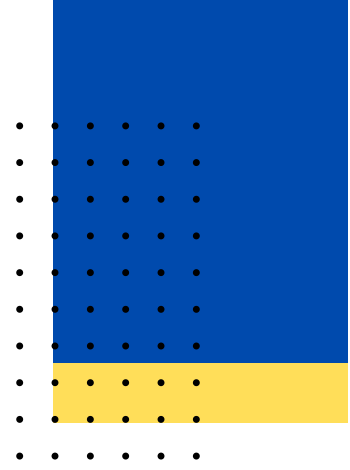
Jai Hind!

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Prasun De
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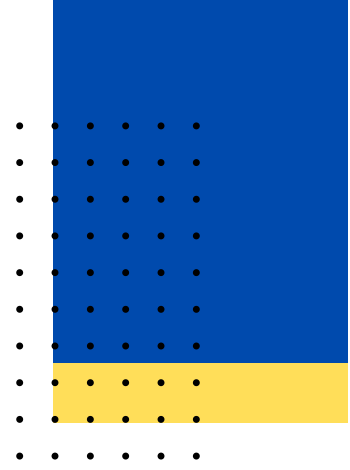
GRAM SABHA : A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT



India is primarily a rural country, with about 70% of its population residing in villages. Therefore, the overall socio-economic development of India largely depends on rural progress. National development can be achieved only through the comprehensive development of both urban and rural areas. Mahatma Gandhi believed that India's holistic development could only be realized when rural progress was assured. He advocated for "Gram Swaraj" (village self-rule), emphasizing administrative and financial independence for village panchayats as mentioned in Article 40 of the Indian Constitution, allowing them to identify and address local issues independently through effective planning and implementation.

Post-independence, several committees were formed to empower the Panchayat system, notable among them being the Ashok Mehta Committee, Balwant Rai Mehta Committee, L.M. Singhvi Committee, and G.V.K. Rao Committee. Based on their recommendations, the 73rd Constitutional Amendment was passed in 1992 and came into effect on April 24, 1993, now celebrated as National Panchayati Raj Day. This amendment introduced a three-tier Panchayat system comprising the Gram Panchayat, Panchayat Samiti, and Zilla Parishad. It established provisions for direct elections, empowerment of panchayats, reservation for women and marginalized communities, and the formation of a State Finance Commission, among others. One of the amendment's most notable features was the creation of the Gram Sabha under Article 243 (B).

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The Gram Sabha comprises all village voters and is responsible for formulating and approving plans for rural socio-economic development. It serves as a platform for villagers to voice their concerns to the Panchayat, contributing equally to problem-solving measures. The Gram Sabha strengthens democratic participation and decentralization. No Panchayat decisions can be implemented without the Gram Sabha's consent, ensuring community involvement in developmental initiatives. The previous year's financial report is presented during the annual Gram Sabha, promoting transparency and accountability in local governance.

In Tripura, alongside the Gram Sabha, the Tripura Panchayat Act 1993 mandates the formation of the Gram Sansad to extend grassroots-level community participation further. The Gram Sansad exclusively determines beneficiaries of government schemes, including employment initiatives.

Following the guidelines of the Union Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Tripura mandates that every Panchayat holds Women's and Children's Assemblies, thereby promoting women's empowerment, children's rights, protection, and overall development.

The Gram Sabha is a constitutional right. When every individual is given the right to speak in the Gram Sabha or Sansad, when issues raised by the people are addressed through public discussion, and when every woman and child is given the platform to express their concerns, a Panchayat can be fully developed. Broad community participation is the cornerstone of development, achievable only through a strong Gram Sabha.



OBJECTIVES OF THIS BOOKLET

The primary purpose of this booklet is to function as both an educational tool and a practical guide. The objectives are as follows:

- **Raising Awareness and Knowledge:** Many citizens are unaware of the full scope of Gram Sabha's powers and responsibilities. This booklet aims to educate villagers, local leaders, and stakeholders on the rights, functions, and processes associated with a Vibrant Gram Sabha.
 - **Promoting Democratic Participation:** A key characteristic of a Vibrant Gram Sabha is the engagement of all community members, particularly marginalized groups such as women, children, and disadvantaged castes or tribes. This booklet is a living example of such participation.
 - **Guiding Effective Meeting Practices:** To achieve its potential, the Gram Sabha must function efficiently, addressing local issues and approving development plans transparently. The booklet visualizes effective meetings, facilitating open dialogue, and ensuring that decisions reflect the community's collective will.
 - **Empowering Local Governance Structures:** An empowered Gram Sabha is essential for responsive local governance. By providing a clear framework on how communities can advocate for their needs, allocate resources, and manage projects, the booklet shows how they come together and perform..
 - **Fostering Transparency and Accountability:** A central aspect of a Vibrant Gram Sabha is transparency in local administration. The booklet would underscore the Gram Sabha's role in practical oversight and project evaluation, empowering citizens to see what is happening.
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STRATEGY FOR THE PROGRAMME

The Rural Development (Panchayat) Department has formulated a detailed strategy for the conduct of a “Vibrant Gram Sabha” on October 2, 2024, to coincide with the launch of the People’s Plan Campaign (PPC). This event will initiate the preparation of the Panchayat Development Plan (PDP) for the fiscal year 2025-26. The strategy aims to guide Block Development Officers (BDOs) and other relevant officials to ensure smooth and effective execution. The strategy is outlined as follows:

1. **Engagement of Senior Citizens** ; Objective: To honor senior citizens (aged 75 and above) by inviting them to share their experiences, achievements, and vision for the Gram Panchayat (GP). Action Points:
 - BDOs shall identify and issue formal invitations to senior citizens aged 75 and above.
 - Selected senior citizens should be oriented on topics of discussion, which will include the GP’s achievements, existing gaps, and future aspirations.
 - Ensure the active participation of senior citizens by providing suitable seating arrangements at the event.
2. **Venue Selection and Setup** ; Objective: To provide an organized and welcoming event environment. Action Points:
 - Prioritize the use of a community hall for the event; if unavailable, establish an outdoor venue with sufficient tenting, seating, lighting, and a sound system.
 - Arrange for refreshments to be available for all attendees.
 - Decorate the venue appropriately and distribute informative leaflets about the PPC to enhance attendee awareness.
3. **Involvement of Eminent Personalities** ; Objective: To inspire community members through the presence of distinguished local leaders. Action Points:
 - Extend an invitation to the honorable MLA or another respected figure within the community.
 - Arrange for a recorded video message from the invited dignitary to be played during the event.
 - Equip the venue with a laptop, projector, and sound system to facilitate the seamless display of the video message.



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4. Personal Testimonies from Local Residents

Objective: Encourage reflection on GP history, growth, and personal experiences.

Action Points:

- Identify one male and one female resident to share insights into the Gram Panchayat's social and physical landscape, recount their personal life stories, and discuss the evolution of the Panchayat system.
- Offer structured guidance on key topics, such as notable changes in infrastructure, community relations, and personal anecdotes that highlight the GP's journey over the years.

5. Tree Plantation Campaign (1 Ped Maa Ke Naam)

Objective: Symbolize growth and honor community leaders through the act of tree planting.

Action Points:

- Coordinate the planting of at least 75 trees, prioritizing fruit-bearing varieties to benefit the community.
- Invite distinguished guests to participate by planting a tree in their name, fostering a sense of belonging and stewardship.

6. Pledges for Community Goals

Objective: Reinforce collective commitments to significant community values.

Action Points:

- Facilitate the administration of the following pledges for all attendees:
 - Swachhata Pledge (Cleanliness)
 - Anti-Drug Abuse Pledge
 - Fit India Pledge
 - GPDP Pledge (Development Goals)
 - LSDG Theme Pledge: "Ek Tripura, Sreshtha Tripura"
 - Youth Pledge to uphold the vision and values of their elders.

7. Action-Oriented Community Program

Objective: Foster active community participation through meaningful initiatives.

Action Points:

- Implement a community-driven event such as a cleanliness campaign or a blood donation camp, coordinated with the support of the Health Department
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8. Publicity and Outreach

Objective: Enhance awareness and maximize attendance for the event.

Action Points:

- Publicize the Gram Sabha through various channels, including public announcements (miking), distribution of leaflets, personalized household letters, and strategic use of social media platforms.
- Ensure the distribution of a PPC (Public Participation Communication) leaflet to all attendees to reinforce key messages and engagement.

9. Health Screening Desk

Objective: Address the health needs and concerns of the community.

Action Points:

- Collaborate with the Health Department to establish a dedicated health screening desk at the event.
- Provide essential health services such as cataract screenings, blood pressure monitoring, and blood typing.

10. SHG Products Stall

Objective: Promote and support local entrepreneurship.

Action Points:

- Set up a stall dedicated to Self-Help Groups (SHGs) to showcase and sell their products, thereby fostering local business initiatives and cultivating community pride.

11. Success Stories Video Display

Objective: Motivate participants by sharing community achievements.

Action Points:

- Arrange an LED screen to display curated videos that highlight local success stories, sourced from the official website of the RD Department and other credible sources.

12. Photo Exhibition of Developmental Work

Objective: Visually emphasize past developmental achievements.

Action Points:

- Organize an exhibition featuring a minimum of 10 A3-sized photographs accompanied by concise descriptions in Bengali, English, and Kokborok, showcasing significant projects completed in the previous year.
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13. **Presentation of Action Plan for Bal Sabha and Mahila Sabha**

Objective: To apprise the community of initiatives focused on youth and women.

Action Points:

- Present a comprehensive action plan to conduct the Bal Sabha (Children's Assembly) and Mahila Sabha (Women's Assembly) within the framework of the People's Participation and Collaboration (PPC) initiative.

14. **Documentation and Reporting**

Objective: To ensure accurate recording and reporting of the Gram Sabha proceedings.

Action Points:

- Document the event through photographs, videos, and a detailed written summary.
- Upload event details onto the designated online meeting portal and the Panchayat Nirnay App.
- Prepare a concise 2-3 minute video summary and submit it to the Directorate within 15 days of the event.

15. **Concluding Ceremony**

Objective: To foster national pride and strengthen community bonds.

Action Points:

- Conclude the Gram Sabha with the rendition of the National Anthem.
- Distribute refreshments and informational leaflets on PPC to the attendees.

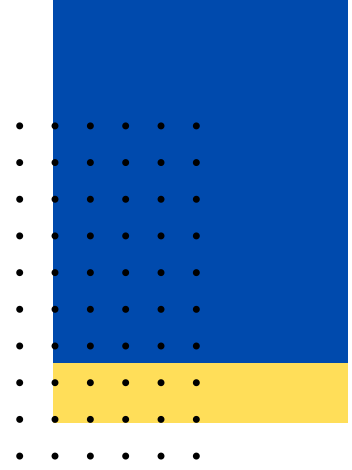
16. **Strategic Social Audit**

Objective: To organize periodic social audits so that checks, balances & accountability can be maintained

Action Points:

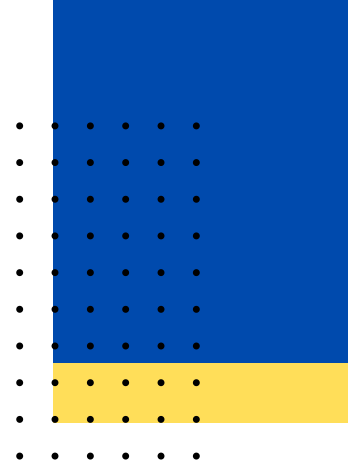
- Organize proper social audits quarterly
 - Publish periodic reports with proper photographs
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Bamutia RD Block

- On October 2nd, the Purba Gandhigram Panchayat of Bamutia Block organized a significant Gram Sabha, featuring esteemed guests such as Dr. Sandeep R. Rathore, Secretary of the RD (Panchayat) Department, and Smt. Megha Jain, ADM & Collector of West Tripura. The event was also graced by Sri Balai Goswami, Hon'ble Sabhadhipati of Paschim Tripura Zilla Parishad, along with other local dignitaries.
- The Block Development Officer addressed attendees, outlining the Panchayat's recent activities, while the Hon'ble Pradhan presented an overview of the Panchayat's income and expenditure. A highlight of the gathering was the children's cultural program, which added vibrancy to the proceedings. Dr. Rathore emphasized the critical role of developing a Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP) to ensure community needs are met effectively.
- Seventh-grade student Ms. Sriporna and Smt. Mampi Rani Choudhury articulated a detailed list of demands focusing on child and women-related issues, showcasing the Panchayat's dedication to fostering a Child-Friendly and Women-Friendly environment in Bamutia RD Block. Dr. Subhayan Chakraborty from the Panchayat Raj Training Institute provided insights into crafting qualitative GPDPs.
- In his closing remarks, the Hon'ble Sabhadhipati summarized the discussions and encouraged community members to voice their demands for a pragmatic development plan. The event concluded with the National Anthem and a plantation drive, reinforcing community spirit and environmental responsibility.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Jirania RD Block



- Special Gram Sabha organized by Uttar Majlishpur Gram Panchayat under Jirania RD Block on October 2, 2024.
- Presided over by the Pradhan, Shri Biplab Pal, with dignitaries including Shri Pritam Debnath, the Chairman of PS and Smt. Rupali Das.
- Began at 12:30 PM with lamp lighting and a message from the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Tripura about the People's Plan Campaign (PPC).
- Panchayat Secretary, Shri Dipankar Debnath highlighted the PPC's significance and past successes of the Gram Panchayat Development Plan (GPDP).
- Attendees pledged to promote cleanliness, maintain a drug-free environment, and contribute to the development plan.
- Loans were distributed to three Self-Help Groups, alongside fishing nets and ice boxes for selected beneficiaries.
- Health and eye check-ups were offered, along with awareness stalls from various departments.
- The event wrapped up with a plantation drive, emphasizing environmental sustainability and offering learning opportunities for newly appointed Panchayat Executive Officers.



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Mohanpur RD Block

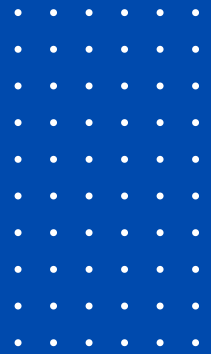
- On October 2, 2024, the Special Gram Sabha held in Mohanpur Block, West Tripura District, saw an impressive level of community participation across its 21 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Residents of all ages—men, women, youth, and elderly alike—came together in large numbers, showing a unified dedication to local issues and initiatives. The events were held at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, including Sri Ratan Lal Nath, Minister of Power , Agriculture & Farmers' Welfare, Law, Parliamentary Affairs, Election were present to lend their support.
- A highlight of the event was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging participants to take pride in their role in building a resilient and sustainable future. This message underscored the power of unity and collective action in fostering community progress.
- The gathering featured diverse activities aimed at strengthening community ties and promoting health and environmental consciousness. Participants engaged in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls set up by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and active community involvement. An impressive 364 saplings were planted, marking a shared commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to ensure transparency in local governance were also prominent, with varying media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, spurred by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a significant role in encouraging young people to actively contribute to community development, fostering a lasting sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Dukli RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, across the 26 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in Dukli Block, West Tripura District, demonstrated a remarkable commitment to community empowerment and local development. The high turnout of men, women, youth, and elderly participants highlighted a shared sense of purpose and community pride. The events were held at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, including MLA, Smt. Mina Rani Sarkar were present to lend their support
- Key moments included a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura of Tripura, who urged community members to take pride in their contributions and work towards a resilient and sustainable future. This message underscored the importance of unity and collective efforts in driving progress.
- The event featured a range of activities designed to foster community spirit and well-being. These included oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that aimed to increase health awareness, promote local entrepreneurship, and enhance community involvement. A total of 562 saplings were planted, symbolizing a solid commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to ensure transparency in governance were evident, with media documenting the activities across different Gram Panchayats. Student involvement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played a pivotal role in engaging the youth, instilling a sense of responsibility, and encouraging their participation in local development.



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Belbari RD Block

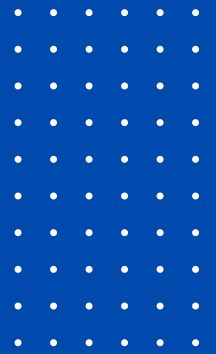
- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Belbari Block, West Tripura District, brought together a remarkable gathering across 15 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Residents of all demographics—men, women, youth, and the elderly—participated enthusiastically, underscoring a shared commitment to addressing local issues. The event took place in accessible locations, such as Panchayat offices, VC Offices, JB Schools and community halls, with local dignitaries, lending their support.
- One of the event's highlights was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work collectively toward a resilient and sustainable future. This message reinforced the value of unity and shared purpose in driving community progress.
- Throughout the day, a range of activities promoted health awareness, environmental responsibility, and community bonding. Participants took oaths, engaged in blood donation drives, and visited Self-Help Group (SHG) stalls, which fostered health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and community involvement. The planting of 204 saplings underscored a collective commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to ensure transparent governance were visible, with media coverage varying across different Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, spurred by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a key role in engaging young people, fostering a sense of responsibility, and promoting active community development.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Old Agartala RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, the Old Agartala Block in West Tripura District hosted a Special Gram Sabha, drawing impressive participation across its 19 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. People of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—gathered in large numbers, reflecting a strong community commitment to local initiatives. Events were held at accessible venues like Panchayat offices, VC offices and community halls, with the presence of local dignitaries, including MLA Sri Ratan Chakraborty, who attended to show their support.
- A key moment of the event was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged participants to take pride in their role in shaping a resilient and sustainable future.
- The event featured a variety of activities like oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and stalls by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and active community engagement. A total of 374 saplings were planted, underscoring the community's dedication to environmental sustainability.
- Youth participation, spurred by initiatives such as the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a vital role in inspiring the younger generation to take part in community development, fostering a deep sense of responsibility.



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Lefunga RD Block

- The Lefunga Block in West Tripura District hosted a vibrant Special Gram Sabha on October 2, 2024, drawing an enthusiastic crowd across 10 Village Committees. There was wonderful response from the people of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—came together, which showed the commitment to addressing community issues. The event was held at accessible locations such as Panchayat offices, VC offices and Lefunga Block office, with local dignitaries in attendance to lend their support.
- A key highlight was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging everyone to take pride in their contributions and work collectively toward a resilient and sustainable future. His words underscored the strength of unity and shared purpose in fostering community progress.
- The event featured a variety of activities focused on health awareness, environmental responsibility, and community engagement. Attendees participated in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored Self-Help Group (SHG) stalls, which promoted health education, entrepreneurship, and active community involvement. The planting of 40 saplings marked a collective dedication to environmental sustainability.
- Transparency in governance was emphasized, with media presence varying across different Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, driven by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a significant role in engaging young people, nurturing responsibility, and encouraging active participation in local development.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Hezamara RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha on October 2, 2024, in Hezamara Block, West Tripura District, drew a remarkable turnout across 15 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Residents of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—participated actively, reflecting a unified dedication to local development. The event took place at accessible locations like Village Committee (VC) offices, and community halls, where local dignitaries, including Executive Member TTADC were present to show their support.
- A central highlight was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged everyone to take pride in their contributions and work together toward a resilient, sustainable future. His words emphasized the importance of unity and shared purpose in driving progress.
- The day featured diverse activities promoting health, environmental stewardship, and community spirit. Participants took part in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and visited stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and community involvement. The planting of 361 saplings further underscored the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Transparency in local governance was a key focus, with media coverage varying across the Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, inspired by initiatives such as the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was instrumental in engaging the younger generation, instilling a sense of responsibility, and encouraging active participation in community development.

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Mandwai RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Mandwai Block of West Tripura District brought together a diverse gathering across 26 Village Committees. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—participated actively, demonstrating a collective dedication to local development. Held at convenient locations such as Panchayat offices, Village Committee offices and community halls, the event had the support of local dignitaries who attended to encourage the community's efforts.



- One of the event's highlights was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, inspiring participants to take pride in their role in building a resilient, sustainable future. His message underscored the importance of unity and collaboration in achieving community goals.



- The day included a range of activities that promoted health, environmental consciousness, and community bonding. Participants engaged in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that fostered health awareness, entrepreneurship, and community engagement. The planting of 879 saplings symbolized a shared commitment to environmental stewardship.
- With varied media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, the event emphasized transparency in governance.



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Amarpur RD Block

- **Strong Participation and Democratic Engagement:** On October 2, 2024, the Gram Sabha at Rajkang Village Council (VC) in Amarapur RD Block saw a turnout of 623 participants from an electorate of 1993, demonstrating robust democratic involvement. Attendees included officials, local leaders, and villagers.
- **Child-Friendly Village Pledge:** Participants collectively pledged to foster a child-friendly environment, supporting sustainable development goals in line with national initiatives.
- **Healthcare Support and Services:** A Mega Health Camp provided comprehensive healthcare, addressing various specialties like gynecology, ophthalmology, pediatrics, and general medicine, and issued PMJAY cards to 15 villagers, facilitating broader health access.
- **Community Initiatives and Empowerment Efforts:** The event emphasized inclusivity with a Mega Blood Donation Camp, women's empowerment and child development rally led by SHG members of the Tripura Rural Livelihood Mission, and a plantation drive with 250 fruit-bearing and medicinal plants.
- **Participation of Children and Youth:** Children actively participated, with their demands noted for future development plans. They also took part in anti-social awareness activities, including a drama on cleanliness and child marriage prevention.
- **Showcase of Local Entrepreneurship:** SHG members displayed locally made products, such as goat milk soap and organic vegetables, underscoring community entrepreneurial efforts.
- **Digital Inclusivity and Feedback Mechanism:** This was the first large-scale Gram Sabha at Rajkang VC with digital access for remote participants and a feedback corner to gather community insights.

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Kakraban RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Kakraban Block in Gomati District hosted a dynamic Special Gram Sabha that attracted enthusiastic participation from residents across 22 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Individuals of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—came together to demonstrate their commitment to local development priorities. The event was organized in accessible locations, including Panchayat offices, VC Offices and Community halls, with local dignitaries, including MLA Jitendra Majumder were present to lend their support.
- A significant highlight of the event was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired participants to take pride in their contributions and work collaboratively towards a resilient and sustainable future. His message underscored the vital role of unity and collective action in driving community progress, encouraging everyone to engage in local initiatives.
- The day was filled with various activities aimed at fostering community involvement and awareness. Attendees participated in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and local entrepreneurship. Furthermore, the planting of 851 saplings highlighted the community's strong commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to ensure transparency in governance were evident throughout the event, with diverse media coverage across the Panchayats. Youth engagement, invigorated by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role in nurturing a sense of responsibility and encouraging young people to actively participate in local development. Overall, this event served as a testament to Kakraban Block's dedication to fostering a united and sustainable community for the future.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Matabari RD Block

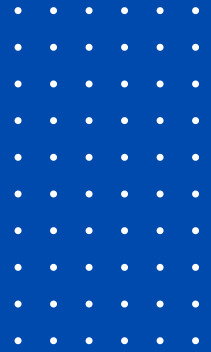
- On October 2, 2024, the Matabari Block in Gomati District hosted an energetic Special Gram Sabha that brought together residents from 19 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—gathered to showcase their commitment to local development priorities. The event was held in accessible venues such as Panchayat offices, VC offices, and community halls, with local dignitaries, including MLA Abhishek Debroy, present to offer their support.
- A standout feature of the gathering was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and collective action in fostering community progress, inspiring attendees to engage in local initiatives.
- The day was packed with a variety of activities aimed at promoting community involvement and awareness. Participants took part in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls set up by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that highlighted health awareness and local entrepreneurship. Additionally, the planting of 851 saplings demonstrated the community's strong commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Throughout the event, the commitment to transparent governance was clear, supported by diverse media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth engagement, invigorated by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a vital role in fostering a sense of responsibility and encouraging young people to actively participate in local development. Ultimately, this event showcased Matabari Block's dedication to nurturing a united and sustainable community for the future.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Tepania RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, the Tepania Block in Gomati District held a vibrant Special Gram Sabha, uniting residents from 19 Gram Panchayats. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—came together to demonstrate their commitment to local development priorities. The event took place in accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, with local dignitaries present to show their support.
- A key highlight of the gathering was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired participants to take pride in their contributions and work together toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message underscored the significance of unity and collective action in advancing community progress, encouraging attendees to engage actively in local initiatives.
- The day was filled with a range of activities aimed at enhancing community involvement and awareness. Participants engaged in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which focused on promoting health awareness and local entrepreneurship. The planting of 542 saplings further exemplified the community's strong commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Throughout the event, a commitment to transparent governance was evident, as reflected in the diverse media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, energized by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role in fostering a sense of responsibility and motivating young people to actively participate in local development.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Karbook RD Block

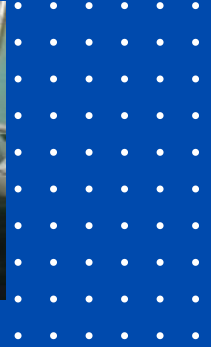
- On October 2, 2024, Karbook Block in Gomati District held a dynamic Special Gram Sabha, uniting residents from 22 Village Committees in a shared commitment to local development. People of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—gathered at accessible locations like Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries who showed their support for the block's progress.
- A central highlight of the event was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, inspiring participants to take pride in their contributions and work together toward a resilient, sustainable future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and collective action in advancing community initiatives, encouraging all attendees to actively engage in local projects.
- The day was packed with activities designed to boost community involvement and awareness. Women and children played a vibrant role throughout the event, actively participating in various initiatives and demonstrating the community's commitment to inclusivity and collective growth.
- In a meaningful display of environmental stewardship, the community planted 626 saplings, underlining their dedication to sustainable practices. The event was widely covered in the media across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting an ongoing commitment to transparent governance.
- Youth engagement, bolstered by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was a crucial element of the day, fostering a sense of responsibility and encouraging young people to take an active role in local development. This Special Gram Sabha highlighted Karbook Block's dedication to building a united, inclusive, and sustainable future for all.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Killa RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Killa Block in Gomati District hosted an inspiring Special Gram Sabha, uniting residents from 16 Village Committees in a shared commitment to local development. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, children, and seniors—came together at accessible locations such as Panchayat offices and community halls. Local dignitaries, including the Additional Block Development Officer (BDO), attended various Gram Sabhas to lend their support and encouragement.
- A significant highlight was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura.
- The day featured diverse activities designed to enhance community involvement and awareness.
- In a symbolic commitment to environmental conservation, the community planted 162 saplings, highlighting their dedication to sustainable practices. The event received widespread media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting a commitment to transparent and accountable governance.
- Youth engagement, encouraged by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a vital role, fostering a sense of responsibility and motivating young people to take an active role in local development. This Special Gram Sabha in Killa Block showcased a united effort to build an inclusive, sustainable, and empowered community for the future.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Ompi RD Block

- On October 2, 2024, Ompi Block in Gomati District hosted a spirited Special Gram Sabha, bringing together residents from 22 Village Committees in a shared commitment to local development. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, children, and seniors—gathered at accessible locations such as Panchayat offices and community halls. Local dignitaries were present across various Gram Sabhas, showing their support for the block's development efforts.
- A key highlight of the gathering was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and to work together towards a resilient, sustainable future. The event featured a range of activities aimed at increasing community involvement and awareness. Participants took part in oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and visited stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) promoting health awareness and supporting local businesses. Women and children played an active role throughout the event, participating enthusiastically in various initiatives, which showcased the community's commitment to inclusivity and mutual growth.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Silachari RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Silachari Block in Gomati District held a vibrant Special Gram Sabha, bringing together residents from 8 Village Committees in a unified commitment to local development. Community members of all ages—men, women, youth, children, and seniors—gathered in accessible venues like Panchayat offices and community halls. Local dignitaries, including Thaingya Mog, Chairman of the Block Advisory Committee (BAC), attended various Gram Sabhas, lending their support to the block's initiatives and encouraging community involvement.
- A significant highlight of the event was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged participants to take pride in their contributions and to work collectively towards a resilient, sustainable future. His message emphasized the power of unity and inspired attendees to actively engage in local development efforts.
- The event included a series of activities designed to enhance community participation and awareness. Attendees participated in oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and explored stalls set up by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness and supported local entrepreneurship. Women and children were actively involved throughout the event, enthusiastically participating in various initiatives, showcasing Silachari's commitment to inclusivity and collective growth.
- In a symbolic step toward environmental conservation, the community planted 35 saplings, underscoring their dedication to sustainable practices. The event was widely covered in the media across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting a commitment to transparency and open governance.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA



Kadamtala RD Block

- Special Gram Sabhas : Special Gram Sabhas were organized by the 19 Gram Panchayat under Kadamtala Rd Block in North Tripura District, Tripura on 2nd October , 2024
- High Community Engagement: The Vibrant Gram Sabhas in Kadamtala saw diverse attendance, including men, women, and youth, indicating robust community involvement in local governance.
- Video of Hon. Chief Minister of Tripura's Special: Message A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented, in which the Chief Minister of Tripura encouraged everyone to take pride in their participation and work together toward a resilient and sustainable future.
- Leadership and Accessibility: Local leaders, including MLAs and ministers, were invited to bridge communication between government representatives and citizens, with venues chosen for community accessibility.
- Activities Promoting Development: The Sabha organized blood donation camps, SHG stalls, and oath-taking ceremonies to encourage health awareness, entrepreneurship, and civic responsibility, a special plantation drive was organized and 387 sapling were planted
- Youth Engagement in Governance: Student participation through the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan integrated young voices into governance, fostering early civic engagement and community awareness.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Kalacherra RD Block

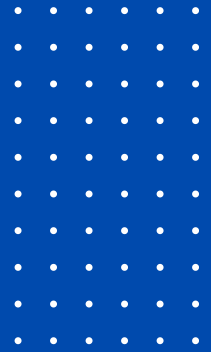
- **Special Gram Sabhas:** On October 2, 2024, 19 Gram Panchayats under the Kalacherra RD Block in North Tripura District organized Special Gram Sabhas, aiming to address local governance and community development.
- **High Community Engagement:** The vibrant gatherings witnessed diverse attendance, including men, women, and youth, showing strong community involvement in local decision-making.
- **Video of Hon. Chief Minister of Tripura's Special: Message** A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented, in which the CM encouraged everyone to take pride in their participation and work together toward a resilient and sustainable future.
- **Leadership and Accessibility:** Local MLAs and ministers joined to facilitate direct communication with citizens, with venues selected for ease of access to all community members.
- **Development-Focused Activities:** The Sabhas included blood donation camps, SHG stalls, and oath-taking ceremonies to promote health, entrepreneurship, and a commitment to civic duties. 433 saplings were planted in a special plantation drive.
- **Youth Participation in Governance:** Student involvement under the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan helped integrate young perspectives into governance, promoting early civic engagement and awareness.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Panisagar RD Block



- **Location and Attendance:** The 15 Gram Panchayats and 3 Village Committees in North Tripura's Panisagar area saw an extensive attendance of men, women, youth and elderly, reflecting community engagement levels.
- **Venue and Official Presence:** Events were held at accessible venues like Panchayat offices and community halls. Some locations had the presence of local dignitaries such as the BDO.
- **Video of Hon. Chief Minister of Tripura's Special:** A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was showcased, in which he urged everyone to take pride in their contributions and collaborate toward achieving a resilient and sustainable future..
- **Community Activities:** Activities included oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and SHG stalls, supporting health awareness, community involvement, and local entrepreneurship. A total of 269 saplings were also planted in the event.
- **Media Coverage and Transparency:** Media presences varied by Gram Panchayat, indicating efforts to document and promote transparency at the local governance level.
- **Youth and Educational Engagement:** Student participation through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was recorded, encouraging youth involvement in community development activities.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Jubarajnagar RD Block

- **Location and Attendance:** The 23 Gram Panchayats in the Jubarajnagar area of North Tripura witnessed significant attendance from men, women, youth, and the elderly, highlighting strong community engagement.
- **Venue and Official Presence:** Events took place at accessible venues, such as Panchayat offices, Panchayat Office grounds and community halls. Some locations were graced by local dignitaries, including the Block Development Officer (BDO).
- **Video from the Hon. Chief Minister of Tripura:** A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented, where he encouraged everyone to take pride in their contributions and work together towards a resilient and sustainable future.
- **Community Activities:** Activities included oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), promoting health awareness, community participation, and local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 400 saplings were planted during the event.
- **Media Coverage and Transparency:** The presences of media varied across Gram Panchayats, reflecting efforts to document and enhance transparency in local governance.
- **Youth and Educational Engagement:** Student involvement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was noted, fostering youth participation in community development efforts.

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Dasda RD Block



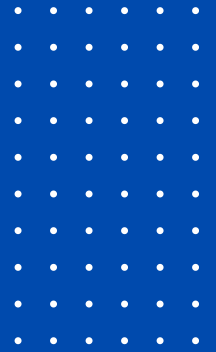
- In North Tripura's Dasda RD Block, the 20 Gram Panchayats experienced significant attendance from men, women, youth, and the elderly in a vibrant Gram Sabha, highlighting the strong engagement of the community. Events were held in accessible venues such as Panchayat offices and community halls, with local dignitaries, including the Block Development Officer (BDO) and Additional BDO attending some of these locations.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was showcased, in which he encouraged everyone to take pride in their contributions and work collaboratively towards a resilient and sustainable future. The community activities included oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), promoting health awareness, community participation, and local entrepreneurship. Notably, 102 saplings were planted during the event, further emphasizing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, indicating efforts to document activities and promotes transparency in local governance.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Damcherra RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Damcherra Block, North Tripura District, was a vibrant celebration of community unity and local progress. People from 13 Village Committees across the district gathered at accessible venues like Panchayat offices and community halls. Joining the residents were local leaders.
- A motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was a highlight of the event, where he encouraged residents to take pride in their collective efforts and work together towards a resilient and sustainable future.
- The event featured a range of activities promoting community engagement, including oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and Self-Help Group (SHG) stalls that focused on health awareness and supported small businesses. The day also saw enthusiastic participation from children and women, who played active roles in various initiatives, highlighting the inclusivity and spirit of the gathering.
- In a symbolic commitment to environmental preservation, the community planted 102 saplings, reflecting their dedication to sustainable practices.
- Youth engagement, especially through initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, fostered a sense of responsibility and inspired a new generation to take an active role in local development. The Special Gram Sabha in Damcherra Block showcased a strong, unified commitment to building a sustainable and empowered community for all.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Jampui Hill RD Block

- The 7 Village Committees in the Jampui Hill RD Block of North Tripura experienced significant attendance from men, women, youth, and the elderly, demonstrating strong community engagement. Events were organized at accessible venues such as Village Committee offices, Junior Basic Schools and YMA halls. This presence contributed to a sense of legitimacy and support for the activities being conducted.
- A notable highlight of the events was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged everyone to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards achieving a resilient and sustainable future. This message resonated with participants and underscored the importance of community unity in tackling local challenges.
- Community activities were diverse, featuring oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, community involvement, and local entrepreneurship. In total, 63 saplings were planted during the event, further emphasizing environmental sustainability. Additionally, media coverage varied across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting efforts to document these initiatives and promote transparency in local governance. Student participation through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was also noted, fostering youth engagement in community development activities.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Laljuri RD Block



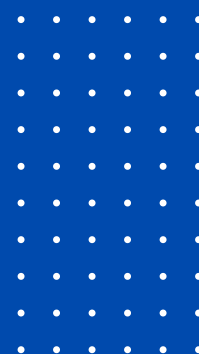
- The 13 Gram Panchayats in North Tripura's Laljuri RD Block experienced significant attendance, with men, women, youth, and the elderly actively participating, showcasing strong community engagement. Events were organized at accessible venues, such as Panchayat offices and community halls. Notably, some locations were attended by local dignitaries, including the MDC Sri Sailendra Nath and MDC Smt Swapna Rani Das highlighting the importance of these gatherings.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented during the events, in which he urged everyone to take pride in their contributions and work collaboratively toward building a resilient and sustainable future. In addition to this inspiring message, various activities took place, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These activities promoted health awareness, encouraged community involvement, and supported local entrepreneurship. As part of the event, a total of 174 saplings were also planted, further contributing to the community's environmental efforts.
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting efforts to document and promote transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student participation through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was recorded, fostering youth involvement in community development activities and emphasizing the role of education in driving positive change within the community.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Kumarghat RD Block

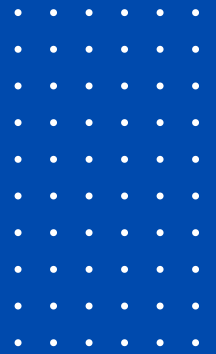
- Location: Fatikroy Gram Panchayat, Kumarghat RD Block, Unakoti District
- Chairperson: Pradhan
- Dignitaries Present: One State Cabinet Minister, other dignitaries, and a large gathering of common people
- Initiatives Taken:
 - Felicitation of old aged persons
 - Launch of Swaccha Home and Swaccha Toilet initiatives
 - Implementation of Awas Yojana
 - Organization of a Health Camp, including:
 - Blood Donation Camp
 - Screening for blood grouping, cataract, and blood pressure
 - Sub-Divisional administration provided certificates (income, SC/ST, etc.)
 - Virtual connection for willing persons residing outside the Panchayat
- Historical Insights:
 - Aged villagers shared the history of the Panchayat
 - Discussions on Panchayat elections and the vision for the Panchayat
- Additional Activities:
 - Cultural performances by local artists
 - Distribution of saplings to promote environmental awareness
 - Setup of Self Help Group (SHG) stalls showcasing local products
 - Oath-taking ceremony for newly elected Panchayat members
 - Video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura broadcasted during the event
 - Media coverage by local newspapers and TV channels
 - Participation of people under the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan initiative



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Chandipur RD Block

- In the Chandipur RD Block of Unokoti District, the 18 Gram Panchayats experienced significant attendance from men, women, youth, and the elderly, showcasing strong community engagement. The events were held at accessible venues such as Panchayat offices and community hall.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was showcased, in which he encouraged everyone to take pride in their contributions and work collaboratively towards building a resilient and sustainable future. Various activities took place, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives promoted health awareness, community involvement, and local entrepreneurship, while a total of 1723 saplings were planted during the event.
- The presence of media varied across the Gram Panchayats, reflecting efforts to document activities and enhances transparency in local governance. Additionally, student participation through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was recorded, further encouraging youth involvement in community development activities.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Gournagar RD Block

- The events held in the Gournagar RD Block of Unokoti District demonstrated remarkable community participation across various groups, including men, women, youth, and the elderly. With accessible venues like Panchayat offices and community halls, the gatherings encouraged active involvement from all sectors of the community.
- A motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura set an inspiring tone, encouraging people to take pride in their contributions and work together towards a resilient and sustainable future. Throughout the 23 Gram Panchayats, activities such as oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls hosted by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) promoted health awareness, community spirit, and local entrepreneurship.
- Environmental commitment was underscored with the planting of 719 saplings, reflecting a dedication to sustainability. Although media coverage varied across the Gram Panchayats, the documentation effort emphasized transparency in local governance. Additionally, student participation was notable, particularly through the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, which fostered youth involvement in community development.
- These initiatives collectively highlight a dedicated approach to fostering a health-conscious, environmentally sustainable, and engaged community, with each event contributing significantly to the area's growth and resilience.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Pecharthal RD Block



- In the Pecharthal Rd Block of Unakoti District, significant attendance was recorded at the 16 (Gram Panchayats /Village Committees), with participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This turnout reflected strong community engagement and a commitment to local initiatives. The events were hosted at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, such as the Hon'ble BAC Chairman were present to lend support.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was featured during the events, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards achieving a resilient and sustainable future. This message underscored the importance of unity and collective effort in driving community progress.
- Various activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to promote health awareness, enhance community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 1282 saplings were planted as part of the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, highlighting efforts to document activities and promotes transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was noted, fostering youth involvement in community development and encouraging a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.
- The 16 Gram Panchayats in the Pecharthal RD Block of Unakoti District experienced a notable turnout, with strong participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly, demonstrating significant community engagement.
- A variety of activities took place, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs).

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Ambassa RD Block

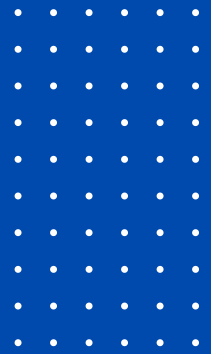


- Event Details:
- Date: 2nd October, 2024
- Location: Basudeb Para Gram Panchayat, Ambassa RD Block, Dhalai District
- Presiding Officer: Pradhan
- Special Guest: Chairman of the Panchayat Samiti
- Attendance: Block Development Officer of Ambassa RD Block, Line Department Officials, representative from Piramal Foundation, and a large gathering of local villagers
- Senior Citizens Felicitation: Heartwarming gesture honoring the contributions of senior citizens to the village's development
- Community Pledge: Attendees committed themselves to the ideals of community service through a pledge-taking ceremony

Key Highlights:

- Distribution of seedlings
- Cultural program featuring local talents
- Health camp offering various health services
- Awareness Stalls:
- Various Line Departments set up stalls to inform villagers about different schemes





VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Durga Chowmuhani RD Block

- In the Durga Chowmuhani RD Block of Dhalai District, the 29 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees saw significant attendance from men, women, youth, and the elderly, reflecting strong community engagement and a commitment to local initiatives. The events were held at accessible venues, such as Panchayat offices and community halls, with local dignitaries, including the Smt Sapna Das Paul, was present to show their support.
- During the events, a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was featured, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards achieving a resilient and sustainable future. This message emphasized the importance of unity and collective effort in driving community progress.
- Various activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to promote health awareness, enhance community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. As part of the event, a total of 1371 saplings were planted, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, highlighting efforts to document activities and promotes transparency in local governance. Additionally, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was observed, fostering youth involvement in community development and encouraging a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Salema RD Block



- In the Salema Rd Block of Dhalai District, a significant turnout was recorded at the 21 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This high level of attendance reflected strong community engagement and a commitment to local initiatives. The events were held at accessible venues, such as Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, including the Sri Sapna Das Paul, were present to offer their support.
- During the events, a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was showcased, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work together to achieve a resilient and sustainable future. This message emphasized the importance of unity and collective effort in driving community progress.
- A variety of activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to promote health awareness, enhance community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 479 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presences varied across the Gram Panchayats, highlighting efforts to document activities and promote transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was noted, fostering youth involvement in community development and instilling a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Chawmanu RD Block

- In the Chawmanu Rd Block of Dhalai District, a notable turnout was observed at the 14 Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This impressive attendance demonstrated strong community engagement and commitment to local initiatives. The events took place at accessible venues, such as VC offices and community halls.
- During the events, a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work together to achieve a resilient and sustainable future. This message emphasized the significance of unity and collective effort in promoting community progress.
- A range of activities was organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, enhance community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. In addition, a total of 1110 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability. Media presences varied across the Gram Panchayats, showcasing efforts to document activities and promote transparency in local governance, while student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan encouraged youth participation in community development.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Dumburnagar RD Block



- In the Dumburnagar Rd Block of Dhalai District, there was a significant turnout at the 19 Village Committees, with men, women, youth, and the elderly actively participating, showcasing strong community engagement and commitment to local initiatives.
- Events were held at accessible venues, such as VC offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, including Vice Chairman BAC, were present to offer their support.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented during the events, urging participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate toward achieving a resilient and sustainable future, emphasizing unity and collective effort.
- Various activities took place, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), aimed at promoting health awareness, enhancing community involvement, and supporting local entrepreneurship.
- A total of 548 saplings were planted during the event to reinforce the commitment to environmental sustainability, while media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats to document activities and promote transparency in local governance. Student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan further encouraged youth involvement in community development.





VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Ganganagar RD Block

- In the Ganganagar Rd Block of Dhalai District, there was a significant turnout at the 6 Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly, showcasing strong community engagement and commitment to local initiatives in the Special Gram Sabha.
- The events were held at accessible venues, such as Village Committee , where local dignitaries, including Vice Chairman BAC, were present to provide their support.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was presented, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work collaboratively towards a resilient and sustainable future, emphasizing the importance of unity and collective effort in community progress.
- Various activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), aimed at promoting health awareness, enhancing community involvement, and supporting local entrepreneurship.
- A total of 64 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability. Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, highlighting efforts to document activities and promotes transparency in local governance, while initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan encouraged youth involvement in community development.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Manu RD Block



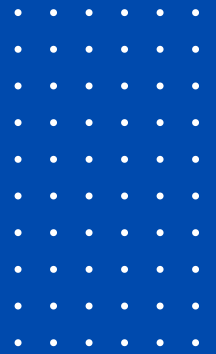
- In the Manu Rd Block of Dhalai District, a significant turnout was recorded at the 31 Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly, reflecting strong community engagement and commitment to local initiatives.
- The events took place at accessible venues such as VC offices, AWC and community halls, with presence local dignitaries, including Sri Sanjay Das(MDC 06 MANU CHAILANGTA) Sri Pranay Debbarma (BAC VICE-CHAIRMAN) to lend their support.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura was showcased during the events, urging participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards building a resilient and sustainable future, emphasizing the importance of unity and collective effort.
- Various activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs)
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, highlighting efforts to document activities and promote transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan encouraged youth participation in community development and fostered a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Raishyabari RD Block



- The events held in the Raishyabari RD Block of Dhalai District showcased impressive community involvement across all age groups, including men, women, youth, and the elderly. By hosting gatherings in accessible locations like Panchayat offices and community halls, the initiatives promoted inclusive participation.
- A video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura set an encouraging tone, urging everyone to take pride in their contributions and to collaborate towards a resilient and sustainable future. Throughout the 8 Gram Panchayats, activities included oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls set up by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) to promote health awareness, community engagement, and support for local entrepreneurship.
- A significant environmental effort was made with the planting of 248 saplings, reinforcing the commitment to sustainability. Media presence, which varied across the Panchayats, added an element of transparency to local governance. Furthermore, students actively participated through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, strengthening youth involvement in community development.
- These initiatives collectively reflect a strong commitment to building a health-conscious, environmentally responsible, and engaged community, with each activity making a meaningful contribution to the region's growth and resilience.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Kalyanpur RD Block

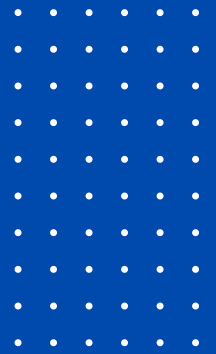
- The Kalyanpur Rd Block of Khowai District witnessed a remarkable turnout at the 21 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly for the Special Gram Sabha on 2nd October 2024. This impressive attendance showcased a strong sense of community engagement and a dedication to local initiatives. Events were held at accessible venues, such as Panchayat offices, Village Committee offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, attended to offer their support.
- A key highlight of the events was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work together to achieve a resilient and sustainable future.
- Numerous activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, increase community involvement, and promote local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 562 saplings were planted during the event, further reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to document activities and promote transparency in local governance were evident, as media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played a crucial role in encouraging youth participation in community development and fostering a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Khowai RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, the Khowai Rd Block of Khowai District saw an impressive turnout at the 25 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees during the Special Gram Sabha. The participation of men, women, youth, and the elderly showcased a strong sense of community engagement and a commitment to local initiatives. The events were held at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries were present to lend their support.
- A notable highlight of the gathering was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, which encouraged participants to take pride in their contributions and work together toward building a resilient and sustainable future. This message emphasized the vital role of unity and collective action in fostering community progress.
- Numerous activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to promote health awareness, boost community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. Additionally, 890 saplings were planted during the event, further demonstrating the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- The efforts to document activities and ensure transparency in local governance were evident, as media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats. Moreover, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played a crucial role in encouraging youth participation in community development and instilling a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Teliamura RD Block

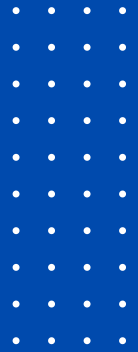
- In the Teliamura Rd Block of Khowai District, the Special Gram Sabha on October 2, 2024, saw an impressive turnout at the 25 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees, with active participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This high level of attendance highlighted the community's strong engagement and commitment to local initiatives. Events were held at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices, VC offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, such as Smt Kalyani Roy (MLA), were present to lend their support.
- A notable highlight of the events was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging participants to take pride in their contributions and work together to create a resilient and sustainable future.
- Several activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to promote health awareness, enhance community involvement, and support local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 1304 saplings were planted during the event, further reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- The presence of media across the Gram Panchayats reflected efforts to document activities and promote transparency in local governance. Moreover, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played an essential role in encouraging youth participation in community development and instilling a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Mungiakami RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in the Mungiakami RD Block of Khowai District attracted a remarkable turnout at the 14 Village Committees, with enthusiastic participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This impressive attendance demonstrated the community's strong engagement and commitment to local initiatives. The events took place at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices and community halls, where local dignitaries, were present to show their support.
- A key feature of the events was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, which inspired participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards building a resilient and sustainable future. This message highlighted the importance of unity and collective action in promoting community progress.
- A variety of activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, boost community involvement, and encourage local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 223 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presences varied across the Gram Panchayats, underscoring efforts to document activities and enhance transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played a vital role in encouraging youth participation in community development and fostering a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Padmabil RD Block

- The Special Gram Sabhas held on October 2, 2024, in the Padmabil Rd Block of Khowai District attracted a remarkable turnout at the 17 Village Committees, with enthusiastic participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This impressive attendance demonstrated the community's strong engagement and commitment to local initiatives.
- A key feature of the events was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, which inspired participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards building a resilient and sustainable future. This message highlighted the importance of unity and collective action in promoting community progress.
- A variety of activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, boost community involvement, and encourage local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 225 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media presence varied across the Gram Panchayats, underscoring efforts to document activities and enhances transparency in local governance. Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan played a vital role in encouraging youth participation in community development and fostering a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.

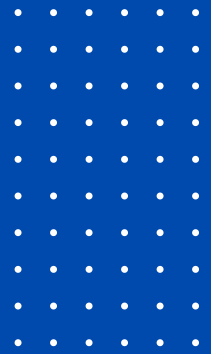
VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Tulashikhar RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in the Tulashikhar Rd Block of Khowai District attracted a remarkable turnout at the 23 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees, with enthusiastic participation from men, women, youth, and the elderly. This significant attendance demonstrated the community's strong engagement and commitment to local initiatives.
- A key moment during the events was the presentation of a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, urging participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate toward building a resilient and sustainable future. The message highlighted the importance of unity and collective action in advancing community progress.
- A variety of activities were organized, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation camps, and stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, foster community involvement, and promote local entrepreneurship. Additionally, a total of 954 saplings were planted during the event, reinforcing the commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Furthermore, student engagement through initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was instrumental in encouraging youth participation in community development and instilling a sense of responsibility among the younger generation.





VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Bishalgarh RD Block

- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Bishalgarh Block, Sipahijala District, was a significant event, gathering residents from 34 Gram. People of all demographics—men, women, youth, and elderly—attended with enthusiasm, demonstrating a strong commitment to local development. Held at convenient locations such as Panchayat Offices, HS Schools, JB Schools, and Community halls, the event saw support from local dignitaries, further motivating community participation.
- A notable highlight was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired participants to take pride in their efforts and work collectively toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the impact of unity and shared purpose on community progress.
- The day's activities ranged from oath-taking ceremonies and blood donation drives to stalls hosted by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and community engagement. Additionally, the planting of 1185 saplings symbolized the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media coverage across various Gram Panchayats helped ensure transparency, while youth participation—encouraged by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan—played a vital role in engaging the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Boxanagar RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Boxanagar Block in Sepahijala District came together for a meaningful Special Gram Sabha, attracting enthusiastic participation from residents across 15 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. People from all walks of life—men, women, youth, and the elderly—joined in to address and engage with local development goals. The gatherings were held at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices, SB Schools, JB Schools, and community halls, with local dignitaries present to show their support.
- A standout moment was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging everyone to take pride in their contributions and work collectively for a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the power of unity and collective action in fostering community progress.
- The event featured a range of activities, from oath-taking ceremonies and blood donation drives to stalls by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which promoted health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and active community involvement. The planting of 1185 saplings further demonstrated the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts toward transparent governance were evident, with varying media coverage across Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, spurred by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a critical role in fostering a sense of responsibility and promoting active participation in local development. Overall, the event was a strong display of Boxanagar Block's commitment to building a united, sustainable community for the future.





VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Charilam RD Block

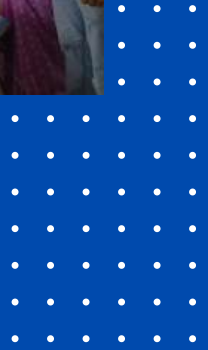
- On October 2, 2024, the Charilam Block in Sepahijala District hosted an impactful Special Gram Sabha, bringing together residents from 15 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in enthusiastic participation. Individuals of all ages and backgrounds—men, women, youth, and the elderly—came together to engage with local development objectives. The events took place in accessible venues such as Panchayat offices, Village Committee Office, and Community halls, with local dignitaries attending to show their support.
- A particularly notable moment was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired attendees to take pride in their contributions and collaborate toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message highlighted the importance of unity and collective action in driving community progress.
- The planting of 1787 saplings showcased the community's strong commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to ensure transparency in governance were evident, with diverse media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth participation, fuelled by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was crucial in cultivating a sense of responsibility and encouraging active engagement in local development. Ultimately, the event served as a powerful testament to Charilam Block's dedication to fostering a united and sustainable community for the future.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Kathalia RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Kathalia Block in Sepahijala District organized a significant Special Gram Sabha, uniting residents from 26 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in enthusiastic participation. Individuals of all ages and backgrounds—men, women, youth, and the elderly—came together to engage with local development goals. The gatherings took place in accessible venues such as Panchayat offices, SB Schools, JB Schools, and community halls, with local dignitaries attending to lend their support.
- A highlight of the event was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who urged attendees to take pride in their contributions and work together for a resilient and sustainable future. His words reinforced the importance of unity and collective action in promoting community progress.
- The event showcased a diverse array of activities, including oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and stalls hosted by Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which aimed to enhance health awareness, encourage local entrepreneurship, and promote active community involvement. The planting of 474 saplings was a striking demonstration of the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Efforts to promote transparency in governance were evident, with varying media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth engagement, inspired by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a vital role in fostering a sense of responsibility and encouraging active participation in local development. Overall, this event was a compelling reflection of Kathalia Block's dedication to cultivating a united and sustainable community for the future.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Mohanbhog RD Block

- On October 2, 2024, Mohanbhog Block in Sepahijala District held a vibrant Special Gram Sabha, bringing together residents from 13 Gram Panchayats. This gathering saw enthusiastic participation from individuals across all demographics—men, women, youth, and the elderly—who came together to discuss and engage with vital local development initiatives. The events were hosted in accessible venues, including Panchayat offices, and community halls, with local dignitaries present to show their support.
- A memorable moment of the day was a video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged participants to take pride in their contributions and collaborate towards building a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the significance of unity and collective action in driving community progress.
- The day was filled with a variety of activities, ranging from oath-taking ceremonies and blood donation drives to informative stalls run by Self-Help Groups (SHGs). These initiatives aimed to raise health awareness, stimulate local entrepreneurship, and foster active community involvement. In a remarkable show of commitment to environmental sustainability, participants planted 193 saplings throughout the event.
- Transparency in governance was a key focus, with media coverage spanning across the various Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement was particularly noteworthy, as initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan inspired young people to take an active role in their community's development. In summary, this event underscored Mohanbhog Block's unwavering commitment to nurturing a united and sustainable community for generations to come.

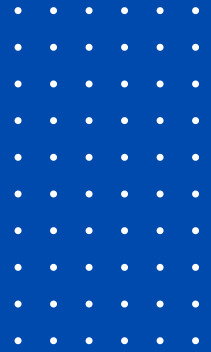
VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Nalchar RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, the Nalchar Block in Sepahijala District buzzed with energy as it hosted a dynamic Special Gram Sabha. Residents from 25 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees actively participated, uniting individuals of all ages—men, women, youth, and the elderly—to discuss and engage with local development priorities. The gatherings took place in convenient venues, including Panchayat offices, JB Schools, and Community halls, where local dignitaries offered their support.
- A particularly impactful moment of the event was a video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura. In his message, he inspired participants to take pride in their contributions and work together towards a sustainable and resilient future. His words underscored the importance of unity and collective action in fostering community growth.
- The day featured a rich variety of activities designed to engage and inform the community. Participants took part in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and visited stalls from Self-Help Groups (SHGs), which aimed to raise health awareness, promote local entrepreneurship, and encourage active community involvement. Furthermore, the planting of 419 saplings symbolized a strong commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Transparency in governance was also emphasized throughout the event, with media coverage varying across the Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, spurred by initiatives such as the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role in fostering a sense of responsibility and encouraging young people to engage in local development. Overall, this event exemplified Nalchar Block's dedication to building a cohesive and sustainable community, paving the way for a promising future.

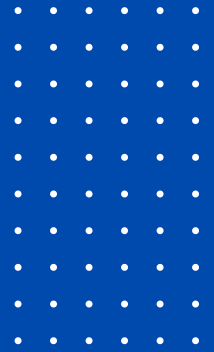




VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Jampuijala RD Block

- On October 2, 2024, a vibrant Special Gram Sabha unfolded in Jampuijala Block, Sepahijala District, attracting enthusiastic participation from residents across 31 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees. Men, women, youth, and the elderly came together, showcasing a collective commitment to local development priorities. The gatherings took place in easily accessible locations, including Panchayat offices, SB Schools, JB Schools, and community halls, where local dignitaries were present to offer their support.
- A particularly inspiring moment during the event was the video address delivered by the Chief Minister of Tripura. He urged participants to take pride in their contributions and to work collaboratively towards a sustainable and resilient future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and collective action in driving community progress.
- The day featured a rich variety of activities designed to engage the community. Attendees participated in oath-taking ceremonies, blood donation drives, and explored stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that focused on health awareness, local entrepreneurship, and fostering active community involvement. Additionally, the planting of 482 saplings highlighted the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Emphasizing transparent governance, the event saw varying media coverage across the Gram Panchayats. Youth involvement, energized by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role in nurturing a sense of responsibility and encouraging young people to actively participate in local development. Overall, this event reflected Jampuijala Block's steadfast dedication to cultivating a united and sustainable community, setting the stage for a brighter future.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

BC Nagar RD Block

- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in BC Nagar Block of South District showcased a vibrant sense of community and dedication to local development, bringing together residents from 13 Gram Panchayats. People of all ages—men, women, youth, and elders—gathered in accessible venues like Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries who showed their support.
- A highlight of the event was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging attendees to take pride in their collective efforts and to work together toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and active participation in driving local progress.
- The day was filled with activities aimed at strengthening community involvement and awareness, such as oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and supported local entrepreneurship. An impressive 1,768 saplings were planted, symbolizing the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media coverage across the Gram Panchayats underscored a commitment to transparency in governance, while youth-focused initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan fostered a sense of responsibility and engagement in community development. Through these collective efforts, BC Nagar Block demonstrated its dedication to building a united and sustainable future.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Bokafa RD Block



- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Bokafa Block, South Tripura District, brought together residents from 22 Gram Panchayats in a vibrant demonstration of community spirit and commitment to development. People of all ages, including men, women, youth, and elders, gathered in accessible spaces like Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries to show their support.
- A key moment was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who encouraged attendees to take pride in their collective efforts and work collaboratively for a resilient, sustainable future. His address highlighted the importance of unity and participation in driving local progress.
- Throughout the day, the event featured activities that strengthened community involvement and awareness, such as oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls set up by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and local entrepreneurship. The planting of 437 saplings symbolized the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Media coverage across the Gram Panchayats underscored a commitment to transparent governance, while initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan fostered youth involvement, promoting a sense of responsibility and engagement in local development. Bokafa Block's dedication to building a united and sustainable community for the future shone brightly through this event.





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Hrishyamukh RD Block

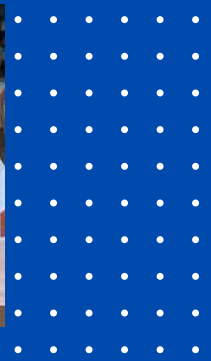
- On October 2, 2024, Hrishyamukh Block in South Tripura District hosted a vibrant Special Gram Sabha, uniting people from 19 Gram Panchayats in a collective effort toward local development.
- Residents of all ages, including men, women, youth, and elders, gathered at accessible venues such as Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries who showed their support.
- A motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura became a highlight of the event, urging the community to take pride in their contributions and work together toward a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized unity and active engagement in local initiatives.
- The day included various activities aimed at strengthening community involvement, such as oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and local entrepreneurship. The planting of 542 saplings symbolized the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- With broad media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, the event underscored a commitment to transparent governance. Youth involvement, supported by initiatives like the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role, encouraging a sense of responsibility and active participation among the younger generation.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Jolaibari RD Block



- On October 2, 2024, Jolaibari Block in South Tripura District hosted a lively Special Gram Sabha, uniting residents from 24 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in a shared dedication to local development.
- People of all ages—men, women, youth, and elders—gathered at accessible venues, including Panchayat offices, VC offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries who showed their support.
- A standout moment of the event was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, encouraging the community to take pride in their contributions and to work collectively for a resilient, sustainable future. His message stressed the value of unity and active participation in local initiatives.
- The event featured a variety of activities focused on community involvement, such as oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and entrepreneurship.
- To demonstrate their commitment to environmental sustainability, the community planted 580 saplings.
- With broad media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, the event highlighted a strong commitment to transparent governance. Youth involvement, encouraged by programs like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was essential, fostering a sense of responsibility and active engagement in community development.
- This Special Gram Sabha reflected Jolaibari Block's dedication to building a united, sustainable future.



VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Poangbari RD Block

- The Special Gram Sabha held on October 2, 2024, in Poangbari Block, South Tripura District, brought together residents from 10 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in a vibrant display of community spirit focused on local development.
- Men, women, youth, and elders participated in the event, gathering at accessible locations such as Panchayat offices and community halls, with local dignitaries present to lend their support.
- A key highlight was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired attendees to take pride in their contributions and collaborate for a resilient and sustainable future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and active involvement in local initiatives.
- The day was filled with various activities designed to enhance community engagement, including oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) that promoted health awareness and entrepreneurship.
- The planting of 134 saplings further illustrated the community's commitment to environmental sustainability.
- Extensive media coverage across the Gram Panchayats underscored a dedication to transparent governance. Youth involvement, spurred by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a crucial role in cultivating a sense of responsibility and active participation among younger generations.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Rajnagar RD Block



- Rajnagar Block in South Tripura District celebrated a vibrant Special Gram Sabha on October 2, 2024, uniting people from 21 Gram Panchayats and Village Committees in a powerful show of commitment to local development.
- Residents of all ages—men, women, youth, and elders—gathered at accessible venues such as Panchayat offices, Village Committee Offices and community halls, supported by local dignitaries who lent their encouragement.
- A key highlight was a motivational video address from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who urged the community to take pride in their contributions and collaborate for a resilient, sustainable future. His message emphasized the importance of unity and active involvement in local initiatives.
- The day's activities strengthened community engagement, featuring oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and stalls organized by Self-Help Groups (SHGs) to promote health awareness and local entrepreneurship.
- To further demonstrate their commitment to environmental sustainability, the community planted 327 saplings.
- Extensive media coverage across the Gram Panchayats underscored a commitment to transparent governance. Youth involvement, fueled by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, played a vital role, fostering responsibility and active participation in community growth.



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Satchand RD Block

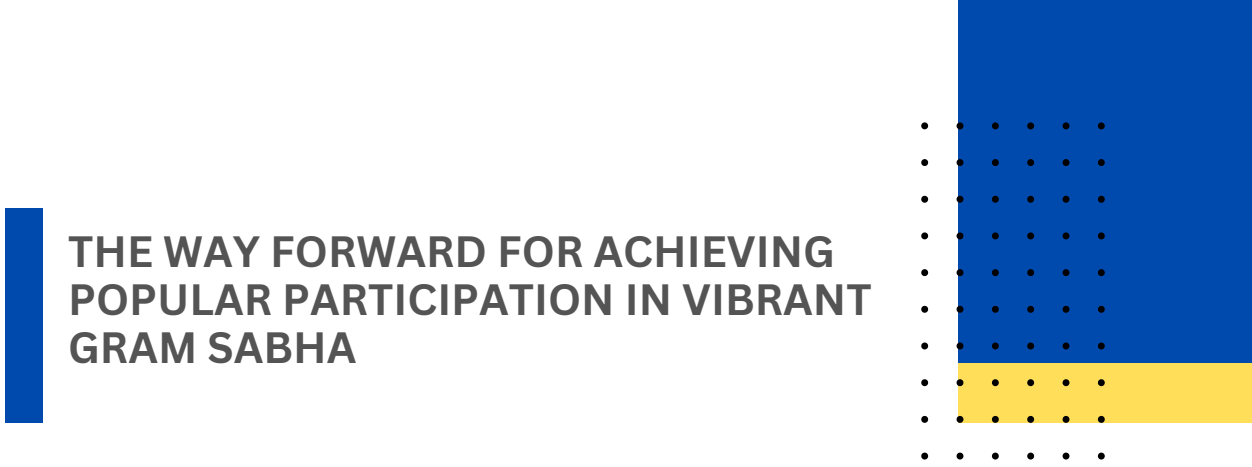
- On October 2, 2024, Satchand Block in South Tripura District held a spirited Special Gram Sabha, bringing together people from 39 Gram Panchayats in a unified effort to drive local progress.
- People from all walks of life—men, women, youth, and seniors—gathered in convenient locations like Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries who came out in support.
- A notable moment was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired residents to take pride in their efforts and collaborate toward building a resilient, sustainable future. His message underscored the power of unity and active participation in community initiatives.
- The event was packed with activities to boost community engagement, including oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and Self-Help Group (SHG) stalls promoting health awareness and small businesses.
- In a symbolic commitment to environmental stewardship, the community planted 155 saplings.
- The event received widespread media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, underscoring a commitment to open and transparent governance. Youth engagement, encouraged by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was pivotal, cultivating responsibility and an active role in local development.

VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

Rupaichari RD Block



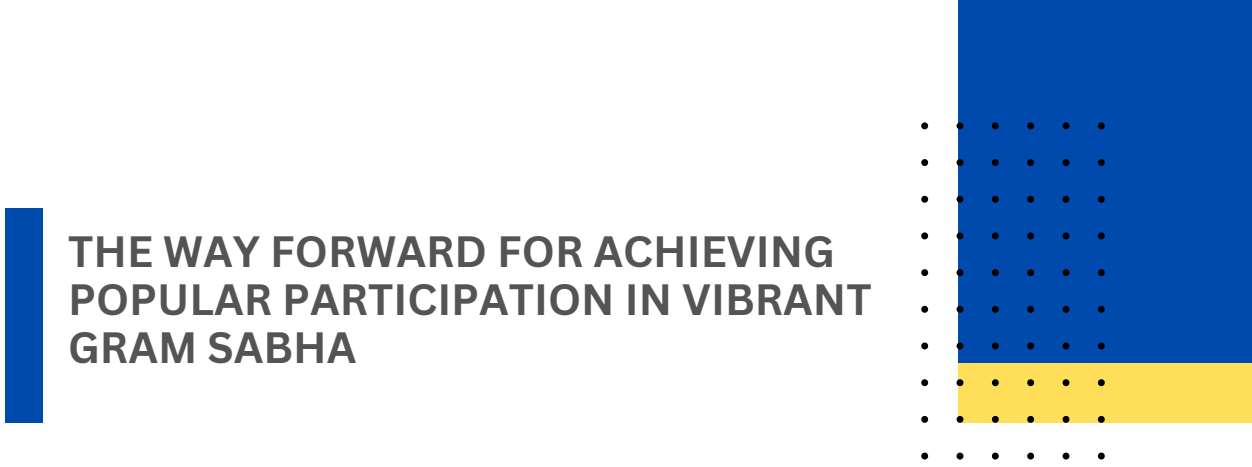
- On October 2, 2024, Rupaichari Block in South Tripura District held a spirited Special Gram Sabha, bringing together people from 18 Village Committees in a unified effort to drive local progress.
- People from all walks of life—men, women, youth, and seniors—gathered in convenient locations like Panchayat offices and community halls, joined by local dignitaries, including Sri Mailafu Mog, MLA who came out in support.
- A notable moment was a motivational video message from the Chief Minister of Tripura, who inspired residents to take pride in their efforts and collaborate toward building a resilient, sustainable future. His message underscored the power of unity and active participation in community initiatives.
- The event was packed with activities to boost community engagement, including oath-taking ceremonies, a blood donation drive, and Self-Help Group (SHG) stalls promoting health awareness and small businesses.
- In a symbolic commitment to environmental stewardship, the community planted 1350 saplings.
- The event received widespread media coverage across the Gram Panchayats, underscoring a commitment to open and transparent governance. Youth engagement, encouraged by initiatives like Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, was pivotal, cultivating responsibility and an active role in local development.
- This Special Gram Sabha exemplified Rupaichari Block's dedication to fostering a united, sustainable community.



THE WAY FORWARD FOR ACHIEVING POPULAR PARTICIPATION IN VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

To realize a Vibrant Gram Sabha characterized by robust citizen engagement and democratic participation, a multifaceted approach is necessary. This involves policy reforms, capacity-building initiatives, social inclusivity strategies, and awareness-raising efforts. The following are key pathways to achieve popular participation in Gram Sabhas:

- **Awareness and Education Campaigns:** Effective awareness programs tailored to rural communities are essential to inform villagers of their rights and the importance of their participation in Gram Sabha meetings. These campaigns should utilize local languages and culturally relevant materials to enhance understanding and engagement. NGOs, local government agencies, and Panchayats can collaborate to organize workshops, public meetings, and informational sessions that empower communities with knowledge.
 - **Capacity Building for Local Leaders and Members:** Training programs aimed at enhancing the skills of Gram Panchayat members and local leaders can significantly improve the quality of Gram Sabha meetings. Capacity-building efforts should cover topics like leadership, conflict resolution, transparent governance, and inclusive planning. Equipping leaders with these skills can foster a more organized and effective Gram Sabha, encouraging community members to participate confidently.
 - **Promotion of Inclusive Participation:** To ensure participation from all demographic segments—including women, marginalized groups, and youth—the Gram Sabha must be accessible and welcoming. Introducing separate forums or sessions for women (Mahila Sabha) and children (Bal Sabha) can help these groups voice their concerns more freely. Additionally, establishing quotas for marginalized communities and youth representation can further support inclusivity and ensure all voices are considered in local decision-making.
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THE WAY FORWARD FOR ACHIEVING POPULAR PARTICIPATION IN VIBRANT GRAM SABHA

- **Leveraging Digital and Social Media:** Using digital platforms to share meeting schedules, agendas, and outcomes can help increase visibility and interest among community members. Where internet access is limited, mobile phone-based messaging or community radio broadcasts can disseminate this information effectively. Digital tools can also streamline data collection, feedback, and record-keeping, making the Gram Sabha more transparent and accessible.
 - **Institutionalizing Feedback Mechanisms:** Establishing regular feedback mechanisms allows community members to voice their opinions on Gram Sabha decisions and ongoing projects. Through suggestion boxes, surveys, or periodic review meetings, citizens can express concerns, share ideas, and assess the progress of development initiatives. This interactive approach enhances trust and accountability, motivating more people to engage in Gram Sabha proceedings.
 - **Improving Meeting Accessibility and Transparency:** Ensuring that Gram Sabha meetings are held at convenient times, in accessible locations, and with transparent agendas can foster greater attendance. Providing meeting summaries, budgets, and decisions in publicly accessible formats (e.g., notice boards, local newsletters) further promotes transparency.
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