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Today on 13th June, 2019, Pankaj Magotra (KAS), Commissioner, JMC along with Pardeep Singh Manhas (KAS), Joint Commissioner, JMC, Prem Singh, Asstt. Commissioner (R), JMC, Sr. Jaspal Singh, Joint Commissioner (W), Health Officer, Executive Engineer (C), Municipal Veterinary Officer, Chief Transport Officer, Naib Tehsildar (R) and Informatics Officer, JMC visited the land fill site at Kot bhalwal.

During the tour, the Commissioner issued on the spot instructions to the concerned Officers for carrying out the land fill operations at the this site on scientific lines so that minimum inconvenience is caused to the people living in the surrounding areas. He advised the officers managing the site to make the site green along the boundaries by undertaking an extensive plantation drive at the site during the ensuing monsoon. Directions were also given to erect temporary structure for better waste recovery for recycling to address environmental concern.

Further Commissioner, JMC also visited Municipal Animal Care Centre,(MACC) Roop Nagar to check the Animal Birth Control/Anti Rabies Vaccination programme (ABC/ARV) which has been recently started by JMC to control the population of stray dogs in JMC limits. Commissioner was informed that JMC has taken effective steps for lifting of stray dogs ward wise and their sterilization at MACC, Roop Nagar. The Municipal Veterinary Officer informed that special care is taken to ensure that the dogs after sterilization are relocated in the same area were from they were picked. The sterilized and immunized stray dogs are easily identifiable from the v-notch cut made on their right ear and also from the retro-reflecting collar belt in the neck which shines during the night .The above is aimed to reduce the accidents involving stray dogs on the roads.

The Commissioner instructed the MVO and veterinary staff in the hospital to observe all the the precautionary and regulatory protocols prescribed by the Animal Welfare Board while dealing with animals at the Centre. He assured the staff to provide requisite funds to modernize the operation theatre and equip the Centre with state of the art medical equipments with a view to make JMC's Animal Care Centre one of the best Animal Birth Control Centre of India.

During the visit at MACC, Roop Nagar Smt. Devinder Kaur Madaan, Chairperson 'SAVE' NGO was also present who also gave her valuable suggestion for improving the functioning of MACC, Roop Nagar.

13 June 2019

JMC organizes interactive session on "Stress Management", "Social Welfare Schemes" and "Drug Abuse in the Society"

Jammu Municipal Corporation organized an interactive /awareness session on "Stress Management through Yoga", "various Social Welfare Schemes" and "Drug Abuse in the Society" in the Council Hall of JMC. Hon'ble Mayor Sh. Chander Mohan Gupta, Hon'ble Dy. Mayor Mrs. Purnima Sharma, Hon'ble Councillors of JMC, IGP Jammu Sh. M.K. Sinha, SSP Jammu Sh. Tejinder Singh, Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation Sh. Pankaj Magotra Secretary, JMC, Smt. Sunaina Sharma, other senior Police Officers, Dr. T.R Raina, CDPO Jammu and Gandhi Nagar, Tehsil Social Welfare Officer graced the occasion which was also attended by other senior officers/officials of Jammu Municipal Corporation.

At the outset Sh.Chander Mohan Gupta, Hon'ble Mayor JMC welcomed all and highlighted the importance of Yoga and meditation in everyone's life and appealed all to adopt 'Yoga' as 'way of life'.

Dr. T.R. Raina spoke at length on "Holistic Health, Science of Stress and its management through Yoga" and impressively demonstrated various 'yog mudras'. All the councillors were urged upon by him to organize such programmes in their wards so that general public gets benefitted at large.

Further, an informative presentation on all Social Welfare/ ICDS schemes was made by Smt. Akanksha Kalsotra, CDPO Jammu, Gourav Gupta, CDPO Gandhi Nagar and Sh. Manjeet Singh, Tehsil Social Welfare Officer, highlighting various social welfare and ICDS Schemes.

SSP Jammu Sh. Tejinder Singh comprehensively discussed the root cause of increasing drug abuse in Society which has spread its tentacles in every nook and corner and highlighted that drug abuse ,if not controlled timely can lead to disastrous consequences. He laid emphasis on the immense contribution, each and every councillor can make towards this growing menace through a new campaign "CADA" (Councillors Against Drug Abuse) to be soon launched by JKP, which was highly appreciated by one and all.

Deputy Mayor, Mrs. Purnima Sharma requested IGP Jammu to take measures to plug the bottlenecks in the department so that a visible impact of the 'Anti Drug Campaign' being carried out by JKP is witnessed by general public.The councilors also shared their views during the session and assured their full support and co-operation to all the departments for taking effective measures for the welfare of the general public.

At the end of the session, Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation presented the vote of thanks to the Hon'ble Mayor, Hon'ble Dy. Mayor, Hon' ble Councillors, IGP Jammu, SSP Jammu, Dr. T.R Raina, Officers from Social Welfare Department, Senior Officers from Police Department for active participation in the session.

15 June 2019

JMC and ITI Ltd. join hands to provide personal security to its citizens.

Today on 20/06/2019, Jammu Municipal Corporation launched Country's first ever highly affordable digital security solution for the residents namely Jammu Suraksha Yojana in collaboration with ITI Ltd., a Govt. of India enterprise. The launch ceremony was graced and chaired by Hon'ble Dy. Mayor, JMC, Mrs. Purnima Sharma. Commissioner, JMC, Sh. Pankaj Magotra, SSP (PCR) Jammu, Sh. Kulbir Singh and Hon'ble Councillors and officers of Corporation were present on the occasion which was enthusiastically covered by the print and electronic media.

Hon'ble Dy. Mayor, Jammu Municipal Corporation informed the Hon'ble Councillors and media persons that Jammu Suraksha Yojana is a joint effort of JMC and ITI Ltd. for providing affordable Home security solution to citizens of Jammu City. Further, Dy. Mayor briefed the gathering that the launch is follow up to the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between Jammu Municipal Corporation and ITI Ltd. signed in December, 2018.

Sh. Jaskaran Singh, Director, REIT, a brand owned by ITI Ltd. briefed the media and the Councillors about the highly advantageous and affordable digital security solution to the residents:

· Jammu Suraksha Yojana provides digital security which covers Personal, Financial & Civil security needs of the subscriber in just Rs.500/- P.M.

· Subscriber needs to pay Rs.500/-P.M. for 20 months plus applicable GST to avail state of the art technology based security cameras. Subscriber needs to pay six month advance as security deposit plus banking and installation charges which shall be adjusted in 14th month to 20th month installment.

· Subscriber will have Artificial Intelligence integrated High Definition Indoor Camera, High Definition Outdoor camera besides a door sensor with alert on mobile phone as part of the package and two set of Electromagnetic waves based wireless Door sensor.

· Life Insurance Cover of Rs.1,00,000/-(In case of any death) to the subscriber.

· SOS Alert-Special Hotline in which citizen gets immediate support in case of crime and urgency.

· Recording time of 10-35 days and safe storage on cloud.

· Online View with dual Audio Interaction

· The system will be internet and mobile based and readily installable.

Commissioner, Jammu Municipal Corporation, Sh. Pankaj Magotra briefed the Hon'ble Councillors and media persons about the salient features and plan of action for the implementation of the Yojana.He also presented the vote of thanks to the Hon'ble Dy. Mayor, Hon'ble Councillors, SSP (PCR), representatives from ITI Ltd. and media for participation in launch of Jammu Suraksha Yojana and sought cooperation of all in making the yojana highly successful and popular among the citizens of Jammu city.

20 June 2019